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Introduction

This *Annual Abstract of Statistics* for the United Kingdom has been prepared by the Central Statistical Office in collaboration with the statistics divisions of government departments.

2. The name of the department or organisation providing the statistics is shown under each table. Some of the statistics provided by government departments are actually collected by other organisations such as the national associations. The assistance provided by these organisations is gratefully acknowledged.

3. In addition, an Index of Sources is given on pages 469 to 479, which sets out the official publications or other sources from which the statistics are taken or to which reference can be made. The tables in this issue contain the latest statistics available, even though they may not yet have appeared in departmental publications.

4. Most of the tables in this *Abstract of Statistics* give annual figures, so far as they are available, for each of the years 1966 to 1976. Some of the tables include figures for the early months of 1977. Current data for many of the series appearing in the *Abstract* are contained in *Economic Trends*, the *Monthly Digest of Statistics* and in *Financial Statistics*, prepared by the Central Statistical Office and published monthly by Her Majesty's Stationery Office. Information on regional detail, supplementary to the national figures in this *Abstract*, is published in *Regional Statistics* also prepared by the Central Statistical Office and published annually by Her Majesty's Stationery Office.

Definitions

5. *Area covered.* Except where otherwise stated all statistics relate to the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

6. *Time series.* So far as possible annual totals are given throughout, but quarterly or monthly figures are given where these are more suitable to the type of series. Except where it is stated to the contrary all statistics are for calendar years ended 31 December.

For some series, weekly data are collected and not figures for calendar years. In such cases the figures appearing in the columns for particular years are cumulative totals for 52 or 53 weeks and, where this is so, attention is drawn to the footnotes to the tables. Since the series have not been adjusted to make them equivalent to a calendar year, care must be taken in making comparisons between figures for periods of different numbers of weeks.

7. *Explanatory notes.* Several sections of the *Abstract* are preceded by pages of explanatory notes which should be read in conjunction with the tables. In addition, definitions of many of the terms occurring in both the *Abstract* and the *Monthly Digest of Statistics* are given in detail in the *Supplement of Definitions and Explanatory Notes to the Monthly Digest of Statistics*, published annually by Her Majesty's Stationery Office. Detailed notes on items which appear in both the *Abstract* and *Financial Statistics* are given in a Supplement to the latter entitled *Financial Statistics: Explanatory handbook*, first published in October 1977. The original sources listed in the Index of Sources may also be consulted.

8. *Consumption and stocks.* Statistics of consumption and stocks should be used with care. The terms 'consumption', 'disposals' and 'stocks' are normally defined in detail in the *Supplement* to the *Monthly Digest of Statistics.* The stocks figures given may often relate to only part of the total stocks in the country.

Revisions and changes in content

9. *Revisions.* The scope of the *Abstract* is revised from time to time to include new statistical information as it becomes available. Some of the figures in this *Abstract* are regarded as provisional only and may be revised subsequently. This applies particularly to the latest year shown.

10. *Numbering.* Tables have been renumbered within sections. A reconciliation of the table numbering between this issue and the 1976 issue is shown on pages 485–487.

11. *New chapters.* The sections on Justice and Crime (Tables 4.1 to 4.35) and Agriculture, Fisheries and Food (Tables 9.1 to 9.41) have been hived off into new chapters, IV and IX respectively.

12. *New tables.* The following new tables have been introduced into this issue of the *Abstract*:

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13. *Extended series and revisions.* Other changes in the contents of this issue as compared with the previous issue involve the addition of new series to existing tables and some substantial revisions. The following are the tables principally affected by these alterations.

Table	
3.44	This table (64 last year) has been revised and retitled *Health and personal social services: manpower summary*
7.4	Formation of the Armed Forces Additional lines give details for Naval Aircraft formations
7.14	Service married accommodation Some tabulated data on proportions of married personnel owning their own homes is included in the footnotes.
7.16	Land holdings by the Ministry of Defence Additional lines give data on the acreages of land also used for agricultural purposes
9.1 to 9.35	These tables which cover agriculture have been revised, where appropriate, to show metric measures
10.21	Casualties in road accidents. The coverage of this table (281 last year) has been changed, an analysis by severity replacing the breakdown by time band.
16.4	This table (372 last year) has been revised and retitled *Financing of the public sector borrowing requirement*
16.17	Income tax and surtax This table subsumes old tables 387 (Income tax: rates and allowances) and 388 (Rates of surtax)
17.1 to 17.11	These tables which cover banking statistics have been brought up to date. New tables (as shown above) have been included and in some cases this means that only short runs of figures are available.
17.23	Finance houses: holdings of selected assets and liabilities. This table cannot be updated and is retained as an historical reference. New table 17.24 gives 1976 figures.
17.41 to 17.42 and 17.47 to 17.50	These tables, on insurance also cannot be updated. New tables 17.43, 17.44 and 17.45 give up to date information

14. *Deletions.* The tables listed below appeared for the last time in the *Annual Abstract* No 113 (1976):

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15. *Transfer of tables.* Table 10.72 and 10.73 (100 and 101 last year), which cover cinemas and films have been transferred to Chapter X (Transport and Communications).

Symbols and conventions used

16. *Change of basis.* Where consecutive figures have been compiled on different bases and are not strictly comparable, a footnote is added indicating the nature of the difference.

17. *Units of measurement.* A table showing the various units of measurement used in this *Abstract* and, where appropriate, their metric equivalents, is given on page xv.

18. *Rounding of figures.* In tables where figures have been rounded to the nearest final digit, there may be an apparent slight discrepancy between the sums of the constituent items and the total as shown.

19. *Symbols.* The following symbols have been used throughout the *Abstract:*

. . = not available

– = nil or negligible (less than half the final digit shown)

n.e.i. = not elsewhere included

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1 centimetre (cm)	= 10 millimetres	0.393 701 inches
1 metre (m)	= 1,000 millimetres	1.093 61 yards
1 kilometre (km)	= 1,000 metres	0.621 371 miles
1 inch (in.)		25.4 millimetres or 2.54 centimetres
1 foot (ft.)	= 12 inches	0.304 8 metres
1 yard (yd.)	= 3 feet	0.914 4 metres
1 mile	= 1,760 yards	1.609 34 kilometres
Area		
1 square millimetre (mm^2)		0.001 550 00 square inches
1 square metre (m^2)	= million square millimetres	1.195 99 square yards
1 hectare (ha)	= 10,000 square metres	2.471 05 acres
1 square kilometre (km^2)	= million square metres	247.105 acres
1 square inch (sq. in.)		645.16 square millimetres or 6.451 6 square centimetres
1 square foot (sq. ft.)	= 144 square inches	0.092 903 0 square metres or 929.030 square centimetres
1 square yard (sq. yd.)	= 9 square feet	0.836 127 square metres
1 acre	= 4,840 square yards	4,046.86 square metres or 0.404 686 hectares
1 square mile (sq. mile)	= 640 acres	2.589 99 square kilometres or 258.999 hectares
Volume		
1 cubic centimetre (cm^3)		0.061 023 7 cubic inches
1 cubic decimetre (dm^3)	= 1,000 cubic centimetres	0.035 314 7 cubic feet
1 cubic metre (m^3)	= million cubic centimetres	1.307 95 cubic yards
1 cubic foot (cu. ft.)		0.028 316 8 cubic metres or 28.316 8 cubic decimetres
1 cubic yard (cu. yd.)	= 27 cubic feet	0.764 555 cubic metres
Capacity		
1 litre (l)	= 1 cubic decimetre	0.220 0 gallons
1 hectolitre (hl)	= 100 litres	22.00 gallons
1 pint		0.568 litres
2 pints	= 1 quart	1.137 litres
8 pints	= 1 gallon	4.546 09 cubic decimetres or 4.546 litres
36 gallons (gal.)	= 1 bulk barrel	1.636 56 hectolitres
Weight		
1 gramme (g)		0.035 274 0 ounces
1 hectogramme (hg)	= 100 grammes	3.527 40 ounces or 0.220 462 pounds
1 kilogramme (kg)	= 10 hectogrammes	2.204 62 pounds
1 tonne (t)	= 1,000 kilogrammes	1.102 31 short tons or 0.984 2 long tons
1 ounce avoirdupois (oz.)		28.349 5 grammes
1 pound avoirdupois (lb.)	= 16 ounces	0.453 592 37 kilogrammes
1 hundredweight (cwt.)	= 112 pounds	50.802 3 kilogrammes
1 short ton	= 2,000 pounds	907.184 74 kilogrammes or 0.907 184 74 tonnes
1 long ton [1]	= 2,240 pounds	1,016.05 kilogrammes or 1.016 05 tonnes
1 ounce troy	= 480 grains	31.103 5 grammes

[1] Simply referred to as 'ton' throughout the *Annual Abstract*

II. Other units and equivalents used in the *Annual Abstract*

Energy:	British thermal unit (Btu)	The amount of heat required to raise 1 lb. of water through 1 degree fahrenheit at or near 39.1 degrees fahrenheit	
	Therm	100,000 British thermal units	
	Gigawatt hour (GWh)	10^6 kilowatt hours	
	Megawatt (MW)	10^6 watt	
Food and drink:	Butter	23,310 litres milk	= 1 tonne butter (average)
	Cheese	10,070 litres milk	= 1 tonne cheese
	Condensed milk	2,550 litres milk	= 1 tonne full cream condensed milk
		2,953 litres skimmed milk	= 1 tonne skimmed condensed milk
	Milk	1 million litres	= 1,030 tonnes
	Milk powder	8,054 litres milk	= 1 tonne full cream milk powder
		10,740 litres skimmed milk	= 1 tonne skimmed milk powder
	Eggs	17,126 eggs	= 1 tonne (approximate)
	Sugar	100 tonnes raw sugar	= 95 tonnes refined sugar
	Beer	1 bulk barrel	= 36 gallons irrespective of gravity
Agriculture:	Pigs	Score deadweight	= 20 lbs. of dressed carcase weight
	Hops	Cental	= 100 lbs. hops
Shipping:	Gross tonnage	The total volume of all the enclosed spaces of a vessel, the unit of measurement being a ton of 100 cubic feet	
	Net tonnage	The gross tonnage *less* certain deductions on account of crew space, engine room, water ballast and other spaces not used for passengers or cargo	

I. Area and Climate

TABLE **1.1**

Area of the United Kingdom [1]

	Total	Land	Inland water [2]	Total	Land	Inland water [2]
Metric measure	Thousand hectares			Square kilometres		
United Kingdom	24,410	24,102	309	244,103	241,019	3,084
Great Britain	22,998	22,754	245	229,983	227,536	2,447
England and Wales	15,121	15,037	84	151,209	150,365	844
England	13,044	12,972	72	130,441	129,725	716
Wales	2,077	2,064	13	20,768	20,640	128
Scotland	7,877	7,717	160	78,775	77,171	1,604
Northern Ireland [3]	1,412	1,348	64	14,120	13,483	637
Imperial measure	Thousand acres			Square miles		
United Kingdom	60,319	59,557	762	94,249	93,058	1,191
Great Britain	56,830	56,225	605	88,797	87,852	945
England and Wales	37,364	37,156	208	58,382	58,056	326
England	32,232	32,056	177	50,363	50,087	276
Wales	5,132	5,100	32	8,019	7,969	49
Scotland	19,466	19,069	396	30,415	29,796	619
Northern Ireland [3]	3,489	3,332	157	5,452	5,206	246

[1] Figures compiled at 31 March 1977. [2] Excluding tidal water. [3] Excluding certain tidal waters that are parts of statutory areas in Northern Ireland.

Sources: Ordnance Survey, Southampton; Ordnance Survey of Northern Ireland, Belfast

TABLE **1.2**

Mean daily air temperature at sea level

Degrees centigrade [1]

	Average 1941-70	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
England and Wales												
Annual mean	10.0	10.3	10.0	9.9	10.1	10.4	9.8	10.2	10.0	10.4	10.5	
January	4.0	5.0	5.0	6.2	4.4	5.2	4.5	5.2	6.5	7.2	6.2	3.5
February	4.2	6.1	2.8	1.7	3.8	5.4	5.0	5.0	6.1	5.2	5.0	5.7
March	6.2	7.7	7.0	4.1	4.3	5.7	7.0	6.9	6.2	5.3	5.4	7.5
April	8.8	8.3	8.5	7.9	7.1	8.1	8.8	7.6	8.3	8.6	8.3	7.7
May	11.6	10.8	10.3	11.6	13.0	12.0	11.1	11.8	11.3	10.1	12.2	10.8
June	14.7	14.5	14.9	14.3	16.4	13.0	12.4	15.3	14.1	14.8	17.1	12.8
July	16.3	17.0	15.1	17.0	15.6	17.0	15.7	15.9	15.5	17.5	18.5	
August	16.1	16.1	15.9	16.6	16.4	16.2	15.6	16.9	15.7	18.7	17.6	
September	14.3	14.1	14.5	14.6	14.9	14.8	12.4	14.8	12.6	13.9	13.8	
October	11.2	11.5	13.1	13.3	11.3	12.1	11.2	9.8	8.2	10.5	11.2	
November	7.2	6.2	7.3	6.2	8.4	6.8	6.9	6.7	7.2	6.7	6.8	
December	5.1	5.1	4.1	4.2	5.1	7.3	6.6	5.7	8.3	5.6	2.8	

See footnote on page 2.

Source: Meteorological Office

Mean daily air temperature at sea level

TABLE 1.2 *(continued)*

Degrees centigrade [1]

	Average 1941–70	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
Scotland												
Annual mean	8.7	8.7	8.3	8.3	8.3	9.1	8.5	8.5	8.8	9.0	9.1	
January	3.5	4.5	3.9	4.7	3.4	4.8	4.1	4.9	5.9	5.3	5.0	2.8
February	3.7	5.8	2.3	1.1	2.1	5.3	4.3	4.0	5.4	4.8	5.2	3.6
March	5.4	6.0	5.6	3.1	3.9	5.4	5.7	6.4	5.4	4.5	4.9	6.3
April	7.5	7.5	7.1	6.6	5.9	7.4	7.8	6.2	7.6	7.3	7.8	6.4
May	9.9	9.0	8.3	9.5	10.9	10.9	10.2	9.7	10.3	8.6	10.2	9.5
June	12.7	12.8	13.2	13.2	14.4	11.4	11.3	13.3	12.3	12.6	13.9	11.5
July	14.1	14.2	13.5	15.0	13.1	14.6	14.2	14.4	13.4	14.9	16.1	
August	14.0	14.0	13.9	15.3	14.6	13.9	13.3	14.2	13.9	16.2	15.3	
September	12.5	12.6	12.5	12.7	12.5	13.2	11.0	12.3	11.0	11.6	12.2	
October	9.9	9.0	10.8	11.7	9.5	10.5	10.1	8.4	7.7	10.2	9.8	
November	6.3	5.8	5.9	3.6	5.9	5.7	5.3	5.0	6.1	6.4	6.2	
December	4.6	4.5	3.8	3.7	4.6	7.1	5.4	4.0	6.5	6.1	2.2	
Northern Ireland												
Annual mean	9.3	9.0	8.9	8.6	9.1	9.5	8.6	9.1	9.1	9.8	9.5	
January	4.0	5.0	5.1	4.5	3.7	4.8	3.4	5.3	6.2	6.1	5.8	2.9
February	4.3	5.2	1.8	1.2	2.7	5.4	4.3	4.3	5.6	5.5	5.3	4.3
March	6.2	6.3	5.9	3.3	4.5	5.5	5.3	5.9	5.8	5.3	5.7	7.0
April	8.2	8.0	7.6	7.1	6.7	7.5	8.0	6.9	8.3	8.4	8.3	7.3
May	10.8	8.9	8.7	10.0	12.0	10.5	9.5	10.2	10.4	9.9	10.6	10.0
June	13.5	13.0	13.6	13.0	15.4	11.9	10.7	13.8	12.6	13.8	15.3	12.4
July	14.7	15.0	13.7	15.4	13.7	15.2	14.6	14.9	14.0	16.1	16.2	
August	14.6	14.1	14.5	15.1	14.9	14.3	13.3	15.1	14.4	16.6	16.1	
September	13.0	12.5	12.6	12.8	12.9	13.4	11.2	12.9	10.9	12.3	12.6	
October	10.4	9.2	11.8	12.5	10.3	11.2	10.1	8.9	7.9	10.7	9.2	
November	6.7	5.8	6.3	4.3	6.6	6.7	5.6	6.0	5.7	6.7	5.8	
December	5.0	4.7	3.9	4.0	4.7	6.5	5.5	4.9	7.4	6.0	2.4	

[1] To convert degrees centigrade into degrees fahrenheit: multiply by 9, divide by 5, and add 32

Source: Meteorological Office

Number of days with frost [1] at selected stations

Monthly and annual averages for standard period

TABLE 1.3

Days

	Aberdeen (Craibstone)	Abbotsinch [2]	Cambridge	Birmingham	Kew Observatory	Stonyhurst	Falmouth	Armagh
	1963-72	1963-72	1963-72	1963-72	1963-72	1963-72	1963-72	1963-72
Annual	54.0	63.1	51.1	39.6	40.7	57.5	15.1	49.5
January	10.9	11.2	12.6	10.5	9.7	12.5	4.7	10.1
February	12.4	12.4	10.7	10.7	8.0	12.3	4.1	11.2
March	7.7	8.6	7.8	6.7	6.1	8.7	2.4	7.1
April	5.1	5.6	3.0	1.5	2.3	4.3	0.3	3.8
May	0.3	0.7	0.2	0.1	0.4	0.4	—	0.6
June	—	—	—		—	—	—	—
July	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
August	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
September	—	0.7	0.1	—	0.1	—	—	—
October	0.4	2.7	0.5	—	0.7	0.7	—	0.3
November	7.6	9.5	5.9	2.7	5.1	7.5	0.7	7.6
December	9.6	11.7	10.3	7.4	8.3	11.1	2.9	8.8

Annual totals for each of the years 1954 to 1976

Days

	Aberdeen (Craibstone)	Abbotsinch [2]	Cambridge	Birmingham	Kew Observatory	Stonyhurst	Falmouth	Armagh
1954	46	41	58	33	34	48	15	40
1955	76	82	72	67	55	80	35	62
1956	65	65	81	57	46	65	22	56
1957	48	44	43	19	13	30	7	30
1958	74	69	65	45	31	73	13	47
1959	46	52	58	31	29	40	8	40
1960	53	63	55	27	20	55	16	55
1961	55	53	56	27	22	43	6	41
1962	64	59	86	58	44	66	17	55
1963	70	76	81	69	61	79	33	75
1964	33	42	60	40	26	55	16	35
1965	61	73	60	41	31	67	26	49
1966	61	63	41	27	17	46	5	30
1967	38	52	48	26	26	45	10	32
1968	63	79	57	46	33	65	14	62
1969	64	77	49	59	61	75	13	69
1970	59	66	56	49	62	67	21	60
1971	43	50	35	23	46	42	9	36
1972	48	53	24	16	44	34	4	47
1973	71	56	63	29	61	—	9	48
1974	31	37	24	11	29	20	1	25
1975	47	57	45	23	45	38	5	38
1976	54	56	48	58	50	56	15	44

[1] The criterion used to the end of 1962 was of screen temperature, measured at 4 feet above ground level, 0°C (32°F) or lower, from the beginning of 1963 the criterion has been of the screen temperature below 0°C (32°F). [2] Data up to April 1966 are for Renfrew.

Source: Meteorological Office

Rainfall

TABLE **1.4**

Millimetres [1]

	Average 1916-50	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
England and Wales												
Annual total	904	995	971	889	918	800	848	738	994	753	794	
January	92	62	82	97	109	109	103	44	117	117	60	102
February	66	92	46	70	85	33	73	40	98	31	40	138
March	57	55	60	73	63	67	79	24	47	81	43	72
April	60	44	66	57	86	54	67	67	14	71	21	50
May	63	138	75	114	25	50	73	83	40	47	64	52
June	55	40	86	57	46	104	76	63	66	21	17	85
July	79	64	102	65	73	44	59	92	77	66	32	
August	81	75	66	73	81	111	38	63	95	52	27	
September	76	103	145	41	66	26	45	86	144	106	160	
October	92	173	94	19	61	71	32	57	99	36	153	
November	95	72	69	135	172	93	99	52	125	73	83	
December	88	77	80	88	51	38	104	67	72	52	94	
Scotland												
Annual total	1,419	1,561	1,273	1,223	1,476	1,183	1,163	1,236	1,448	1,242	1,314	
January	154	123	137	137	107	125	146	103	228	245	185	127
February	106	137	72	76	142	89	99	98	118	48	87	137
March	89	198	147	40	99	96	72	65	73	58	130	128
April	88	74	71	73	96	59	119	83	18	100	60	112
May	87	124	110	109	75	82	109	107	78	48	118	75
June	87	72	70	81	71	73	117	83	71	67	65	78
July	114	101	109	84	146	94	57	89	102	112	64	
August	122	94	66	84	119	102	75	107	97	86	25	
September	128	140	121	127	150	56	30	95	141	184	141	
October	158	241	201	133	194	148	62	82	106	78	202	
November	143	129	85	166	190	142	155	155	190	128	127	
December	143	128	84	114	88	117	122	169	226	88	110	
Northern Ireland												
Annual total	1,081	1,147	1,042	957	1,103	889	1,012	928	1,074	825	1,008	
January	109	81	127	132	109	78	129	109	160	152	126	105
February	76	85	39	79	124	74	78	75	97	32	51	152
March	66	87	83	49	83	51	113	32	51	58	81	82
April	67	54	59	68	84	94	81	58	27	61	30	75
May	72	119	78	106	35	61	114	81	79	22	112	27
June	71	40	77	78	54	94	89	40	47	31	55	52
July	96	87	39	51	93	68	72	80	93	73	59	
August	102	97	74	54	109	113	55	96	79	54	16	
September	96	139	136	40	121	41	13	78	151	135	121	
October	111	159	144	58	117	59	55	59	67	91	191	
November	104	94	99	131	133	125	117	113	109	80	68	
December	111	105	87	111	41	31	96	107	114	36	98	

[1] 1 millimetre = 0.0394 inches.

Source: Meteorological Office

Mean daily sunshine

TABLE **1.5**

Hours

	Average 1941-70	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
England and Wales												
Annual mean	4.04	4.11	3.48	3.79	4.07	4.03	3.67	4.11	4.08	4.36	4.40	
January	1.59	1.99	1.21	1.07	1.08	1.27	1.30	1.13	1.73	1.27	1.67	1.57
February	2.43	2.83	2.21	2.36	3.57	2.43	1.40	2.83	2.33	2.33	1.73	2.36
March	3.67	5.02	4.02	2.36	3.69	3.17	4.46	4.46	3.41	2.97	3.56	2.97
April	5.27	4.21	5.93	6.34	4.42	4.00	4.52	5.10	5.11	4.48	5.43	5.48
May	6.31	5.23	4.98	4.61	6.21	7.20	5.17	5.47	6.69	6.25	5.62	7.45
June	6.79	7.07	6.28	8.46	8.20	4.76	5.09	7.60	6.65	9.23	8.49	5.09
July	5.88	6.42	4.64	6.70	5.33	7.45	5.21	5.16	5.41	6.76	8.29	
August	5.48	4.95	4.02	4.62	5.55	4.35	5.82	5.66	6.08	7.40	8.33	
September	4.44	3.87	3.91	3.39	4.52	5.57	4.09	4.83	4.71	5.02	3.60	
October	3.25	3.12	1.97	3.28	3.24	4.18	2.96	2.90	2.89	3.54	2.18	
November	1.94	2.15	1.36	2.48	1.88	2.81	2.37	2.81	1.80	2.50	2.17	
December	1.47	1.82	1.11	0.90	1.56	1.03	1.40	1.78	1.51	1.47	1.85	
Scotland												
Annual mean	3.53	3.34	3.27	3.30	3.27	3.40	3.30	3.30	3.57	3.88	3.53	
January	1.40	1.27	1.15	0.97	0.88	0.78	1.05	0.95	1.13	1.18	1.12	1.74
February	2.53	2.21	2.65	2.46	3.31	1.91	1.68	2.71	1.80	3.04	1.72	2.61
March	3.36	3.50	2.86	3.05	3.79	2.73	3.24	3.60	3.26	3.83	3.02	2.55
April	4.99	4.68	5.34	5.29	5.01	4.63	4.54	4.68	6.04	3.94	4.24	4.99
May	5.74	4.86	4.69	4.04	3.93	6.49	4.39	4.69	5.45	7.23	4.48	6.77
June	5.79	6.88	6.33	6.79	7.49	5.13	5.47	4.78	6.37	7.47	4.86	6.48
July	4.81	4.05	4.00	4.82	3.32	5.69	5.69	4.37	4.71	4.95	6.40	
August	4.48	4.16	5.53	4.82	4.13	4.12	4.47	4.94	4.52	5.38	7.35	
September	3.71	3.04	3.15	3.29	2.89	4.10	3.77	3.40	3.97	3.75	3.01	
October	2.70	2.84	1.85	2.25	2.17	3.06	2.89	2.74	2.51	2.65	2.38	
November	1.73	1.49	1.36	1.67	1.60	1.45	1.64	1.69	1.73	1.87	2.28	
December	1.14	1.23	0.81	0.85	1.09	0.75	0.96	0.95	1.06	1.12	1.46	
Northern Ireland												
Annual mean	3.54	3.42	3.78	3.39	3.32	3.28	3.39	3.14	3.61	3.79	3.50	
January	1.51	1.47	1.06	1.07	1.03	1.76	1.19	0.70	1.18	1.53	1.21	1.66
February	2.45	2.61	3.16	2.17	3.12	1.87	2.26	2.29	2.08	2.72	1.74	1.67
March	3.29	3.34	3.04	2.68	3.57	2.71	3.57	3.57	3.29	4.54	2.53	2.73
April	5.01	4.57	5.62	6.15	4.67	4.57	5.07	4.67	6.91	4.86	5.46	4.96
May	6.15	5.28	5.16	4.67	3.93	5.46	4.61	4.24	4.55	8.12	4.00	7.63
June	5.71	5.89	7.10	7.00	6.82	5.19	5.54	5.42	5.88	7.48	5.88	6.05
July	4.36	3.30	5.24	5.32	3.26	5.72	5.37	3.83	4.01	4.75	4.14	
August	4.52	4.17	6.32	4.35	4.78	3.78	3.25	4.04	5.06	4.97	8.05	
September	3.58	3.80	3.68	2.64	2.90	4.67	4.45	3.80	3.69	3.69	3.19	
October	2.66	2.87	2.06	2.14	1.95	3.04	2.76	2.66	2.95	2.34	2.50	
November	1.95	2.27	1.53	1.91	2.20	1.62	1.80	1.32	2.52	1.95	2.36	
December	1.20	1.27	1.08	1.00	1.49	1.07	1.28	1.21	0.96	0.79	1.01	

Source: Meteorological Office

II. Population and Vital Statistics

This section begins with a summary of population figures for the United Kingdom and constituent countries from 1851 to 2011 (Table 2.1). Table 2.2 analyses the elements of population change. Tables 2.3–2.7 give details of the national sex/age structure for years up to the present date. The marital condition of the population is given in Tables 2.8, 2.9. Table 2.10 gives projections of the population by sex/age up to the year 2011. The distribution of population at local and regional level is summarised in Tables 2.11 and 2.12.

In the main, historical series relate to Census information while mid-year estimates are given for the recent past and present.

Population. Figures shown relate either to the population enumerated at successive censuses or to the annual mid-year estimates. Mid-year estimates are constructed from the latest full Census, with allowance for births, deaths, migration into and out of the area and variation in the disposition of armed forces since the Census was taken. These estimates are given on two bases, Home and Total population.

Home population: Persons actually present in an area.

Total population: The Home population *plus* members of HM Forces domiciled in the area but serving overseas or in another part of the United Kingdom but excluding members of HM Forces and Commonwealth and foreign armed forces present in the area who were not domiciled in it.

The Census figures of home population differ from the mid-year estimates of home population both in timing and because of slight variations in definition.

In the light of results from the 1971 Census, some of the population estimates for England and Wales over the period 1962 to 1970 have been revised. Where possible the revised estimates based on the final results of the 1971 Census are shown and if appropriate, revised estimates have been used as a base for birth, marriage, etc., rates. An explanation of the figures used in any particular table is given in the relevant footnotes.

Projected Total population of the United Kingdom. These population projections for the whole of the United Kingdom are based on estimates by the Registrars General of the Total population at mid-1976. The projections have been prepared by the Government Actuary's Department on the basis of the following assumptions, agreed in consultation with the Registrars General.

Mortality: Death rates at the outset are based on recent experience. Over a period of 40 years the rates are assumed to decline on average by about 10 per cent, although the improvement assumed for males and females. and at the different ages, varies considerably. Little or no improvement is assumed in the mortality rates in the middle years of life; at other ages rates are assumed to decline by up to 25 per cent.

Births: The estimates assume 652,000 live births in 1977, 647,000 in 1978, and 652,000 in 1979, followed by a gradual increase of both births and fertility rates until 1987. Thereafter age-specific fertility rates are held constant so that the births fluctuate in line with the numbers of young women, reaching a peak of 915,000 in 1989, then falling to 737,000 in 2004 and rising again to 857,000 in 2016, the last year of the projection. A constant sex ratio of 106 boys (107 in Northern Ireland) to 100 girls has been assumed.

Migration: Allowance has been made for net outward migration of 28,000 in 1977, rising gradually to reach 40,000 a year from 1982 onwards.

Divorce. Figures relate to dissolutions and annulments. Scottish figures relate only to marriages which took place in Scotland.

Births. For Scotland and Northern Ireland the number of births throughout are those registered. For England and Wales the figures up to and including 1930-32 are for those registered and later figures shown are for those occurring in each year.

Life tables. The life tables for 1950-52 and 1960-62 are based on the population at the 1951 and 1961 Censuses respectively and the average number of deaths registered in the three years 1950-52 and 1960-62. The abridged life tables are constructed from the estimated Home population in the three years covered and the total deaths registered in those years.

Deaths. The figures relate to the number of deaths registered during the calendar year, the normal time lag between occurrence and registration being a matter of days only.

TABLE 2.1

Population summary

Thousands

	United Kingdom			England and Wales			Wales	Scotland			Northern Ireland		
	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females
	Home population: census figures												
1801	. .	. .	. .	8,892	4,255	4,638	542	1,608	739	869	. .	. .	. .
1851	22,259	10,855	11,404	17,928	8,781	9,146	1,006	2,889	1,376	1,513	1,442	698	745
1901	38,237	18,492	19,745	32,528	15,729	16,799	2,019	4,472	2,174	2,298	1,237	590	647
1911	42,082	20,357	21,725	36,070	17,446	18,625	2,421	4,761	2,309	2,452	1,251	603	648
1921[1]	44,027	21,033	22,994	37,887	18,075	19,811	2,656	4,882	2,348	2,535	1,258	610	648
1931[1]	46,038	22,060	23,978	39,952	19,133	20,819	2,593	4,843	2,326	2,517	1,243	601	642
1951	50,225	24,118	26,107	43,758	21,016	22,742	2,599	5,096	2,434	2,662	1,371	668	703
1961	52,709	25,481	27,228	46,105	22,304	23,801	2,644	5,179	2,483	2,697	1,425	694	731
1966[2]	53,788	26,044	27,745	47,136	22,841	24,295	2,663	5,168	2,479	2,689	1,485	724	761
1971[3]	55,515	26,952	28,562	48,750	23,683	25,067	2,731	5,229	2,515	2,714	1,536	755	781
	Home population: mid-year estimates[3]												
1951	50,290	24,152	26,138	43,815	21,044	22,771	2,587	5,102	2,439	2,664	1,373	669	704
1952	50,430	24,216	26,214	43,955	21,110	22,845	2,588	5,101	2,437	2,664	1,375	670	705
1953	50,593	24,317	26,276	44,109	21,206	22,903	2,594	5,100	2,436	2,664	1,384	675	709
1954	50,765	24,400	26,364	44,274	21,288	22,986	2,601	5,104	2,436	2,667	1,387	676	711
1955	50,946	24,509	26,436	44,441	21,389	23,052	2,603	5,111	2,441	2,670	1,394	679	715
1956	51,184	24,644	26,540	44,667	21,517	23,150	2,608	5,120	2,446	2,674	1,397	681	716
1957	51,430	24,778	26,653	44,907	21,648	23,259	2,611	5,125	2,448	2,677	1,398	681	717
1958	51,652	24,887	26,765	45,109	21,744	23,365	2,615	5,141	2,459	2,682	1,402	684	719
1959	51,956	25,043	26,913	45,386	21,885	23,501	2,622	5,163	2,472	2,690	1,408	686	722
1960	52,372	25,271	27,102	45,775	22,097	23,678	2,629	5,178	2,482	2,696	1,420	692	728
1961	52,807	25,528	27,279	46,196	22,347	23,849	2,635	5,184	2,485	2,699	1,427	696	732
1962	53,274	25,809	27,465	46,640	22,614	24,026	2,651	5,198	2,495	2,703	1,437	700	737
1963	53,552	25,951	27,602	46,901	22,746	24,155	2,660	5,205	2,500	2,705	1,447	705	741
1964	53,885	26,134	27,751	47,219	22,922	24,297	2,671	5,209	2,501	2,707	1,458	711	747
1965	54,218	26,300	27,918	47,540	23,083	24,457	2,686	5,210	2,501	2,709	1,468	716	752
1966	54,500	26,424	28,076	47,824	23,209	24,615	2,694	5,201	2,496	2,704	1,476	719	757
1967	54,800	26,565	28,235	48,113	23,343	24,770	2,701	5,198	2,496	2,702	1,489	726	763
1968	55,049	26,698	28,351	48,346	23,467	24,879	2,706	5,200	2,498	2,702	1,503	733	770
1969	55,263	26,803	28,460	48,540	23,562	24,978	2,711	5,209	2,503	2,706	1,514	739	776
1970	55,421	26,880	28,542	48,680	23,626	25,054	2,717	5,214	2,507	2,707	1,527	747	781
1971	55,610	27,000	28,610	48,854	23,737	25,117	2,724	5,217	2,507	2,710	1,538	756	782
1972	55,793	27,106	28,687	49,038	23,841	25,198	2,735	5,210	2,503	2,707	1,545	762	782
1973	55,933	27,186	28,748	49,175	23,916	25,259	2,749	5,212	2,504	2,708	1,547	766	781
1974	55,965	27,214	28,750	49,201	23,940	25,261	2,757	5,217	2,508	2,709	1,547	766	781
1975	55,943	27,221	28,722	49,199	23,956	25,243	2,764	5,206	2,504	2,702	1,537	761	777
1976	55,928	27,219	28,709	49,184	23,953	25,231	2,767	5,205	2,504	2,702	1,538	762	777
	Total population: projections (mid-year)												
1976 (base)...	56,002	27,290	28,712	49,247	24,015	25,232	2,733	5,225	2,522	2,703	1,528	752	776
1981	55,697	27,175	28,522	48,977	23,917	25,060	2,790	5,188	2,505	2,683	1,532	753	779
1991	56,712	27,807	28,905	49,844	24,463	25,381	2,893	5,304	2,574	2,730	1,566	771	795
2001	57,535	28,351	29,184	50,557	24,940	25,617	2,979	5,378	2,622	2,756	1,600	789	811
2011	57,706	28,516	29,190	50,707	25,089	25,618	3,039	5,385	2,630	2,755	1,613	796	817

[1] Figures for Northern Ireland are estimated. The population at the census of 1926 was 1,257 thousand (608 thousand males and 649 thousand females. [2] Except for Northern Ireland, where a full census was taken, figures are based on the 10 per cent sample census. [3] The figures for 1962 and later years are revised estimates based on the final results of the 1971 census.

Sources: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys; General Register Office (Scotland); General Register Office (Northern Ireland)

Population changes

TABLE 2.2

Thousands

	Population at beginning of period [1]	Average annual change					
		Total increase or decrease(—)	Births	Deaths [2]	Excess of births over deaths	Net civilian migration	Other adjustments [3]
United Kingdom							
1901-1911	38,237	385	1,091	624	467	–82	
1911-1921	42,082	195	975	689	286	–92	
1921-1931	44,027	201	824	555	268	–67	
1931-1951	46,038	212	794	603	190	+22	
1951-1961	50,290	252	839	593	246	– 7	+13
1961-1971	52,807	280	962	638	324	–32	–12
1971-1976[4]	55,610	64	766	670	96	–45	+13
1976-1981	56,002	–61	657	686	–28	–32	
1981-1991	55,697	102	856	714	142	–40	
1991-2001	56,712	82	840	717	122	–40	
2001-2011	57,535	17	761	704	57	–40	
England and Wales							
1901-1911	32,528	354	929	525	404	–50	
1911-1921	36,070	182	828	584	244	–62	
1921-1931	37,887	207	693	469	224	–17	
1931-1951	39,952	193	673	518	155	+38	
1951-1961	43,815	238	714	516	197	+30	+10
1961-1971	46,196	266	832	560	272	+ 7	–14
1971-1976[4]	48,854	66	664	588	76	–22	+12
1976-1981	49,247	–54	567	603	–36	–18	
1981-1991	48,977	87	741	628	114	–26	
1991-2001	49,844	71	729	632	97	–26	
2001-2011	50,557	15	660	619	41	–26	
Scotland							
1901-1911	4,472	29	131	76	54	–25	
1911-1921	4,761	12	118	82	36	–24	
1921-1931	4,882	–4	100	65	35	–39	
1931-1951	4,843	13	92	67	25	–11	– 1
1951-1961	5,102	8	95	62	34	–28	+ 2
1961-1971	5,184	3	97	63	34	–32	+ 2
1971-1976	5,217	–2	73	64	9	–13	+1
1976-1981	5,225	–7	63	66	–2	– 5	
1981-1991	5,188	12	84	68	17	– 5	
1991-2001	5,303	7	80	68	12	– 5	
2001-2011	5,378	1	73	67	6	– 5	
Northern Ireland							
1901-1911	1,237	1	31	23	8	– 6	
1911-1921	1,251	1	29	22	7	– 6	
1921-1931	1,258	–2	30	21	9	–11	
1931-1951	1,243	6	28	18	10	– 4	
1951-1961	1,373	5	30	15	15	– 9	–
1961-1971	1,427	11	33	16	17	– 7	+ 1
1971-1976	1,538	–	28	17	11	–10	–1
1976-1981	1,528	1	27	17	10	– 9	
1981-1991	1,532	3	30	18	12	– 9	
1991-2001	1,566	3	30	18	12	– 9	
2001-2011	1,600	1	28	17	11	– 9	

[1] Census enumerated population up to 1951; mid-year estimates of Home population from 1951 to 1976 and mid-1976 based projections of Total population thereafter. [2] Including deaths of non-civilians and merchant seamen who died outside the country. These numbered 577,000 in 1911-1921 and 240,000 in 1931-1951 for England and Wales; 74,000 in 1911-1921 and 34,000 in 1931-1951 for Scotland; and 10,000 in 1911-1926 for Northern Ireland. [3] For England and Wales, changes in Armed Forces, in visitor balance and other adjustments. For Scotland, this is an adjustment for changes in the number of Armed Forces overseas. [4] Provisional figures.

Sources: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys; General Register Office (Scotland); General Register Office (Northern Ireland)

Age distribution of the enumerated population of the United Kingdom: census figures

TABLE 2.3

Thousands

	1901	1911	1931 [1]	1951	1961	1971
Persons: all ages	38,237	42,082	46,038	50,225	52,709	55,515
Under 5	4,381	4,516	3,531	4,326	4,213	4,505
Under 18	. .	. .	. .	13,248	14,631	15,705
Under 21	. .	. .	. .	15,162	16,667	17,993
5-14	8,040	8,452	7,643	6,999	8,123	8,882
15-29	10,808	11,180	11,853	10,328	10,258	11,678
30-44	7,493	8,923	9,717	11,125	10,526	9,759
45-64	5,706	6,764	9,877	11,980	13,400	13,384
65-74	1,278	1,624	2,461	3,689	3,971	4,713
75 and over	531	623	957	1,777	2,218	2,594
Under 1	938	915	712	773	893	891
1 and under 2	857	870	699	805	849	878
2-4	2,586	2,731	2,119	2,748	2,471	2,736
5-9	4,106	4,338	3,897	3,689	3,815	4,670
10-14	3,934	4,114	3,746	3,310	4,307	4,213
15-19	3,826	3,919	3,989	3,175	3,695	3,832
20-24	3,674	3,702	4,024	3,393	3,305	4,237
25-29	3,308	3,560	3,841	3,761	3,258	3,610
30-34	2,833	3,320	3,494	3,515	3,403	3,259
35-39	2,494	3,021	3,195	3,786	3,680	3,169
40-44	2,165	2,582	3,028	3,825	3,442	3,331
45-49	1,837	2,227	2,901	3,603	3,658	3,544
50-54	1,566	1,863	2,713	3,209	3,645	3,273
55-59	1,236	1,487	2,365	2,746	3,313	3,360
60-64	1,067	1,187	1,897	2,422	2,783	3,206
65-69	743	949	1,455	2,069	2,236	2,707
70-74	535	675	1,005	1,620	1,736	2,005
75-79	313	372	581	1,049	1,201	1,331
80-84	157	173	263	506	679	790
85 and over	61	78	113	224	338	473
Males: all ages	18,492	20,357	22,060	24,118	25,481	26,952
Under 5	2,190	2,269	1,784	2,215	2,162	2,312
Under 18	. .	. .	. .	6,753	7,491	8,064
Under 21	. .	. .	. .	7,658	8,507	9,223
5-14	4,024	4,228	3,859	3,566	4,159	4,561
15-29	5,191	5,382	5,804	5,073	5,159	5,915
30-44	3,597	4,290	4,495	5,461	5,225	4,909
45-64	2,705	3,225	4,647	5,554	6,397	6,452
65-74	565	716	1,099	1,561	1,602	1,976
75 and over	219	249	372	687	776	828
Under 1	471	462	361	397	459	457
1 and under 2	429	438	353	412	436	451
2-4	1,290	1,369	1,070	1,406	1,266	1,404
5-9	2,052	2,170	1,967	1,885	1,954	2,395
10-14	1,972	2,058	1,892	1,681	2,206	2,166
15-19	1,898	1,948	1,987	1,564	1,870	1,961
20-24	1,737	1,754	1,958	1,648	1,641	2,132
25-29	1,556	1,680	1,860	1,861	1,649	1,822
30-34	1,349	1,587	1,636	1,725	1,706	1,652
35-39	1,200	1,459	1,462	1,856	1,831	1,598
40-44	1,048	1,244	1,397	1,881	1,689	1,659
45-49	886	1,070	1,348	1,764	1,790	1,750
50-54	747	893	1,274	1,495	1,779	1,591
55-59	582	707	1,131	1,234	1,590	1,614
60-64	490	555	894	1,061	1,239	1,497
65-69	332	429	663	885	925	1,196
70-74	233	287	436	675	677	779
75-79	133	153	237	428	441	461
80-84	63	68	98	189	233	244
85 and over	23	28	36	70	102	124

[1] Figures included for Northern Ireland are estimated.

Sources: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys; General Register Office (Scotland); General Register Office (Northern Ireland)

Age distribution of the enumerated population of the United Kingdom: census figures

TABLE **2.3** (*continued*)

Thousands

	1901	1911	1931[1]	1951	1961	1971
Females: all ages	19,745	21,725	23,978	26,107	27,228	28,562
Under 5	2,190	2,247	1,747	2,111	2,051	2,194
Under 18	. .	. .	. .	6,495	7,141	7,641
Under 21	. .	. .	. .	7,504	8,160	8,769
5-14	4,016	4,225	3,784	3,433	3,964	4,321
15-29	5,618	5,798	6,049	5,255	5,100	5,764
30-44	3,895	4,634	5,222	5,663	5,300	4,850
45-64	3,001	3,539	5,229	6,425	7,003	6,931
65-74	713	908	1,361	2,128	2,369	2,737
75 and over	312	374	586	1,091	1,442	1,765
Under 1	466	453	351	376	434	434
1 and under 2	428	432	347	393	413	428
2-4	1,296	1,362	1,050	1,342	1,204	1,332
5-9	2,054	2,169	1,930	1,804	1,862	2,274
10-14	1,962	2,056	1,854	1,629	2,102	2,047
15-19	1,928	1,971	2,002	1,611	1,825	1,872
20-24	1,938	1,948	2,066	1,744	1,664	2,105
25-29	1,752	1,879	1,981	1,900	1,610	1,788
30-34	1,484	1,733	1,858	1,790	1,697	1,607
35-39	1,294	1,563	1,733	1,930	1,850	1,572
40-44	1,117	1,338	1,631	1,943	1,753	1,672
45-49	951	1,156	1,553	1,839	1,869	1,794
50-54	819	971	1,439	1,714	1,866	1,683
55-59	654	780	1,234	1,512	1,723	1,746
60-64	577	632	1,003	1,361	1,544	1,709
65-69	411	519	792	1,183	1,310	1,511
70-74	302	389	569	944	1,059	1,226
75-79	180	219	344	620	761	870
80-84	94	105	165	317	446	546
85 and over	38	50	77	154	235	349

[1] See footnote on page 9.

Sources: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys; General Register Office (Scotland); General Register Office (Northern Ireland)

Age distribution of the enumerated population: census figures

TABLE 2.4

Thousands

	United Kingdom			England and Wales			Scotland			Northern Ireland		
	1951	1961	1971	1951	1961	1971	1951	1961	1971	1951	1961	1971
Persons: all ages	50,225	52,709	55,515	43,758	46,105	48,750	5,096.4	5,179.3	5,229.0	1,370.9	1,425.0	1,536.1
Under 5	4,326	4,213	4,505	3,718	3,597	3,905	470.8	469.2	444.3	137.8	146.5	156.2
Under 18	13,248	14,631	15,705	11,323	12,576	13,574	1,481.4	1,567.5	1,596.7	443.6	487.5	534.9
Under 21	15,162	16,667	17,993	12,965	14,335	15,563	1,688.3	1,780.6	1,822.3	508.6	551.1	606.8
5-14	6,999	8,123	8,882	5,974	6,987	7,671	784.5	869.9	910.5	240.9	265.6	300.8
15-29	10,328	10,258	11,678	8,912	8,925	10,236	1,107.3	1,034.1	1,099.2	308.9	299.2	343.2
30-44	11,125	10,526	9,759	9,767	9,263	8,593	1,083.8	1,000.3	912.7	274.4	262.5	253.4
45-64	11,980	13,400	13,384	10,563	11,836	11,849	1,143.0	1,256.9	1,217.9	273.9	307.3	316.5
65-74	3,689	3,971	4,713	3,257	3,520	4,178	343.6	358.4	426.5	87.9	92.3	108.2
75 and over	1,778	2,218	2,594	1,568	1,976	2,318	163.5	190.5	217.9	47.0	51.6	57.8
Under 1	773	893	891	659	764	774	87.6	97.8	86.0	26.7	30.8	31.1
1 and under 2	805	849	878	689	725	761	89.0	94.3	86.4	27.1	29.8	30.9
2-4	2,748	2,471	2,736	2,370	2,107	2,370	294.2	277.1	271.9	84.1	86.0	94.2
5-9	3,689	3,815	4,670	3,162	3,262	4,044	397.9	420.7	468.4	129.2	132.4	157.1
10-14	3,310	4,307	4,213	2,812	3,725	3,627	386.6	449.1	442.1	111.7	133.2	143.7
15-19	3,175	3,695	3,832	2,704	3,201	3,314	361.9	374.1	392.3	108.5	120.2	126.4
20-24	3,393	3,305	4,237	2,927	2,878	3,731	364.2	333.0	390.4	100.9	93.8	114.9
25-29	3,761	3,258	3,610	3,280	2,846	3,191	381.2	327.0	316.4	99.5	85.2	101.9
30-34	3,515	3,403	3,259	3,079	2,984	2,871	345.0	332.5	300.6	91.2	86.5	86.7
35-39	3,786	3,680	3,169	3,323	3,242	2,786	368.6	347.3	300.8	94.1	90.9	82.4
40-44	3,825	3,442	3,331	3,365	3,037	2,935	370.2	320.5	311.3	89.1	85.1	84.3
45-49	3,603	3,658	3,544	3,172	3,229	3,135	349.6	342.6	322.8	80.8	87.0	86.0
50-54	3,209	3,645	3,273	2,825	3,221	2,897	308.0	342.2	295.8	76.3	82.0	80.0
55-59	2,746	3,313	3,360	2,423	2,928	2,976	260.7	312.5	306.3	62.2	72.5	78.5
60-64	2,422	2,783	3,206	2,143	2,458	2,841	224.7	259.5	293.0	54.5	65.7	72.0
65-69	2,069	2,236	2,707	1,829	1,979	2,400	192.2	204.6	247.2	47.4	52.2	60.3
70-74	1,620	1,736	2,005	1,428	1,542	1,778	151.4	153.9	179.3	40.5	40.1	47.9
75-79	1,049	1,201	1,331	924	1,069	1,185	97.8	105.4	115.2	27.2	27.0	29.9
80-84	506	679	790	446	605	707	45.9	57.9	65.6	13.7	16.2	17.5
85 and over	224	338	473	198	302	425	19.8	27.2	37.2	6.1	8.4	10.4
Males: all ages	24,118	25,481	26,952	21,016	22,304	23,683	2,434.4	2,482.7	2,514.6	667.8	694.2	754.7
Under 5	2,215	2,162	2,312	1,904	1,846	2,003	241.0	240.1	228.5	70.6	75.4	80.3
Under 18	6,753	7,491	8,064	5,774	6,440	6,971	752.9	800.7	818.7	226.4	249.8	275.2
Under 21	7,658	8,507	9,223	6,554	7,320	7,978	844.4	905.6	932.4	259.6	281.2	312.6
5-14	3,566	4,159	4,561	3,045	3,578	3,940	398.2	445.2	466.7	123.0	136.2	154.9
15-29	5,073	5,159	5,915	4,388	4,502	5,184	532.8	507.8	554.4	152.0	148.8	176.0
30-44	5,461	5,225	4,909	4,804	4,612	4,337	523.7	486.5	446.9	133.2	127.1	124.9
45-64	5,554	6,397	6,452	4,902	5,663	5,728	523.7	588.6	573.5	128.3	145.5	151.2
65-74	1,561	1,602	1,976	1,372	1,419	1,755	148.9	143.7	174.5	39.9	40.0	45.9
75 and over	687	776	828	600	684	737	65.8	71.0	70.3	20.8	21.3	21.4
Under 1	397	459	457	338	393	397	45.0	49.9	44.2	13.8	15.9	15.9
1 and under 2	412	436	451	353	372	390	45.6	48.4	44.5	13.9	15.4	15.9
2-4	1,406	1,266	1,404	1,213	1,080	1,215	150.4	141.8	139.8	42.9	44.1	48.5
5-9	1,885	1,954	2,395	1,616	1,671	2,074	202.5	215.1	240.1	66.1	68.1	81.1
10-14	1,681	2,206	2,166	1,429	1,907	1,865	195.7	230.1	226.5	56.9	68.1	73.7
15-19	1,564	1,870	1,961	1,335	1,622	1,696	173.2	187.4	199.4	55.4	60.3	65.1
20-24	1,648	1,641	2,132	1,427	1,434	1,876	172.4	159.4	196.6	48.7	46.9	59.3
25-29	1,861	1,649	1,822	1,626	1,446	1,612	187.2	161.0	158.3	47.9	41.6	51.6
30-34	1,725	1,706	1,652	1,514	1,502	1,460	166.1	162.8	148.1	44.6	41.6	43.5
35-39	1,856	1,831	1,598	1,633	1,616	1,410	177.6	170.5	147.4	45.5	43.9	40.7
40-44	1,881	1,689	1,659	1,658	1,494	1,467	180.0	153.2	151.4	43.0	41.6	40.7
45-49	1,764	1,790	1,750	1,556	1,584	1,552	168.7	163.9	157.0	38.8	42.1	41.7
50-54	1,495	1,779	1,591	1,318	1,575	1,412	141.3	164.3	139.6	36.1	39.6	39.1
55-59	1,234	1,590	1,614	1,089	1,408	1,434	115.8	147.3	143.2	28.9	34.4	37.4
60-64	1,061	1,239	1,497	939	1,096	1,330	97.9	113.2	133.7	24.4	29.4	33.1
65-69	885	925	1,196	781	819	1,063	83.2	83.4	106.6	21.6	23.0	26.4
70-74	675	677	779	591	600	692	65.7	60.2	67.9	18.3	17.0	19.5
75-79	428	441	461	375	389	410	41.6	40.2	39.4	12.4	11.3	11.6
80-84	189	233	244	165	205	217	17.8	21.7	20.5	6.0	6.7	6.4
85 and over	70	102	124	61	90	110	6.4	9.0	10.4	2.4	3.2	3.5

Sources: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys; General Register Office (Scotland); General Register Office (Northern Ireland)

Age distribution of the enumerated population: census figures

TABLE 2.4 *(continued)*

Thousands

	United Kingdom			England and Wales			Scotland			Northern Ireland		
	1951	1961	1971	1951	1961	1971	1951	1961	1971	1951	1961	1971
Females: all ages	26,107	27,228	28,562	22,742	23,801	25,067	2,662.1	2,696.6	2,714.3	703.1	730.8	781.4
Under 5	2,111	2,051	2,194	1,814	1,751	1,902	229.8	229.1	215.8	67.2	71.2	75.9
Under 18	6,495	7,141	7,641	5,550	6,136	6,603	728.4	766.9	778.0	217.2	237.8	259.7
Under 21	7,504	8,160	8,769	6,411	7,015	7,585	844.0	875.0	889.9	249.0	269.9	294.3
5-14	3,433	3,964	4,321	2,929	3,410	3,732	386.1	424.8	443.8	117.9	129.4	145.9
15-29	5,255	5,100	5,764	4,523	4,423	5,052	574.4	526.4	544.8	156.9	150.4	167.2
30-44	5,663	5,300	4,850	4,963	4,651	4,256	559.7	513.8	465.7	141.2	135.4	128.5
45-64	6,425	7,003	6,931	5,660	6,172	6,122	619.2	668.3	644.4	145.6	161.9	165.3
65-74	2,128	2,369	2,737	1,885	2,102	2,423	194.5	214.8	252.0	48.0	52.3	62.2
75 and over	1,091	1,442	1,765	967	1,292	1,581	97.7	119.5	147.7	26.2	30.3	36.4
Under 1	376	434	434	321	371	377	42.6	47.9	41.8	12.9	14.9	15.1
1 and under 2	393	413	428	337	353	371	43.4	45.9	41.9	13.2	14.4	15.0
2-4	1,342	1,204	1,332	1,157	1,027	1,154	143.8	135.3	132.1	41.2	41.9	45.8
5-9	1,804	1,862	2,274	1,546	1,592	1,970	195.3	205.7	228.3	63.1	64.3	76.0
10-14	1,629	2,102	2,047	1,383	1,818	1,762	190.8	219.1	215.5	54.8	65.0	69.9
15-19	1,611	1,825	1,872	1,369	1,579	1,618	188.7	186.7	192.9	53.1	60.0	61.2
20-24	1,744	1,664	2,105	1,500	1,444	1,855	191.7	173.7	193.8	52.2	46.9	55.6
25-29	1,900	1,610	1,788	1,654	1,400	1,579	194.0	166.0	158.1	51.6	43.6	50.3
30-34	1,790	1,697	1,607	1,565	1,483	1,411	178.8	169.7	152.4	46.6	44.9	43.2
35-39	1,930	1,850	1,572	1,691	1,626	1,376	190.8	176.9	153.4	48.6	47.0	41.7
40-44	1,943	1,753	1,672	1,707	1,543	1,468	190.1	167.2	159.9	46.0	43.4	43.6
45-49	1,839	1,869	1,794	1,616	1,645	1,584	180.9	178.8	165.8	42.0	44.9	44.4
50-54	1,714	1,866	1,683	1,507	1,646	1,485	166.6	177.9	156.2	40.3	42.5	41.0
55-59	1,512	1,723	1,746	1,334	1,520	1,542	144.9	165.2	163.1	33.3	38.2	41.1
60-64	1,361	1,544	1,709	1,204	1,362	1,511	126.8	146.4	159.3	30.1	36.3	39.0
65-69	1,183	1,310	1,511	1,049	1,160	1,336	108.9	121.1	140.6	25.8	29.2	33.8
70-74	944	1,059	1,226	837	942	1,086	85.6	93.7	111.4	22.2	23.1	28.4
75-79	620	761	870	549	680	776	56.2	65.2	75.8	14.8	15.7	18.3
80-84	317	446	546	281	401	490	28.0	36.2	45.1	7.7	9.4	11.1
85 and over	154	235	349	137	212	315	13.5	18.2	26.8	3.7	5.2	6.9

Sources: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys; General Register Office (Scotland); General Register Office (Northern Ireland)

Age distribution of the Home population: mid-year estimates

TABLE 2.5

United Kingdom

Thousands

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Persons: all ages	54,500	54,800	55,049	55,263	55,421	55,610	55,793	55,933	55,965	55,943	55,928
Under 5 years	4,790	4,791	4,759	4,696	4,586	4,503	4,405	4,295	4,122	3,952	3,739
Under 18 years	15,219	15,315	15,451	15,576	15,672	. .	. .	. .	. .	15,608	15,432
Under 21 years	17,815	17,963	17,943	17,962	17,992	. .	. .	. .	. .	17,956	17,859
5-14	8,047	8,212	8,407	8,590	8,781	8,908	9,023	9,088	9,128	9,120	9,099
15-29	11,258	11,323	11,401	11,474	11,568	11,714	11,870	11,974	12,054	12,150	12,302
30-44	10,241	10,107	10,012	9,924	9,843	9,751	9,709	9,765	9,824	9,865	9,925
45-64	13,493	13,541	13,525	13,494	13,436	13,390	13,316	13,222	13,120	13,028	12,936
65-74	4,269	4,365	4,454	4,554	4,637	4,736	4,820	4,910	4,988	5,043	5,079
75 and over	2,402	2,461	2,491	2,531	2,570	2,609	2,650	2,681	2,729	2,785	2,848
Under 1 year	962	951	923	918	878	895	848	794	738	708	678
1 and under 2	976	955	950	917	911	874	890	845	790	734	705
2- 4	2,852	2,885	2,886	2,861	2,797	2,734	2,667	2,656	2,593	2,510	2,356
5- 9	4,241	4,358	4,473	4,580	4,671	4,677	4,688	4,653	4,592	4,496	4,446
10-14	3,806	3,854	3,934	4,010	4,110	4,231	4,335	4,435	4,536	4,623	4,653
15-19	4,212	4,009	3,901	3,853	3,829	3,841	3,901	3,962	4,031	4,124	4,236
20-24	3,703	3,971	4,114	4,170	4,218	4,222	4,025	3,929	3,893	3,852	3,871
25-29	3,343	3,343	3,386	3,451	3,521	3,651	3,944	4,083	4,131	4,175	4,195
30-34	3,250	3,243	3,257	3,279	3,285	3,256	3,252	3,319	3,397	3,465	3,588
35-39	3,381	3,346	3,305	3,249	3,203	3,173	3,172	3,198	3,229	3,245	3,209
40-44	3,610	3 518	3,450	3,396	3,355	3,322	3,285	3,248	3,198	3,155	3,127
45-49	3,415	3,535	3,672	3,789	3,635	3,529	3,440	3,376	3,326	3,290	3,256
50-54	3,529	3,426	3,248	3,079	3,174	3,296	3,417	3,563	3,683	3,533	3,426
55-59	3,468	3,460	3,451	3,440	3,427	3,356	3,259	3,088	2,926	3,028	3,146
60-64	3,081	3,120	3,154	3,186	3,200	3,209	3,200	3,195	3,184	3,177	3,108
65-69	2,448	2,513	2,584	2,645	2,684	2,719	2,755	2,786	2,816	2,831	2,838
70-74	1,821	1,852	1,870	1,909	1,953	2,017	2,065	2,124	2,172	2,212	2,241
75-79	1,264	1,285	1,296	1,302	1,318	1,335	1,358	1,376	1,410	1,447	1,494
80-84	739	760	775	799	813	796	803	808	809	823	830
85 and over	399	416	420	430	439	478	489	497	510	516	524
Males: all ages	26,424	26,565	26,698	26,803	26,880	27,000	27,106	27,186	27,214	27,220	27,218
Under 5 years	2,451	2,449	2,428	2,393	2,338	2,310	2,260	2,206	2,119	2,033	1,925
Under 18 years	7,802	7,850	7,918	7,985	8,027	. .	. .	. .	. .	8,013	7,923
Under 21 years	9,110	9,181	9,171	9,185	9,199	. .	. .	. .	. .	9,211	9,163
5-14	4,137	4,223	4,322	4,415	4,506	4,574	4,629	4,663	4,683	4,680	4,669
15-29	5,678	5,708	5,756	5,798	5,851	5,932	6,020	6,074	6,119	6,176	6,262
30-44	5,137	5,076	5,032	4,988	4,948	4,906	4,893	4,924	4,960	4,988	5,017
45-64	6,490	6,510	6,508	6,497	6,472	6,457	6,428	6,388	6,347	6,308	6,270
65-74	1,737	1,789	1,836	1,888	1,933	1,988	2,036	2,086	2,130	2,162	2,182
75 and over	794	810	816	824	832	833	840	844	857	873	893
Under 1 year	492	487	470	468	451	459	436	409	380	364	348
1 and under 2	500	487	485	466	464	449	456	435	407	378	362
2- 4	1,459	1,475	1,473	1,459	1,423	1,402	1,368	1,362	1,332	1,291	1,214
5- 9	2,181	2,237	2,292	2,344	2,385	2,400	2,403	2,386	2,354	2,308	2,282
10-14	1,956	1,986	2,030	2,071	2,121	2,174	2,226	2,277	2,328	2,372	2,387
15-19	2,136	2,032	1,983	1,964	1,955	1,966	1,999	2,030	2,062	2,109	2,168
20-24	1,857	1,992	2,064	2,093	2,120	2,124	2,031	1,986	1,970	1,959	1,978
25-29	1,685	1,684	1,709	1,741	1,776	1,842	1,990	2,058	2,087	2,108	2,116
30-34	1,649	1,645	1,654	1,663	1,664	1,651	1,648	1,680	1,720	1,755	1,816
35-39	1,695	1,682	1,660	1,633	1,613	1,600	1,603	1,618	1,635	1,645	1,624
40-44	1,793	1,749	1,718	1,692	1,671	1,655	1,642	1,626	1,604	1,588	1,577
45-49	1,680	1,737	1,805	1,864	1,790	1,744	1,705	1,676	1,652	1,635	1,618
50-54	1,715	1,663	1,577	1,494	1,542	1,602	1,664	1,738	1,802	1,733	1,685
55-59	1,665	1,660	1,657	1,652	1,645	1,612	1,563	1,480	1,401	1,453	1,511
60-64	1,430	1,450	1,469	1,487	1,495	1,499	1,496	1,494	1,491	1,488	1,457
65-69	1,037	1,079	1,121	1,157	1,180	1,202	1,220	1,236	1,252	1,262	1,266
70-74	700	710	715	731	753	786	816	850	877	900	916
75-79	444	453	456	457	460	462	467	470	482	497	518
80-84	238	242	245	251	256	246	247	248	247	248	247
85 and over	112	115	115	116	116	125	126	126	128	128	129

Sources: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys; General Register Office (Scotland); General Register Office (Northern Ireland)

Age distribution of the Home population: mid-year estimates

TABLE **2.5** *(continued)*

United Kingdom

Thousands

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Females: all ages	28,076	28,235	28,351	28,460	28,542	28,610	28,687	28,748	28,750	28,722	28,709
Under 5 years	2,339	2,342	2,331	2,303	2,248	2,192	2,145	2,089	2,003	1,919	1,814
Under 18 years	7,417	7,465	7,533	7,591	7,645	. .	. .	. .	. .	7,595	7,508
Under 21 years	8,705	8,782	8,772	8,777	8,793	. .	. .	. .	. .	8,745	8,696
5-14	3,910	3,989	4,085	4,175	4,275	4,335	4,392	4,425	4,445	4,440	4,430
15-29	5,580	5,615	5,645	5,676	5,717	5,782	5,850	5,901	5,935	5,974	6,040
30-44	5,104	5,031	4,980	4,936	4,895	4,845	4,816	4,840	4,864	4,876	4,908
45-64	7,003	7,031	7,017	6,997	6,964	6,933	6,890	6,832	6,773	6,720	6,666
65-74	2,532	2,576	2,618	2,666	2,704	2,747	2,784	2,824	2,858	2,882	2,897
75 and over	1,608	1,651	1,675	1,707	1,738	1,777	1,811	1,837	1,872	1,912	1,954
Under 1 year	470	464	453	450	427	436	413	385	359	344	330
1 and under 2	476	468	465	451	447	426	434	410	383	356	343
2- 4	1,393	1,410	1,413	1,402	1,374	1,330	1,298	1,294	1,261	1,219	1,142
5- 9	2,060	2,121	2,181	2,236	2,286	2,278	2,284	2,266	2,238	2,188	2,164
10-14	1,850	1,868	1,904	1,939	1,989	2,057	2,108	2,159	2,207	2,251	2,266
15-19	2,076	1,977	1,918	1,889	1,874	1,875	1,902	1,933	1,968	2,015	2,068
20-24	1,846	1,979	2,050	2,077	2,098	2,097	1,994	1,943	1,922	1,893	1,893
25-29	1,658	1,659	1,677	1,710	1,745	1,810	1,954	2,025	2,044	2,067	2,079
30-34	1,601	1,598	1,603	1,616	1,621	1,605	1,604	1,638	1,676	1,710	1,772
35-39	1,686	1,664	1,645	1,616	1,590	1,573	1,569	1,580	1,594	1,600	1,585
40-44	1,817	1,769	1,732	1,704	1,684	1,667	1,643	1,622	1,594	1,566	1,550
45-49	1,735	1,798	1,867	1,925	1,845	1,785	1,736	1,700	1,674	1,655	1,637
50-54	1,814	1,763	1,671	1,585	1,632	1,694	1,754	1,825	1,881	1,800	1,741
55-59	1,803	1,800	1,794	1,788	1,782	1,744	1,696	1,607	1,525	1,575	1,635
60-64	1,651	1,670	1,685	1,699	1,705	1,710	1,704	1,700	1,694	1,690	1,652
65-69	1,411	1,434	1,463	1,488	1,504	1,517	1,535	1,550	1,564	1,569	1,573
70-74	1,121	1,142	1,155	1,178	1,200	1,230	1,249	1,274	1,295	1,313	1,324
75-79	820	832	840	845	858	874	892	906	928	950	976
80-84	501	518	530	548	557	550	556	560	562	574	584
85 and over	287	301	305	314	323	353	363	371	382	387	395

Sources: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys; General Register Office (Scotland); General Register Office (Northern Ireland)

Age distribution of the Home population: mid-year estimates

TABLE 2.6

1976

Thousands

	United Kingdom			England and Wales			Scotland [1]			Northern Ireland		
	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females
All ages	55,927.6	27,218.5	28,709.1	49,184.4	23,953.3	25,231.1	5,205.1	2,503.6	2,701.5	1,538.1	761.6	776.5
Under 5	3,738.9	1,924.8	1,814.1	3,246.9	1,671.2	1,575.7	357.7	183.8	173.9	134.3	69.8	64.5
Under 18	15,431.7	7,923.3	7,508.3	13,387.1	6,872.6	6,514.5	1,519.5	779.1	740.3	525.1	271.6	253.5
Under 21	17,859.4	9,163.1	8,696.3	15,489.7	7,945.7	7,544.0	1,765.1	904.0	861.1	604.6	313.4	291.2
5–14	9,099.2	4,669.1	4,430.1	7,897.4	4,051.6	3,845.8	897.1	460.3	436.8	304.7	157.2	147.5
15–29	12,301.5	6,261.7	6,039.8	10,761.4	5,476.3	5,285.1	1,182.2	597.9	584.3	357.9	187.5	170.4
30–44	9,924.9	5,017.0	4,907.9	8,764.2	4,440.9	4,323.3	899.3	444.6	454.7	261.4	131.5	129.9
45–64	12,936.0	6,270.5	6,665.6	11,457.7	5,570.9	5,886.8	1,170.6	552.5	618.2	307.7	147.1	160.6
65–74	5,079.2	2,182.1	2,897.1	4,510.5	1,944.1	2,566.4	456.6	190.4	266.2	112.1	47.6	64.5
75 and over . .	2,847.9	893.4	1,954.4	2,546.3	798.3	1,748.0	241.6	74.2	167.3	60.0	20.9	39.1
0	677.9	348.4	329.5	585.3	300.7	284.6	66.7	34.3	32.4	25.9	13.4	12.5
1	705.0	362.4	342.6	612.1	314.8	297.3	67.7	34.6	33.1	25.2	13.0	12.2
2	732.3	376.7	355.5	636.3	327.2	309.1	69.2	35.6	33.5	26.8	13.9	12.9
3	785.7	405.0	380.7	683.9	352.3	331.6	74.0	38.1	35.9	27.8	14.6	13.2
4	838.0	432.2	405.8	729.3	376.2	353.1	80.1	41.1	39.0	28.6	14.9	13.7
5	881.1	451.7	429.4	768.2	393.8	374.4	83.9	43.0	40.9	29.0	14.9	14.1
6	861.1	443.2	417.8	747.0	384.5	362.5	84.4	43.4	40.9	29.7	15.3	14.4
7	893.7	458.4	435.2	776.0	397.9	378.1	87.6	45.1	42.4	30.1	15.4	14.7
8	888.0	456.0	432.0	769.5	395.2	374.3	88.1	45.1	43.0	30.4	15.7	14.7
9	922.3	473.1	449.2	800.3	410.2	390.1	91.2	47.0	44.2	30.8	15.9	14.9
10	923.7	474.0	449.7	802.6	411.6	391.0	90.0	46.2	43.8	31.1	16.2	14.9
11	946.8	485.5	461.3	821.2	421.0	400.2	93.7	48.0	45.7	31.9	16.5	15.4
12	946.5	485.4	461.1	821.3	421.3	400.0	93.8	47.9	45.9	31.4	16.2	15.2
13	925.8	474.5	451.3	802.7	411.4	391.3	92.6	47.3	45.3	30.5	15.8	14.7
14	910.3	467.2	443.1	788.6	404.7	383.9	91.9	47.2	44.7	29.8	15.3	14.5
15	890.7	457.7	433.0	770.7	396.1	374.6	90.4	46.4	44.0	29.6	15.2	14.4
16	857.4	440.1	417.3	740.9	380.4	360.5	87.8	44.8	43.0	28.7	14.9	13.8
17	845.3	431.6	413.7	731.2	373.3	357.9	86.3	43.8	42.5	27.8	14.5	13.3
18	833.5	425.7	407.7	721.5	368.4	353.1	84.6	43.0	41.5	27.4	14.3	13.1
19	808.7	412.8	395.9	701.2	357.8	343.4	81.2	41.3	39.9	26.3	13.7	12.6
20	785.6	401.3	384.3	679.9	346.9	333.0	79.9	40.6	39.3	25.8	13.8	12.0
Under 1	677.9	348.4	329.5	585.3	300.7	284.6	66.7	34.3	32.4	25.9	13.4	12.5
1 and under 2	705.0	362.4	342.6	612.1	314.8	297.3	67.7	34.6	33.1	25.2	13.0	12.2
2–4	2,356.0	1,213.9	1,142.0	2,049.5	1,055.7	993.8	223.3	114.8	108.4	83.2	43.4	39.8
5–9	4,446.2	2,282.4	2,163.7	3,861.0	1,981.6	1,879.4	435.2	223.6	211.5	150.0	77.2	72.8
10–14	4,653.1	2,386.7	2,266.4	4,036.4	2,070.0	1,966.4	462.0	236.7	225.3	154.7	80.0	74.7
15–19	4,235.7	2,168.0	2,067.7	3,665.5	1,876.0	1,789.5	430.4	219.4	211.0	139.8	72.6	67.2
20–24	3,871.0	1,978.2	1,892.8	3,380.4	1,727.8	1,652.6	375.2	189.1	186.1	115.4	61.3	54.1
25–29	4,194.8	2,115.5	2,079.4	3,715.5	1,872.5	1,843.0	376.6	189.4	187.3	102.7	53.6	49.1
30–34	3,588.3	1,816.1	1,772.2	3,178.3	1,609.4	1,568.9	312.4	156.7	155.7	97.6	50.0	47.6
35–39	3,209.2	1,624.0	1,585.3	2,831.2	1,437.1	1,394.1	294.1	144.6	149.6	83.9	42.3	41.6
40–44	3,127.4	1,576.9	1,550.5	2,754.7	1,394.4	1,360.3	292.8	143.3	149.5	79.9	39.2	40.7
45–49	3,255.8	1,618.5	1,637.3	2,873.0	1,433.4	1,439.6	301.9	146.3	155.6	80.9	38.8	42.1
50–54	3,426.1	1,684.7	1,741.4	3,036.3	1,496.8	1,539.5	309.0	149.0	160.0	80.8	38.9	41.9
55–59	3,145.7	1,510.7	1,635.0	2,790.2	1,343.8	1,446.4	280.7	130.5	150.2	74.8	36.4	38.4
60–64	3,108.4	1,456.6	1,651.9	2,758.2	1,296.9	1,461.3	279.0	126.7	152.4	71.2	33.0	38.2
65–69	2,838.5	1,265.7	1,572.8	2,519.4	1,127.0	1,392.4	256.1	111.1	145.0	63.0	27.6	35.4
70–74	2,240.6	916.3	1,324.3	1,991.1	817.1	1,174.0	200.4	79.2	121.2	49.1	20.0	29.1
75–79	1,493.5	517.8	975.7	1,328.7	461.4	867.3	130.7	43.7	87.0	34.1	12.7	21.4
80–84	830.5	246.7	583.7	743.8	220.9	522.9	69.8	20.1	49.6	16.9	5.7	11.2
85 and over . .	524.0	128.9	395.1	473.8	116.0	357.8	41.2	10.4	30.8	9.0	2.5	6.5

[1] Data has been rounded individually and may not sum exactly.

Sources: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys; General Register Office (Scotland); General Register Office (Northern Ireland)

TABLE 2.7 **Age distribution of the Total population of the United Kingdom[1] : mid-year estimates** Thousands

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Persons: all ages	54,653	54,933	55,157	55,372	55,522	55,712	55,882	56,021	56,053	56,023	56,001
Under 5	4,790	4,791	4,759	4,696	4,586	4,503	4,405	4,295	4,122	3,952	3,739
Under 18	15,220	15,316	15,451	15,577	15,678	..	..	15,811	..	..	15,437
Under 21	17,849	17,995	17,969	17,985	18,011	..	..	18,146	..	..	17,881
5-14	8,047	8,212	8,407	8,590	8,781	8,908	9,023	9,088	9,128	9,120	9,099
15-29	11,369	11,418	11,477	11,553	11,640	11,786	11,935	12,038	12,114	12,206	12,351
30-44	10,277	10,139	10,039	9,950	9,867	9,775	9,729	9,785	9,847	9,885	9,945
45-64	13,499	13,547	13,530	13,498	13,441	13,393	13,321	13,225	13,125	13,032	12,940
65-74	4,269	4,365	4,454	4,554	4,637	4,736	4,820	4,910	4,988	5,043	5,079
75 and over	2,402	2,461	2,491	2,531	2,570	2,609	2,650	2,681	2,729	2,785	2,848
Under 1	962	951	923	918	878	895	848	794	738	708	678
1 and under 2	976	955	950	917	911	874	890	845	790	734	705
2- 4	2,852	2,885	2,886	2,861	2,797	2,734	2,667	2,656	2,593	2,510	2,356
5- 9	4,241	4,358	4,473	4,580	4,671	4,677	4,688	4,653	4,592	4,496	4,446
10-14	3,806	3,854	3,934	4,010	4,110	4,231	4,335	4,435	4,536	4,623	4,653
15-19	4,235	4,028	3,914	3,867	3,846	3,860	3,921	3,982	4,048	4,142	4,252
20-24	3,760	4,021	4,156	4,213	4,252	4,255	4,052	3,954	3,916	3,873	3,889
25-29	3,374	3,369	3,407	3,473	3,542	3,671	3,962	4,102	4,150	4,191	4,210
30-34	3,266	3,258	3,268	3,291	3,296	3,267	3,261	3,328	3,407	3,474	3,598
35-39	3,394	3,357	3,315	3,258	3,211	3,182	3,179	3,205	3,238	3,252	3,217
40-44	3,617	3,524	3,456	3,401	3,360	3,326	3,289	3,252	3,203	3,158	3,131
45-49	3,419	3,538	3,674	3,792	3,638	3,531	3,443	3,378	3,329	3,292	3,258
50-54	3,531	3,428	3,250	3,080	3,175	3,297	3,419	3,564	3,685	3,534	3,427
55-59	3,468	3,461	3,452	3,440	3,428	3,356	3,259	3,088	2,927	3,028	3,146
60-64	3,081	3,120	3,154	3,186	3,200	3,209	3,200	3,195	3,185	3,178	3,109
65-69	2,448	2,513	2,584	2,645	2,684	2,719	2,755	2,786	2,816	2,831	2,838
70-74	1,821	1,852	1,870	1,909	1,953	2,017	2,065	2,124	2,172	2,212	2,241
75-79	1,264	1,285	1,296	1,302	1,318	1,335	1,358	1,376	1,410	1,447	1,494
80-84	739	760	775	799	813	796	803	808	809	823	830
85 and over	399	416	420	430	439	478	489	497	510	516	524
Males: all ages	26,574	26,695	26,803	26,910	26,978	27,099	27,192	27,271	27,300	27,298	27,290
Under 5	2,451	2,449	2,428	2,393	2,338	2,310	2,260	2,206	2,119	2,033	1,925
Under 18	7,803	7,851	7,918	7,986	8,033	..	..	8,117	..	..	7,929
Under 21	9,143	9,212	9,196	9,207	9,217	..	..	9,317	..	..	9,183
5-14	4,137	4,223	4,322	4,415	4,506	4,574	4,629	4,663	4,683	4,680	4,669
15-29	5.787	5,802	5,830	5,875	5,920	6.002	6.081	6,135	6,177	6,230	6,309
30-44	5,172	5,106	5,058	5,014	4,972	4,930	4,912	4,945	4,983	5,008	5,037
45-64	6,496	6,516	6,513	6,501	6,477	6,461	6,432	6,393	6,352	6,312	6,274
65-74	1,737	1,789	1,836	1,888	1,933	1,988	2,036	2,086	2,130	2,162	2,182
75 and over	794	810	816	824	832	833	840	844	857	873	893
Under 1	492	487	470	468	451	459	436	409	380	364	348
1 and under 2	500	487	485	466	464	449	456	435	407	378	362
2- 4	1,459	1,475	1,473	1,459	1,423	1,402	1,368	1,362	1,332	1,291	1,214
5- 9	2,181	2,237	2,292	2,344	2,385	2,400	2,403	2,386	2,354	2,308	2,282
10-14	1,956	1,986	2,030	2,071	2,121	2,174	2,226	2,277	2,328	2,372	2,387
15-19	2,158	2,051	1,996	1,978	1,971	1,984	2,018	2,048	2,079	2,126	2,184
20-24	1,913	2,041	2,105	2,135	2,153	2,156	2,056	2,010	1,992	1,979	1,995
25-29	1,716	1,710	1,729	1,762	1,796	1,862	2,007	2,077	2,106	2,124	2,130
30-34	1,665	1,659	1,665	1,675	1,675	1,661	1,656	1,690	1,730	1,764	1,825
35-39	1,708	1,692	1,670	1,642	1,621	1,609	1,610	1,625	1,644	1,652	1,631
40-44	1,799	1,755	1,723	1,697	1,676	1,660	1,646	1,630	1,609	1,592	1,580
45-49	1,684	1,740	1,807	1,867	1,793	1,746	1,707	1,678	1,655	1,637	1,621
50-54	1,717	1,665	1,579	1,495	1,543	1,604	1,665	1,739	1,804	1,734	1,686
55-59	1,665	1,661	1,658	1,652	1,646	1,612	1,564	1,481	1,402	1,454	1,511
60-64	1,430	1,450	1,469	1,487	1,495	1,499	1,496	1,495	1,491	1,488	1,457
65-69	1,037	1,079	1,121	1,157	1,180	1,202	1,220	1,236	1,252	1,262	1,266
70-74	700	710	715	731	753	786	816	850	877	900	916
75-79	444	453	456	457	460	462	467	470	482	497	518
80-84	238	242	245	251	256	246	247	248	247	248	247
85 and over	112	115	115	116	116	125	126	126	128	128	129

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[1] For definition of Total population, see introductory note on page 6.

Sources: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys; General Register Office (Scotland); General Register Office (Northern Ireland)

Age distribution of the Total population of the United Kingdom[1] : mid-year estimates

TABLE **2.7** *(continued)*

Thousands

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Females: all ages	28,079	28,238	28,354	28,462	28,544	28,613	28,690	28,750	28,753	28,725	28,712
Under 5	2,339	2,342	2,331	2,303	2,248	2,192	2,145	2,089	2,003	1,919	1,814
Under 18	7,417	7,465	7,533	7,591	7,645	. .	. .	7,694	. .	. .	7,508
Under 21	8,706	8,783	8,773	8,778	8,794	. .	. .	8,829	. .	. .	8,698
5-14	3,910	3,989	4,085	4,175	4,275	4,335	4,392	4,425	4,445	4,440	4,430
15-29	5,582	5,616	5,647	5,678	5,720	5,785	5,852	5,903	5,937	5,977	6,042
30-44	5,105	5,033	4,981	4,936	4,895	4,846	4,816	4,840	4,864	4,876	4,908
45-64	7,003	7,031	7,017	6,997	6,964	6,933	6,890	6,832	6,773	6,720	6,666
65-74	2,532	2,576	2,618	2,666	2,704	2,747	2,784	2,824	2,858	2,882	2,897
75 and over	1,608	1,651	1,675	1,707	1,738	1,777	1,811	1,837	1,872	1,912	1,954
Under 1	470	464	453	450	427	436	413	385	359	344	330
1 and under 2	476	468	465	451	447	426	434	410	383	356	343
2- 4	1,393	1,410	1,413	1,402	1,374	1,330	1,298	1,294	1,261	1,219	1,142
5- 9	2,060	2,121	2,181	2,236	2,286	2,278	2,284	2,266	2,238	2,188	2,164
10-14	1,850	1,868	1,904	1,939	1,989	2,057	2,108	2,159	2,207	2,251	2,266
15-19	2,077	1,977	1,918	1,889	1,875	1,876	1,903	1,934	1,970	2,016	2,068
20-24	1,847	1,980	2,051	2,078	2,099	2,099	1,995	1,944	1,924	1,894	1,894
25-29	1,658	1,659	1,678	1,711	1,746	1,810	1,954	2,025	2,044	2,067	2,080
30-34	1,601	1,599	1,603	1,616	1,621	1,606	1,604	1,638	1,676	1,710	1,772
35-39	1,686	1,665	1,645	1,616	1,590	1,573	1,569	1,580	1,594	1,600	1,585
40-44	1,818	1,769	1,733	1,704	1,684	1,667	1,643	1,622	1,594	1,566	1,550
45-49	1,735	1,798	1,867	1,925	1,845	1,785	1,736	1,700	1,674	1,655	1,637
50-54	1,814	1,763	1,671	1,585	1,632	1,694	1,754	1,825	1,881	1,800	1,741
55-59	1,803	1,800	1,794	1,788	1,782	1,744	1,696	1,607	1,525	1,575	1,635
60-64	1,651	1,670	1,685	1,699	1,705	1,710	1,704	1,700	1,694	1,690	1,652
65-69	1,411	1,434	1,463	1,488	1,504	1,517	1,535	1,550	1,564	1,569	1,573
70-74	1,121	1,142	1,155	1,178	1,200	1,230	1,249	1,274	1,295	1,313	1,324
75-79	820	832	840	845	858	874	892	906	928	950	976
80-84	501	518	530	548	557	550	556	560	562	574	584
85 and over	287	301	305	314	323	353	363	371	382	387	395

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TABLE 2.8

Marital condition: census figures

Thousands

		United Kingdom						England and Wales					
		Males			Females			Males			Females		
		1951	1961	1971	1951	1961	1971	1951	1961	1971	1951	1961	1971
All ages:	Single	10,811	11,340	12,014	10,846	10,829	11,055	9,202	9,738	10,399	9,201	9,242	9,513
	Married	12,358	13,279	13,976	12,488	13,355	14,050	10,995	11,813	12,433	11,092	11,860	12,488
	Widowed	944	760	762	2,769	2,860	3,139	739	658	666	2,319	2,528	2,773
	Divorced		102	200		185	318	79	94	185	130	170	293
Age groups 0-14:	Single	5,781	6,321	6,873	5,544	6,015	6,515	4,949	5,424	5,942	4,743	5,160	5,633
15-19:	Single	1,556	1,850	1,921	1,542	1,709	1,713	1,329	1,605	1,661	1,309	1,475	1,477
	Married	8	20	40	68	116	159	7	17	35	60	104	140
	Widowed	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Divorced	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20-24:	Single	1,267	1,139	1,350	929	719	848	1,088	990	1,186	777	607	737
	Married	379	501	779	811	941	1,244	338	444	687	720	834	1,107
	Widowed	1	—	—	4	2	2	1	—	—	2	1	2
	Divorced		1	3		2	10	—	1	3	2	2	9
25-34:	Single	1,015	799	703	710	461	374	854	688	617	587	382	320
	Married	2,541	2,537	2,727	2,906	2,808	2,940	2,260	2,243	2,414	2,567	2,466	2,597
	Widowed	29	4	4	73	15	14	9	4	3	31	13	12
	Divorced		14	41		24	67	17	13	38	34	22	61
35-44:	Single	475	439	363	557	371	247	396	374	315	467	308	206
	Married	3,195	3,032	2,828	3,153	3,104	2,868	2,836	2,692	2,502	2,788	2,748	2,525
	Widowed	66	19	15	163	74	57	28	17	13	99	63	48
	Divorced		29	51		53	72	30	27	47	44	49	66
45-54:	Single	321	346	325	561	447	298	266	291	278	471	375	248
	Married	2,836	3,126	2,913	2,668	2,973	2,885	2,521	2,783	2,593	2,371	2,642	2,565
	Widowed	102	63	53	323	258	218	68	54	46	250	221	187
	Divorced		33	50		57	75	20	31	46	31	53	69
55-59:	Single	103	145	140	245	251	177	84	120	118	207	210	148
	Married	1,060	1,373	1,397	998	1,201	1,290	945	1,225	1,248	891	1,074	1,151
	Widowed	70	60	56	269	251	246	55	52	48	227	217	213
	Divorced		12	21		20	33	5	11	20	8	19	30
60-64:	Single	91	106	125	222	234	207	74	87	105	187	196	173
	Married	872	1,042	1,268	771	926	1,095	780	931	1,135	692	830	982
	Widowed	98	84	87	368	370	380	82	72	75	319	323	330
	Divorced		7	16		14	27	3	7	15	6	13	25
65-74:	Single	143	130	158	347	381	392	116	106	130	293	322	328
	Married	1,125	1,232	1,550	898	1,015	1,242	1,005	1,105	1,391	808	917	1,122
	Widowed	292	235	253	881	961	1,075	248	203	220	779	852	948
	Divorced		5	15		12	27	3	5	14	5	11	26
75 and over:	Single	58	66	58	188	241	285	47	53	47	160	206	243
	Married	343	415	474	216	269	326	305	373	428	195	246	298
	Widowed	286	294	294	687	929	1,148	248	257	259	612	837	1,034
	Divorced		1	3		2	7	1	1	2	1	2	6

Sources: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys; General Register Office (Scotland); General Register Office (Northern Ireland)

TABLE 2.8 (*continued*)

Marital condition: census figures

Thousands

	Scotland						Northern Ireland					
	Males			Females			Males			Females		
	1951	1961	1971	1951	1961	1971	1951	1961	1971	1951	1961	1971
All ages												
Single	1,217.0	1,206.0	1,197.6	1,263.0	1,205.9	1,153.8	393.1	396.0	417.5	382.7	381.1	388.0
Married	1,114.6	1,187.7	1,225.9	1,138.0	1,209.2	1,241.8	251.2	278.0	317.6	260.3	284.9	320.4
Widowed	96.7	82.4	78.0	250.8	268.0	295.2	23.5	19.7	18.5	60.2	63.6	70.4
Divorced	5.6	6.6	13.2	9.8	13.5	23.6		0.5	1.1		1.2	2.0
Age-groups												
0-14: Single	639.1	685.3	695.1	616.0	653.8	659.7	193.6	211.6	235.2	185.1	200.6	221.8
15-19: Single	172.5	185.2	194.8	182.0	175.9	177.6	55.3	59.9	64.3	51.8	58.0	58.2
Married	0.7	2.2	4.6	6.6	10.8	15.2	0.2	0.4	0.9	1.2	2.0	3.0
Widowed	–	–	–	– –	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Divorced	–	–	–			–	–	–	–	–		–
20-24: Single	138.0	112.2	121.2	115.5	83.6	81.5	42.4	37.0	42.3	37.0	28.7	29.7
Married	34.3	47.1	75.0	75.8	89.6	111.2	6.3	9.8	17.0	15.2	18.1	25.9
Widowed	0.1	–	–	0.2	0.2	0.2	–	–	–	0.1	–	–
Divorced	–	–	0.4	0.2	0.2	1.0		–	–		–	
25-34: Single	118.3	80.4	60.7	90.3	56.0	37.0	42.8	30.6	25.0	33.4	22.9	16.2
Married	232.4	242.1	242.6	275.7	276.1	266.8	49.4	52.4	69.8	63.6	65.1	76.5
Widowed	1.5	0.5	0.4	4.1	1.8	1.6	0.4	0.1	0.1	1.2	0.4	0.4
Divorced	1.2	0.9	2.8	2.7	1.8	5.2		0.1	0.2		0.1	0.4
35-44: Single	56.7	46.4	34.9	68.1	46.1	29.6	21.9	18.7	13.5	22.1	16.5	11.3
Married	294.4	273.2	259.0	296.8	284.9	271.3	65.4	66.1	67.2	69.3	71.4	71.8
Widowed	4.5	2.3	1.6	13.1	8.9	6.8	1.2	0.5	0.4	3.3	2.2	1.7
Divorced	2.1	1.8	3.3	3.0	4.3	5.6		0.2	0.3		0.4	0.5
45-54: Single	40.4	40.2	33.7	70.6	55.1	37.3	15.0	15.0	13.6	19.4	17.2	13.2
Married	258.3	278.3	253.8	242.1	268.1	254.4	57.5	64.8	65.4	55.0	62.9	65.3
Widowed	9.9	7.5	5.9	32.5	29.7	24.6	2.5	1.7	1.4	7.8	7.0	6.2
Divorced	1.4	2.2	3.2	2.3	3.8	5.7		0.2	0.3		0.3	0.6
55-59: Single	13.4	17.9	15.7	30.0	31.8	22.0	5.5	6.2	6.2	7.9	8.7	7.2
Married	94.1	121.4	119.9	87.0	104.5	111.9	21.7	26.5	29.6	19.5	23.3	27.1
Widowed	7.9	7.2	6.4	27.2	27.6	27.1	1.8	1.5	1.5	5.9	6.1	6.5
Divorced	0.4	0.8	1.3	0.7	1.4	2.2		0.1	0.1		0.1	0.2
60-64: Single	11.8	13.5	14.7	26.7	29.7	26.0	4.7	5.3	5.6	7.5	8.6	7.9
Married	75.2	89.6	108.2	64.6	77.5	91.6	17.3	21.8	25.3	14.7	18.5	21.4
Widowed	10.7	9.6	9.7	35.0	38.3	39.9	2.4	2.3	2.1	7.9	9.1	9.4
Divorced	0.3	0.5	1.0	0.5	1.0	1.8		–	0.1		0.1	0.2
65-74: Single	19.4	16.4	19.5	42.1	46.3	49.8	8.2	7.7	8.2	12.0	12.7	14.4
Married	96.5	101.3	127.6	73.2	79.2	97.4	24.3	26.3	31.7	17.2	19.0	23.4
Widowed	32.8	25.6	26.4	78.9	88.4	103.2	7.4	6.0	6.0	18.8	20.6	24.2
Divorced	0.2	0.4	1.0	0.4	0.9	1.7		–	0.1		0.1	0.2
75 and over: Single	7.5	8.7	7.2	21.7	27.5	33.3	3.7	3.9	3.7	6.5	7.4	8.6
Married	28.7	32.6	35.3	16.2	18.5	22.2	9.2	9.8	10.7	4.6	4.7	5.9
Widowed	29.5	29.6	27.5	59.7	73.3	91.8	7.9	7.5	7.0	15.2	18.3	21.9
Divorced	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.4		–	–		–	–

Sources: General Register Office (Scotland); General Register Office (Northern Ireland)

Marital condition of the Total population [1] : mid-year estimates

TABLE **2.9**

Thousands

	England and Wales						Scotland					
	Males			Females			Males			Females		
	1974	1975	1976[2]	1974	1975	1976[2]	1974	1975	1976	1974	1975	1976
All ages												
Single	10,473.3	10,472.5	10,470.5	9,468.7	9,406.0	9,354.9	1,186.2	1,777.5	1,173.9	1,122.5	1,110.9	1,104.8
Married	12,572.8	12,542.8	12,494.6	12,532.8	12,516.8	12,492.0	1,248.4	1,245.3	1,243.6	1,262.4	1,261.1	1,260.5
Widowed ...	670.8	672.5	673.7	2,831.4	2,847.3	2,861.8	75.4	75.4	75.3	293.5	295.7	297.6
Divorced ...	296.5	334.7	375.8	429.4	474.7	523.7	21.7	25.7	29.6	31.6	35.8	39.9
Age groups:												
0–14:												
Single	5,898.9	5,825.9	5,722.8	5,593.8	5,520.3	5,421.5	669.2	657.1	644.1	635.5	623.0	610.8
15–19:												
Single	1,760.7	1,806.8	1,860.9	1,566.8	1,606.3	1,664.4	210.1	213.4	217.1	188.1	191.3	195.6
Married	34.6	31.4	28.9	133.1	135.7	125.3	5.4	5.4	5.3	16.7	16.3	15.6
Widowed ...	–	–	–	0.1	0.1	0.1	–	–	–	–	–	–
Divorced ...	–	–	–	–	0.1	0.1	–	–	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2
20–24:												
Single	1,130.0	1,143.6	1,177.6	703.7	694.7	703.8	119.5	119.7	124.5	80.1	81.2	85.0
Married	609.0	583.4	560.0	969.4	949.7	936.0	70.2	68.3	66.9	100.9	99.0	97.7
Widowed ...	0.3	0.3	0.3	1.6	1.5	1.6	–	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2
Divorced ...	5.0	5.8	6.5	11.9	11.8	11.8	1.6	2.0	2.3	2.5	3.1	3.7
25–34:												
Single......	699.9	715.8	735.1	349.9	361.2	373.3	69.1	70.8	73.7	40.7	42.2	44.9
Married	2,619.0	2,636.5	2,660.7	2,824.0	2,850.0	2,889.6	263.8	264.9	267.5	281.2	282.8	285.3
Widowed ...	3.6	3.6	3.8	11.1	11.0	11.3	0.4	0.5	0.5	1.6	1.7	1.6
Divorced ...	75.5	88.0	102.6	107.7	122.3	137.9	6.6	8.5	10.3	8.0	9.7	11.3
35–44:												
Single	293.8	288.1	280.5	180.3	172.5	165.1	31.6	30.7	30.1	24.8	23.4	22.3
Married	2,491.6	2,480.7	2,446.5	2,474.3	2,452.5	2,419.4	256.8	254.3	251.8	265.7	263.1	261.0
Widowed ...	11.4	11.1	10.5	43.6	42.1	40.6	1.7	1.7	1.6	6.3	6.2	6.1
Divorced ...	79.2	90.4	102.5	101.4	114.7	129.4	5.4	6.5	7.5	7.6	8.8	9.7
45–54:												
Single	290.3	285.6	282.0	232.1	220.2	209.2	33.5	32.4	31.5	34.7	33.0	31.6
Married	2,663.9	2,584.1	2,523.2	2,625.6	2,549.6	2,490.1	262.8	257.0	253.8	261.9	256.8	253.5
Widowed ...	47.9	46.1	44.5	189.6	181.0	173.3	6.4	6.2	6.2	24.9	24.2	23.6
Divorced ...	69.1	75.5	82.5	93.8	99.3	106.5	4.4	4.8	5.4	6.4	6.6	7.0
55–59:												
Single	103.5	106.4	109.9	117.4	115.7	115.0	12.9	13.0	13.3	16.9	16.7	16.7
Married	1,073.2	1,114.5	1,158.7	1,005.2	1,049.6	1,096.7	103.6	106.8	110.3	99.6	102.9	106.6
Widowed ...	42.7	43.1	44.4	187.8	187.5	191.3	5.5	5.6	5.7	23.8	23.9	24.2
Divorced ...	24.1	27.3	30.9	34.2	38.5	43.4	1.3	1.4	1.6	2.3	2.5	2.7
60–64:												
Single	104.4	104.6	102.4	150.1	143.3	135.7	13.6	13.3	12.9	21.6	20.7	19.4
Married	1,127.7	1,123.5	1,099.3	988.3	990.1	970.8	107.4	106.8	103.5	95.0	95.1	92.6
Widowed ...	73.2	72.8	71.5	324.7	323.8	316.8	9.5	9.5	9.4	38.8	38.8	38.3
Divorced ...	20.6	22.4	23.7	33.9	36.6	38.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.9	2.1	2.2
65–74:												
Single	142.2	144.3	145.0	323.4	318.2	311.0	19.9	20.0	19.7	46.4	45.5	44.3
Married	1,504.4	1,528.9	1,545.5	1,195.9	1,215.2	1,232.2	139.2	141.1	142.6	111.6	113.4	114.9
Widowed ...	229.3	230.1	229.9	973.7	976.9	976.7	26.6	26.8	26.8	103.1	103.8	104.6
Divorced ...	20.0	22.0	23.7	38.2	42.4	46.5	1.1	1.1	1.2	2.1	2.3	2.5
75 and over:												
Single	49.6	51.4	54.3	251.2	253.6	255.9	6.8	6.8	7.0	33.8	34.0	34.3
Married	449.4	459.8	471.8	317.0	324.4	331.9	39.3	40.7	41.9	29.8	31.6	33.4
Widowed ...	262.4	265.4	268.8	1,099.2	1,123.4	1,150.1	25.2	25.2	25.1	94.8	97.0	99.0
Divorced ...	3.0	3.3	3.4	8.3	9.0	10.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.5	0.5	0.6

[1] For definition of Total population see introductory note on page 6. [2] Provisional.

Source: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys; General Register Office (Scotland)

Projected Total population at mid-year [1]

TABLE 2.10

United Kingdom

Thousands

	1976 Base	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1986	1991	1996	2001	2011
Persons all ages . .	56,001	55,956	55,894	55,825	55,755	55,697	55,962	56,712	57,325	57,535	57,706
Under 5	3,739	3,539	3,383	3,282	3,216	3,201	3,909	4,452	4,321	3,889	3,825
Under 18	15,437	15,222	14,984	14,711	14,421	14,135	13,346	13,505	14,440	14,975	13,726
Under 21	17,881	17,732	17,546	17,333	17,108	16,891	16,097	16,002	16,368	17,038	16,364
5–14	9,099	9,017	8,865	8,636	8,376	8,110	6,817	6,983	8,230	8,642	7,388
15–29	12,351	12,309	12,368	12,506	12,660	12,815	13,389	12,810	11,286	10,709	12,525
30–44	9,945	10,227	10,445	10,609	10,748	10,847	11,327	11,883	12,330	12,897	10,822
45–64	12,940	12,848	12,720	12,589	12,471	12,425	12,136	12,078	12,772	13,243	14,929
65–74	5,079	5,106	5,135	5,155	5,165	5,115	4,904	4,894	4,773	4,472	4,691
75 and over . . .	2,848	2,910	2,978	3,048	3,119	3,184	3,480	3,612	3,613	3,683	3,526
Under 1	678	646	636	638	644	663	868	899	840	747	799
1 and under 2	705	675	643	632	634	640	836	897	854	760	782
2–4	2,356	2,218	2,104	2,012	1,938	1,898	2,205	2,656	2,627	2,382	2,244
5–9	4,446	4,354	4,244	4,074	3,908	3,693	3,155	3,860	4,402	4,273	3,577
10–14	4,653	4,663	4,621	4,562	4,468	4,417	3,662	3,123	3,828	4,369	3,811
15–19	4,252	4,359	4,455	4,558	4,647	4,678	4,439	3,685	3,148	3,853	4,264
20–24	3,889	3,944	4,005	4,077	4,179	4,290	4,705	4,467	3,716	3,182	4,421
25–29	4,210	4,006	3,908	3,871	3,834	3,847	4,245	4,658	4,422	3,674	3,840
30–34	3,598	3,886	4,024	4,074	4,122	4,134	3,767	4,163	4,576	4,341	3,064
35–39	3,217	3,212	3,267	3,348	3,420	3,541	4,070	3,706	4,100	4,511	3,536
40–44	3,131	3,129	3,154	3,187	3,206	3,172	3,490	4,014	3,654	4,045	4,222
45–49	3,258	3,224	3,184	3,138	3,097	3,070	3,108	3,422	3,937	3,583	4,369
50–54	3,427	3,340	3,275	3,228	3,193	3,161	2,977	3,014	3,320	3,817	3,850
55–59	3,146	3,264	3,402	3,513	3,370	3,270	3,016	2,840	2,875	3,169	3,316
60–64	3,109	3,020	2,859	2,710	2,811	2,924	3,035	2,802	2,640	2,674	3,394
65–69	2,838	2,832	2,832	2,825	2,821	2,762	2,608	2,708	2,505	2,365	2,658
70–74	2,241	2,274	2,303	2,330	2,344	2,353	2,296	2,186	2,268	2,107	2,033
75–79	1,494	1,531	1,578	1,615	1,649	1,671	1,764	1,730	1,665	1,727	1,536
80–84	830	850	865	890	915	947	1,066	1,133	1,120	1,098	1,072
85 and over . . .	524	529	535	543	555	566	650	749	828	858	918
Males all ages . . .	27,290	27,274	27,250	27,223	27,196	27,175	27,362	27,807	28,185	28,351	28,516
Under 5	1,925	1,821	1,740	1,688	1,654	1,646	2,010	2,289	2,222	2,000	1,967
Under 18	7,929	7,820	7,699	7,560	7,411	7,265	6,866	6,948	7,428	7,703	7,063
Under 21	9,183	9,107	9,013	8,905	8,790	8,679	8,278	8,233	8,420	8,764	8,419
5–14	4,669	4,629	4,554	4,438	4,305	4,169	3,509	3,592	4,232	4,444	3,801
15–29	6,309	6,294	6,328	6,400	6,487	6,571	6,861	6,571	5,796	5,505	6,434
30–44	5,037	5,178	5,287	5,371	5,436	5,484	5,743	6,040	6,293	6,578	5,532
45–64	6,274	6,236	6,181	6,126	6,079	6,064	5,962	5,963	6,320	6,571	7,433
65–74	2,182	2,198	2,215	2,226	2,234	2,214	2,132	2,152	2,116	2,006	2,132
75 and over . . .	893	918	945	974	1,001	1,027	1,145	1,200	1,206	1,247	1,217
Under 1	348	332	327	328	331	341	446	462	432	384	411
1 and under 2	362	347	331	325	326	329	430	461	439	391	402
2–4	1,214	1,142	1,082	1,035	997	976	1,134	1,366	1,351	1,225	1,154
5–9	2,282	2,237	2,182	2,096	2,010	1,901	1,623	1,985	2,263	2,197	1,840
10–14	2,387	2,392	2,372	2,342	2,295	2,268	1,886	1,607	1,969	2,247	1,961
15–19	2,184	2,238	2,287	2,340	2,385	2,401	2,281	1,900	1,622	1,984	2,195
20–24	1,995	2,024	2,055	2,089	2,140	2,196	2,408	2,289	1,910	1,634	2,269
25–29	2,130	2,032	1,986	1,971	1,962	1,974	2,172	2,382	2,264	1,887	1,970
30–34	1,825	1,968	2,037	2,064	2,084	2,089	2,933	2,129	2,339	2,222	1,573
35–39	1,631	1,627	1,654	1,694	1,729	1,790	2,050	1,895	2,090	2,299	1,810
40–44	1,580	1,583	1,596	1,613	1,623	1,605	1,760	2,016	1,864	2,057	2,149
45–49	1,621	1,607	1,589	1,569	1,554	1,543	1,565	1,718	1,969	1,820	2,212
50–54	1,686	1,646	1,617	1,595	1,577	1,562	1,486	1,508	1,656	1,896	1,937
55–59	1,511	1,570	1,639	1,697	1,632	1,588	1,472	1,401	1,422	1,562	1,654
60–64	1,457	1,413	1,336	1,265	1,316	1,371	1,439	1,336	1,273	1,293	1,630
65–69	1,266	1,265	1,267	1,265	1,264	1,239	1,173	1,233	1,149	1,099	1,238
70–74	916	933	948	961	970	975	959	919	967	907	894
75–79	518	539	563	583	600	612	656	651	633	667	613
80–84	247	250	253	261	270	283	338	366	367	365	368
85 and over . . .	129	129	129	130	131	132	151	183	206	215	236

[1] The assumptions on which these projections are made are described in the introductory note on page 6.

Sources: Government Actuary's Department in consultation with the Office of Population Censuses and Surveys, the General Register Office (Scotland) and the General Register Office (Northern Ireland)

Projected Total population at mid-year [1]

TABLE 2.10 *(continued)*

Thousands

	1976 Base	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1986	1991	1996	2001	2011
United Kingdom											
Females all ages	28,712	28,682	28,644	28,602	28,559	28,512	28,600	28,905	29,140	29,184	29,190
Under 5	1,814	1,718	1,643	1,594	1,562	1,555	1,899	2,163	2,099	1,889	1,858
Under 18	7,508	7,402	7,285	7,151	7,010	6,870	6,480	6,557	7,012	7,272	6,663
Under 21	8,698	8,625	8,533	8,428	8,318	8,212	7,819	7,769	7,948	8,274	7,945
5–14	4,430	4,388	4,311	4,198	4,071	3,941	3,308	3,391	3,998	4,198	3,587
15–29	6,042	6,015	6,040	6,106	6,173	6,244	6,528	6,239	5,490	5,204	6,091
30–44	4,908	5,049	5,158	5,238	5,312	5,363	5,584	5,843	6,037	6,319	5,290
45–64	6,666	6,612	6,539	6,463	6,392	6,361	6,174	6,115	6,452	6,672	7,496
65–74	2,897	2,908	2,920	2,929	2,931	2,901	2,722	2,742	2,657	2,466	2,559
75 and over . . .	1,954	1,992	2,033	2,118	2,118	2,157	2,335	2,412	2,407	2,436	2,309
Under 1	330	314	309	310	313	322	422	437	408	363	388
1 and under 2	343	328	312	307	308	311	406	436	415	369	380
2–4	1,142	1,076	1,022	977	941	922	1,071	1,290	1,276	1,157	1,090
5–9	2,164	2,117	2,062	1,978	1,898	1,792	1,532	1,875	2,139	2,076	1,737
10–14	2,266	2,271	2,249	2,220	2,173	2,149	1,776	1,516	1,859	2,122	1,850
15–19	2,068	2,121	2,168	2,218	2,262	2,277	2,158	1,785	1,526	1,869	2,069
20–24	1,894	1,920	1,950	1,988	2,039	2,094	2,297	2,178	1,806	1,548	2,152
25–29	2,080	1,974	1,922	1,900	1,872	1,873	2,073	2,276	2,158	1,787	1,870
30–34	1,772	1,918	1,987	2,010	2,038	2,045	1,834	2,034	2,237	2,119	1,491
35–39	1,585	1,585	1,613	1,654	1,691	1,751	2,020	1,811	2,010	2,212	1,726
40–44	1,550	1,546	1,558	1,574	1,583	1,567	1,730	1,998	1,790	1,988	2,073
45–49	1,637	1,617	1,595	1,569	1,543	1,527	1,543	1,704	1,968	1,763	2,157
50–54	1,741	1,694	1,658	1,633	1,616	1,599	1,491	1,506	1,664	1,921	1,913
55–59	1,635	1,694	1,763	1,816	1,738	1,682	1,544	1,439	1,453	1,607	1,662
60–64	1,652	1,607	1,523	1,445	1,495	1,553	1,596	1,466	1,367	1,381	1,764
65–69	1,573	1,567	1,565	1,560	1,557	1,523	1,435	1,475	1,356	1,266	1,420
70–74	1,324	1,341	1,355	1,369	1,374	1,378	1,337	1,267	1,301	1,200	1,139
75–79	976	992	1,015	1,032	1,049	1,059	1,108	1,079	1,032	1,060	923
80–84	584	600	612	629	645	664	728	767	753	733	704
85 and over. . . .	395	400	406	413	424	434	499	566	622	643	682
England and Wales											
Persons all ages . .	49,247	49,210	49,155	49,094	49,031	48,977	49,195	49,844	50,376	50,557	50,707
Under 5	3,247	3,071	2,932	2,843	2,782	2,768	3,383	3,868	3,758	3,382	3,325
Under 18	13,393	13,209	13,004	12,769	12,516	12,267	11,568	11,705	12,530	13.014	11,935
Under 21	15,510	15,385	15,227	15,045	14,853	14,666	13,969	13,890	14,209	14,805	14,240
5–14	7,898	7,830	7,700	7,501	7,277	7,042	5,904	6,039	7,137	7,511	6,420
15–29	10,806	10,758	10,803	10,920	11,051	11,187	11,700	11,222	9,888	9,372	10,972
30–44	8,780	9,036	9,235	9,382	9,508	9,594	10,002	10,453	10,819	11,327	9,536
45–64	11,460	11,377	11,261	11,143	11,036	10,991	10,726	10,673	11,297	11,701	13,139
65–74	4,510	4,537	4,560	4,579	4,589	4,546	4,365	4,357	4,239	3,962	4,165
75 and over . . .	2,546	2,601	2,664	2,726	2,788	2,849	3,115	3,232	3,238	3,302	3,150
Under 1	586	560	550	551	555	572	753	781	730	650	695
1 and under 2	612	583	557	548	548	552	724	779	743	661	679
2–4	2,049	1,928	1,825	1,744	1,679	1,644	1,906	2,308	2,285	2,071	1,951
5–9	3,862	3,783	3,690	3,542	3,399	3,207	2,726	3,341	3,825	3,716	3,108
10–14	4,036	4,047	4,010	3,959	3,878	3,835	3,178	2,698	3,312	3,795	3,312
15–19	3,680	3,775	3,863	3,957	4,039	4,071	3,866	3,210	2,732	3,344	3,719
20–24	3,398	3,441	3,490	3,550	3,639	3,738	4,118	3,916	3,262	2,785	3,877
25–29	3,728	3,542	3,450	3,413	3,373	3,378	3,716	4,096	3,894	3,243	3,376
30–34	3,186	3,448	3,575	3,617	3,657	3,664	3,309	3,646	4,025	3,823	2,701
35–39	2,837	2,832	2,880	2,954	3,022	3,133	3,605	3,252	3,588	3,965	3,120
40–44	2,757	2,756	2,780	2,811	2,829	2,797	3,088	3,555	3,206	3,539	3,715
45–49	2,875	2,843	2,807	2,765	2,729	2,704	2,742	3,028	3,486	3,144	3,839
50–54	3,037	2,957	2,895	2,852	2,819	2,789	2,623	2,659	2,939	3,382	3,370
55–59	2,790	2,897	3,023	3,125	2,994	2,901	2,664	2,506	2,540	2,809	2,915
60–64 (males)	1,297	1,258	1,189	1,124	1,171	1,221	1,283	1,188	1,130	1,149	1,450
60–64 (females)	1,461	1,422	1,347	1,277	1,323	1,376	1,414	1,292	1,202	1,217	1,565
65–69	2,519	2,514	2,513	2,508	2,505	2,454	2,321	2,409	2,219	2,092	2,362
70–74	1,991	2,023	2,047	2,071	2,084	2,092	2,044	1,948	2,020	1,870	1,803
75–79	1,328	1,363	1,405	1,439	1,468	1,490	1,573	1,544	1,489	1,542	1,364
80–84	744	761	775	797	818	847	954	1,014	1,003	985	957
85 and over . . .	474	477	484	490	502	512	588	674	746	775	829

[1] The assumptions on which these projections are made are described in the introductory note on page 6.

Sources: Government Actuary's Department in consultation with the Office of Population Censuses and Surveys, the General Register Office (Scotland) and the General Register Office (Northern Ireland)

Projected Total Population at mid-year [1]

TABLE 2.10 *(continued)*

Thousands

	1976 Base	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1986	1991	1996	2001	2011
Scotland											
Persons all ages . .	5,225	5,218	5,210	5,201	5,193	5,188	5,223	5,304	5,362	5,378	5,385
Under 5	358	338	324	314	308	307	388	436	415	368	367
Under 18	1,521	1,492	1,464	1,432	1,401	1,373	1,302	1,327	1,419	1,459	1,318
Under 21	1,771	1,747	1,724	1,698	1,670	1,645	1,567	1,561	1,601	1,661	1,570
5–14	898	884	866	841	814	790	660	691	820	847	709
15–29	1,194	1,196	1,206	1,221	1,235	1,247	1,285	1,203	1,046	999	1,183
30–44	904	928	945	959	971	982	1,047	1,133	1,184	1,222	985
45–64	1,172	1,167	1,156	1,146	1,138	1,136	1,118	1,108	1,172	1,230	1,423
65–74	456	459	460	460	461	454	430	427	422	406	415
75 and over . . .	243	246	253	260	266	272	295	306	303	306	303
Under 1	66	62	61	60	62	65	86	88	80	70	76
1 and under 2 .	68	66	61	60	60	62	84	88	82	72	75
2–4	224	210	202	194	186	180	218	260	253	226	216
5–9	436	424	410	391	374	356	305	386	435	413	343
10–14	462	460	456	450	440	434	355	305	385	434	366
15–19	433	443	449	455	460	458	430	352	302	382	409
20–24	381	388	396	406	414	423	447	419	340	291	418
25–29	380	365	361	360	361	366	408	432	404	326	356
30–34	315	339	351	359	368	374	361	402	426	399	271
35–39	296	296	300	304	307	314	374	360	401	425	320
40–44	293	293	294	296	296	294	312	371	357	398	394
45–49	303	302	298	295	292	290	290	306	364	351	414
50–54	309	304	301	298	296	294	280	280	297	353	378
55–59	281	291	300	309	299	293	278	266	266	281	322
60–64 (males)	127	122	116	110	113	117	125	118	114	115	146
60–64 (females)	152	148	141	134	138	142	145	138	131	130	163
65–69	256	256	255	253	252	245	229	238	226	217	232
70–74	200	203	205	207	209	209	201	189	196	189	183
75–79	131	134	138	142	144	146	153	149	141	147	137
80–84	70	71	73	75	78	81	90	96	94	90	92
85 and over . . .	42	41	42	43	44	45	52	61	68	69	74
Northern Ireland											
Persons all ages . .	1,528	1,529	1,529	1,529	1,531	1,532	1,545	1,566	1,587	1,600	1,613
Under 5	135	130	127	125	127	127	138	148	148	139	133
Under 18	525	518	515	508	502	497	474	475	493	501	476
Under 21	603	597	596	591	587	582	561	552	559	573	556
5–14	305	302	299	293	284	278	251	255	274	284	261
15–29	349	353	359	366	374	380	403	387	353	337	370
30–44	261	265	266	268	268	270	280	298	329	350	302
45–64	307	305	302	300	300	299	293	296	302	312	365
65–74	112	113	114	115	115	113	111	110	108	104	111
75 and over . . .	59	61	62	62	63	65	69	72	73	74	71
Under 1	26	25	25	25	27	27	29	31	31	28	27
1 and under 2 .	25	25	25	25	25	25	29	30	30	27	27
2–4	84	80	77	75	75	75	80	87	87	84	79
5–9	150	147	144	140	134	130	123	134	143	143	128
10–14	155	155	155	153	150	148	128	121	131	141	133
15–19	138	140	143	146	149	149	143	123	115	127	135
20–24	111	115	119	122	126	129	140	133	114	106	127
25–29	100	98	97	98	99	102	120	131	124	104	108
30–34	97	100	98	98	96	95	97	115	125	119	93
35–39	84	84	87	89	91	94	92	94	112	122	97
40–44	80	81	81	81	81	81	91	89	92	109	112
45–49	81	80	79	79	77	77	78	87	86	88	115
50–54	81	79	79	77	78	78	73	74	84	81	101
55–59	74	77	78	78	78	76	73	69	69	79	79
60–64 (males)	33	32	31	31	32	32	32	30	29	30	33
60–64 (females)	38	37	35	35	35	36	37	36	34	34	37
65–69	63	64	64	64	64	62	60	61	58	55	64
70–74	49	49	50	51	51	51	51	49	50	49	47
75–79	34	34	35	35	35	35	37	37	36	37	34
80–84	17	18	18	18	19	21	21	22	22	23	22
85 and over . . .	8	9	9	9	9	9	11	13	15	14	15

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[1] The assumptions on which these projections are made are described in the introductory note on page 6.

Sources: Government Actuary's Department in consultation with the Office of Population Censuses and Surveys; the General Register Office (Scotland) and the General Register Office (Northern Ireland)

Geographical distribution of the enumerated population: census figures [1]

TABLE 2.11

Thousands

	Area in square kilometres [2]	1911	1931 [3]	1951	1961	1971
Urban and rural districts						
England and Wales:						
Urban areas	21,765	28,163	31,952	35,336	36,872	38,151
Rural districts	129,360	7,908	8,000	8,422	9,233	10,598
Scotland:						
Cities and burghs	1,300	3,140	3,362	3,563	3,646	3,705
Landward areas	75,879	1,620	1,481	1,534	1,533	1,524
Northern Ireland:						
Urban areas	240	587	678	728	770	846
Rural districts	13,330	664	602	643	655	690
Standard regions of England and Wales						
North	19,349	2,815	3,038	3,137	3,250	3,296
Yorkshire and Humberside	14,196	3,877	4,285	4,522	4,635	4,799
East Midlands	12,179	2,263	2,531	2,893	3,100	3,390
East Anglia	12,565	1,192	1,232	1,382	1,470	1,669
South East	27,408	11,744	13,539	15,127	16,271	17,230
South West	23,660	2,687	2,794	3,229	3,411	3,781
West Midlands	13,013	3,277	3,743	4,423	4,758	5,110
North West	7,993	5,796	6,197	6,447	6,567	6,743
Wales	20,763	2,421	2,593	2,599	2,644	2,731
Conurbations[4]						
Greater London	1,580	7,160	8,110	8,197	7,992	7,452
West Midlands	678	1,651	1,951	2,260	2,378	2,372
West Yorkshire	1,255	1,590	1,655	1,693	1,704	1,728
South East Lancashire	983	2,328	2,427	2,423	2,428	2,393
Merseyside	394	1,157	1,347	1,386	1,384	1,267
Tyneside	235	761	827	836	856	805
Central Clydeside	778	. .	1,690	1,759	1,802	1,728
Cities						
Birmingham	209	526	1,003	1,113	1,107	1,015
Liverpool	113	746	856	789	746	610
Manchester	110	714	766	703	662	544
Sheffield	184	455	512	513	494	520
Leeds	164	446	483	505	511	496
Bristol	110	357	397	443	437	427
Teeside	177	. .	. .	. .	. .	396
Coventry	81	106	167	258	306	335
Nottingham	74	260	269	306	312	301
Bradford	103	288	298	292	296	294
Kingston-upon-Hull	71	278	314	299	303	286
Leicester	73	227	239	285	273	284
Cardiff	80	182	224	244	257	279
Wolverhampton	69	95	133	163	151	269
Stoke-on-Trent	93	235	277	275	265	265
Glasgow	157	784	1,088	1,090	1,055	897
Edinburgh	135	320	439	467	468	454
Dundee	50	165	176	177	183	182
Aberdeen	50	164	167	183	185	182
Belfast	73	387	438	444	416	362

[1] Population of the areas as they were in each year except for Standard Regions and conurbations, the figures for which relate to roughly the same geographical areas throughout. [2] At April 1971. [3] Figures for Northern Ireland and the city of Belfast relate to the 1937 census. [4] Areas of urban development where a number of separate towns have grown into each other or become linked by such factors as a common industrial or business interest or a common centre for shopping or education.

Sources: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys; General Register Office (Scotland); General Register Office (Northern Ireland)

Geographical distribution of Home population: mid-year estimates

TABLE **2.12**

Areas as existing at 1 April 1975

Thousands

	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
England and Wales	48,854	49,038	49,175	49,201	49,199	49,184
Scotland	5,217	5,210	5,212	5,217	5,206	5,205
Northern Ireland	1,538	1,545	1,547	1,547	1,537	1,538
Standard regions						
North	3,137	3,138	3,132	3,129	3,125	3,122
Yorkshire and Humberside	4,868	4,882	4,891	4,897	4,900	4,892
East Midlands	3,635	3,663	3,696	3,715	3,728	3,733
East Anglia	1,686	1,711	1,739	1,758	1,781	1,803
South East	16,993	17,020	17,018	16,966	16,921	16,894
Greater London	7,441	7,345	7,281	7,174	7,103	7,028
South West	4,088	4,130	4,176	4,206	4,229	4,254
West Midlands	5,122	5,152	5,163	5,179	5,176	5,165
North West	6,602	6,607	6,609	6,593	6,575	6,554
Wales	2,724	2,735	2,749	2,757	2,764	2,767
Metropolitan counties						
Tyne and Wear	1,209	1,205	1,198	1,189	1,186	1,183
South Yorkshire	1,320	1,322	1,319	1,318	1,318	1,318
West Yorkshire	2,077	2,080	2,080	2,082	2,082	2,072
West Midlands	2,792	2,793	2,785	2,780	2,768	2,743
Greater Manchester	2,735	2,734	2,730	2,711	2,700	2,684
Merseyside	1,654	1,640	1,621	1,606	1,589	1,578
London boroughs and county districts (with about 300,000 or more population)						
Tyne and Wear						
Newcastle-upon-Tyne	307	303	300	297	296	296
South Yorkshire						
Sheffield	570	568	565	561	560	558
West Yorkshire						
Leeds	745	746	748	749	748	744
Bradford	463	463	463	461	461	459
Kirklees	370	372	371	375	376	372
Wakefield	303	305	304	305	306	306
Greater London						
Croydon	335	334	333	329	329	331
Barnet	307	306	302	297	303	305
Bromley	307	306	306	302	299	299
Avon						
Bristol	426	422	422	418	417	416
West Midlands						
Birmingham	1,097	1,092	1,088	1,086	1,074	1,059
Coventry	336	336	336	335	339	337
Sandwell	330	328	324	320	316	313
Greater Manchester						
Manchester	547	535	531	514	504	490
Wigan	302	305	306	307	310	311
Merseyside						
Liverpool	605	591	574	561	550	540
Wirral	357	355	352	351	347	348
Sefton	309	309	308	307	306	306
City of Glasgow local government district[1]	979	948	924	905	881	856
City of Edinburgh local government district[1]	476	474	473	475	470	467
City of Dundee local government district[1]	198	197	196	196	195	194
City of Aberdeen local government district[1]	212	212	213	212	210	210
Belfast	417	415	415	374	368	368

[1] Figures shown are for the areas as constituted under the Local Government (Scotland) Act, 1973, which took effect from 16 May 1975.

Sources: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys; General Register Office (Scotland); General Register Office (Northern Ireland)

Migration into and out from the United Kingdom

Analysis by nationality and country of last or next residence [1] [2]

TABLE 2.13

Thousands

	1966		1967		1968		1969		1970		1971	
	In	Out	In	Out	In	Out	In	Out	In	Out	In	Out
Total migrants	219.2	301.6	225.0	309.0	221.6	277.7	205.6	292.7	225.6	290.7	199.7	240.0
Commonwealth citizens[4]	142.3	262.9	157.0	268.5	165.2	240.2	145.9	252.8	155.2	247.9	145.3	200.0
Country of last or next residence[1]:												
Commonwealth countries[5]												
Total	111.0	203.1	129.5	198.3	136.7	169.3	117.3	180.7	122.8	169.8	117.0	133.8
Australia	19.7	84.9	27.7	81.9	27.1	82.9	25.5	95.3	31.2	87.2	31.5	68.7
Canada	8.9	62.2	9.9	62.2	12.2	39.2	12.7	32.9	14.7	27.4	13.2	14.7
New Zealand	6.9	15.8	7.7	15.3	9.7	8.0	6.9	9.1	7.5	10.8	7.2	13.1
African countries	20.5	15.7	17.3	16.4	23.1	17.1	16.5	15.6	20.0	19.2	26.7	15.4
Bangladesh, India, Pakistan and Sri Lanka[5]	26.7	8.7	39.4	7.6	40.1	6.7	31.9	10.0	27.5	9.7	24.3	7.8
West Indies[6]	14.8	8.6	13.0	8.3	11.1	9.6	10.2	9.1	7.4	8.2	5.0	7.8
Other countries	13.5	7.2	14.5	6.4	13.5	5.7	13.5	8.7	14.4	7.3	9.1	6.2
Foreign countries[7]												
Total	31.3	59.8	27.4	70.3	28.5	70.9	28.6	72.1	32.4	78.1	28.3	66.1
South Africa	4.8	12.3	3.3	13.0	3.7	16.0	3.8	19.4	4.5	23.9	5.1	19.5
United States	8.4	18.9	7.4	25.9	7.2	22.4	7.6	14.8	9.0	13.5	9.8	9.3
Other America	1.0	1.0	0.7	1.6	1.0	1.8	1.1	1.5	1.2	2.0	0.8	1.0
European Economic Community[8]	8.9	12.8	7.4	15.8	8.6	15.5	9.8	19.4	9.4	20.7	6.6	16.7
Western Europe[9]	3.9	5.9	4.0	7.1	4.1	7.7	2.5	6.4	3.9	7.9	2.3	9.8
Other countries[7]	4.3	8.8	4.7	6.9	4.0	7.5	3.8	10.7	4.4	10.2	3.6	9.8
Aliens[4]	76.9	38.7	68.0	40.5	56.5	37.5	59.7	39.8	70.4	42.8	54.4	40.1
Country of last or next residence[1]												
Commonwealth countries[5]	1.6	4.3	2.4	4.5	1.2	2.9	1.7	3.3	2.0	3.7	1.1	3.5
Foreign countries[7]												
Total	75.3	34.4	65.7	36.0	55.3	34.6	58.0	36.6	68.4	39.2	53.2	36.6
United States	14.3	8.2	14.7	8.2	11.7	8.7	12.9	8.4	13.8	8.0	12.4	7.3
European Economic Community[8]	27.9	13.0	23.0	11.4	18.8	13.0	19.2	12.0	23.1	13.0	14.0	14.4
Western Europe[9]	19.3	6.6	16.4	7.9	11.8	6.5	13.5	8.8	17.4	10.1	13.7	7.3
Pakistan[10]	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other countries	13.8	6.6	11.5	8.5	13.0	6.5	12.4	7.4	14.1	8.0	13.1	7.5

[1] Based on the self-description in the International Passenger Survey of an emigrant as a person who says he intends to reside outside the United Kingdom for a year or more, having resided in the United Kingdom for a year or more, and *vice versa* for an immigrant. [2] Excluding the Irish Republic. [3] Figures include approximately 26,000 United Kingdom and other passport holders from Uganda, who had been excluded from the IPS sampling arrangements. [4] After 1972 citizens of Pakistan are included with aliens. [5] Excluding Pakistan after 1972. [6] Including Guyana and Belize, (formerly British Honduras). [7] Including Pakistan after 1972. [8] Includes Denmark from 1973. [9] European countries excluding Albania, Bulgaria, Czechoslovakia, German Democratic Republic, Hungary, Poland, Romania, Soviet Union also Denmark after 1972. [10] From 1973.

Source: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys

Migration into and out from the United Kingdom

Analysis by nationality and country of last or next residence [1] [2]

TABLE 2.13 (*continued*)

Thousands

	1972 [3]		1973		1974		1975		1976	
	In	Out	In	Out	In	Out	In	Out	In	Out
Total migrants	221.9	233.2	195.7	245.8	183.8	269.0	197.2	238.3	179.8	210.4
Commonwealth citizens [4]	164.4	195.4	127.4	204.2	122.2	228.3	138.3	196.8	129.9	165.5
Country of last or next residence [1]:										
Commonwealth countries [5]										
Total	130.5	133.1	98.8	138.8	90.0	155.8	100.8	107.6	87.6	89.9
Australia	31.5	56.1	31.0	55.3	22.5	62.7	26.2	28.9	24.4	31.5
Canada	11.0	17.5	11.0	27.9	7.1	36.1	7.2	36.0	7.3	22.0
New Zealand	6.2	15.4	7.0	25.4	9.8	28.2	9.7	14.3	8 1	9.0
African countries	43.9	15.5	22.1	12.0	18.4	12.8	21.1	12.6	17.7	10.7
Bangladesh, India, Pakistan and Sri Lanka [5]	22.7	12.4	10.8	4.6	11.0	3.6	13.3	3.3	9.2	3.6
West Indies [6]	5.4	7.0	4.7	7.3	3.9	6.1	5.0	4.1	3.6	3.4
Other countries	9.9	9.2	12.2	6.3	17.2	6.4	18.3	8.2	17.4	9.8
Foreign countries [7]										
Total	33.9	62.3	28.6	65.4	32.2	72.5	37.5	89.2	42.3	75.6
South Africa	5.9	18.5	6.8	11.4	4.8	19.6	6.8	28.3	7.9	19.6
United States	7.8	10.1	5.6	11.0	6.7	11.3	6.3	12.1	6.4	10.6
Other America	1.6	1.1	0.4	1.0	1.7	1.8	1.5	2.0	1.7	1.8
European Economic Community [8]	9.9	15.5	7.0	21.2	9.8	19.2	11.9	16.8	15.1	17.4
Western Europe [9]	4.6	9.0	3.2	9.1	3.2	6.9	3.5	10.2	2.3	5.3
Other countries [7]	4.1	8.1	5.6	11.7	6.0	13.7	7.5	19.8	8.8	20.8
Aliens [4]	57.4	37.9	68.3	41.6	61.6	40.7	58.8	41.5	49.8	44.9
Country of last or next residence [1]:										
Commonwealth countries [5]	3.5	2.8	3.6	2.3	1.4	3.0	1.8	2.1	0.9	1.2
Foreign countries [7]										
Total	54.0	35.1	64.7	39.3	60.2	37.7	57.0	39.4	48.9	43.6
United States	12.1	7.7	14.9	9.3	12.2	7.7	10.2	10.0	10.0	10.3
European Economic Community [8]	14.4	12.7	16.5	11.0	19.5	10.4	11.0	11.3	9.8	13.6
Western Europe [9]	11.4	6.6	9.7	8.5	9.1	7.1	8.9	5.4	8.0	6.5
Pakistan [10]	–	–	5.3	2.0	4.0	1.5	4.3	0.5	3.4	0.5
Other countries	16.0	8.0	18.3	8.6	15.5	11.1	22.6	12.1	17.8	12.7

See footnotes on page 26.

Source: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys

Migration into and out from the United Kingdom

Analysis by occupation and sex [1] [2]

TABLE 2.14

Thousands

	1966		1967		1968		1969		1970	
	In	Out	In	Out	In	Out	In	Out	In	Out
Total [4]										
Persons	219.2	301.6	225.0	309.0	221.6	277.7	205.6	292.7	225.6	290.7
Males	109.7	153.9	112.1	156.2	115.2	139.9	105.1	156.6	110.5	154.1
Females	109.5	147.7	112.9	152.8	106.4	137.8	100.4	136.1	115.1	136.7
Professional [4]										
Persons	41.8	48.4	38.5	55.5	40.7	55.5	46.1	54.8	46.3	56.4
Males	25.0	32.6	22.8	35.9	26.6	36.0	30.2	37.1	27.5	38.7
Females	16.9	15.7	15.6	19.6	14.0	19.5	15.9	17.7	18.8	17.7
Manual and clerical [4]										
Persons	65.3	108.5	58.7	109.6	59.7	92.5	54.8	104.5	64.6	101.8
Males	39.4	64.9	33.1	64.5	36.7	57.4	34.3	66.9	39.1	64.0
Females	26.0	43.6	25.6	45.1	23.0	35.1	20.5	37.5	25.5	37.9
Not gainfully employed [5]										
Persons	112.0	144.7	127.8	143.9	121.2	129.7	104.7	133.4	114.7	132.5
Males	45.4	56.4	56.2	55.8	51.9	46.5	40.6	52.6	43.9	51.4
Females	66.6	88.4	71.7	88.1	69.4	83.2	64.0	80.9	70.8	81.1

	1971		1972 [3]		1973		1974		1975		1976	
	In	Out	In	Out	In	Out	In	Out	In	Out	In	Out
Total [4]												
Persons	199.7	240.0	221.9	233.2	195.7	245.8	183.8	269.0	163.6	183.0	148.3	169.0
Males	102.7	124.2	114.6	124.0	104.2	124.1	103.6	141.2	83.0	99.0	83.4	97.5
Females	97.0	115.8	107.3	109.3	91.5	121.7	80.1	127.8	80.6	84.0	64.9	71.5
Professional [4]												
Persons	43.4	51.0	50.0	49.1	47.1	51.1	48.0	62.1	48.7	60.4	52.1	70.3
Males	27.6	35.1	31.4	32.5	32.8	32.6	34.2	39.5	28.4	42.5	37.3	50.3
Females	15.8	15.8	18.7	16.6	14.4	18.5	13.8	22.6	20.3	17.9	14.8	20.0
Manual and clerical [4]												
Persons	55.4	87.2	55.9	83.7	56.8	87.0	45.8	96.9	50.3	73.5	40.4	55.9
Males	35.0	51.2	35.0	52.2	31.1	52.6	30.0	59.6	31.2	44.1	22.9	36.2
Females	20.4	36.0	20.9	31.6	25.7	34.4	15.7	37.3	19.1	29.4	17.4	19.7
Not gainfully employed [5]												
Persons	100.9	101.8	116.0	100.4	91.8	107.7	90.0	110.0	64.7	49.2	55.9	42.8
Males	40.1	37.9	48.2	39.3	40.3	38.9	39.3	42.1	23.4	12.4	23.2	10.9
Females	60.8	64.0	67.7	61.1	51.4	68.8	50.6	67.9	41.2	36.8	32.7	31.8

[1] Based on the self-description in the International Passenger Survey of an emigrant as a person who says he intends to reside outside the United Kingdom for a year or more, having resided in the United Kingdom for a year or more, and *vice versa* for an immigrant. [2] Excluding the Irish Republic. [3] Figures include approximately 26,000 United Kingdom and other passport holders from Uganda, who had been excluded from the IPS sampling arrangements. [4] Type of occupation is that which was followed prior to migration. [5] This group includes housewives, students and retired persons.

Source: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys

Aliens and British protected persons: certificates of naturalisation issued [1]

TABLE 2.15

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total	2,866	5,000	3,733	3,498	2,856	2,725	2,177	3,183	3,491	3,581	2,444
Nationals of European countries:											
Total	2,556	4,381	3,052	2,819	2,240	2,068	1,496	2,090	2,257	2,287	1,387
Austria	30	52	42	32	23	26	19	35	30	27	15
Belgium	12	17	15	14	15	12	8	8	9	8	4
Czechoslovakia	38	63	66	39	35	31	18	46	229	402	217
Denmark	16	9	5	11	11	7	9	10	9	17	5
Finland	2	6	—	4	4	2	3	—	4	1	1
France	15	25	24	28	31	26	23	38	23	33	27
Germany, Western	145	252	192	193	144	119	91	110	96	126	67
Greece	17	45	60	55	53	41	44	57	75	78	67
Hungary	371	598	446	369	287	277	174	266	269	197	170
Italy	86	208	169	123	109	112	91	103	108	135	81
Netherlands	29	35	30	32	30	42	26	22	26	32	14
Norway	4	4	6	7	2	6	—	12	5	12	11
Poland	1,417	2,368	1,550	1,440	1,109	1,011	747	1,029	947	792	452
Portugal	15	22	22	24	28	18	25	36	42	37	40
Romania	32	45	29	17	17	14	8	12	17	19	7
Soviet Union	17	47	14	16	14	5	9	9	13	8	2
Spain	36	80	70	62	56	50	24	34	54	64	37
Sweden	—	1	1	4	3	4	1	4	4	2	1
Switzerland	7	19	8	7	7	15	12	11	15	15	12
Yugoslavia	139	273	164	209	154	135	93	127	158	117	72
Other countries	128	212	139	133	108	115	71	121	124	165	85
Nationals of other foreign countries											
Total	179	339	426	400	383	414	443	739	824	830	685
Asia	130	208	264	233	231	218	239	393	437	475	409
Africa	26	81	111	121	113	137	150	241	283	247	211
America:											
United States of America	16	35	34	31	27	47	43	78	77	72	40
Other countries	7	15	17	15	12	12	11	27	27	36	25
British protected persons	13	45	57	41	22	37	43	97	133	145	119
Stateless	16	51	41	38	31	21	13	31	26	31	36
Nationality uncertain	102	184	157	200	180	185	182	226	251	288	217

[1] The table refers to certificates of naturalisation granted by the Secretary of State for the Home Department to aliens and British protected persons whose oaths of allegiance have been registered at the Home Office. Certificates granted by governments of British possessions are excluded.

Source: Home Office

REGISTERED ALIENS

Aliens registered in the United Kingdom [1]

TABLE 2.16

At 31 December in each year

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total number registered	168,621	170,302	169,604	173,640	179,254	194,134	203,183	183,815	182,363	183,567	187,952
Nationals of European countries:											
Total	116,940	114,671	111,390	109,928	106,660	105,011	102,108	80,166	71,243	63,060	58,007
Austria	2,692	2,506	2,263	2,344	2,264	2,110	1,896	1,698	1,457	1,320	1,124
Belgium	743	763	851	875	949	938	970	677	578	495	471
Czechoslovakia	271	420	2,151	3,263	1,460	643	386	252	220	227	163
Denmark	3,300	3,101	2,918	2,904	2,570	2,487	2,290	1,369	1,187	1,115	1,147
Finland	1,382	1,315	1,479	1,676	1,829	2,021	1,919	1,683	1,589	1,374	1,164
France	13,157	13,519	13,503	13,606	13,938	14,310	15,138	9,305	7,500	5,784	5,432
Germany, Western	12,761	12,467	11,623	11,386	11,048	10,771	10,118	6,298	5,393	4,648	4,442
Greece	3,676	3,869	4,053	4,274	4,650	4,855	5,529	5,611	6,318	6,720	6,969
Hungary	286	213	198	245	269	301	822	802	771	735	734
Italy	24,472	23,481	21,223	17,981	14,801	12,422	10,704	7,323	6,925	6,717	7,091
Netherlands	5,091	5,256	5,134	4,839	4,904	4,815	4,519	3,068	2,696	2,532	2,499
Norway	3,764	3,656	3,683	3,540	3,542	3,482	3,337	3,133	2,889	2,635	2,442
Poland	1,335	1,504	1,410	1,465	1,511	1,979	1,944	2,009	1,974	1,834	1,707
Portugal	4,342	4,608	4,478	4,646	5,418	6,047	6,441	6,224	5,485	5,120	4,678
Romania	38	34	51	69	95	120	111	125	133	107	95
Soviet Union [2]	543	643	646	755	730	692	701	651	597	637	629
Spain	24,791	22,783	21,419	21,241	22,019	22,527	21,478	17,651	14,538	11,309	8,582
Sweden	2,534	2,660	2,539	2,536	2,744	2,750	3,106	2,999	2,847	2,626	2,259
Switzerland	9,270	8,925	8,541	8,590	8,065	8,110	7,959	6,284	5,339	4,690	4,320
Yugoslavia	1,943	2,428	2,704	3,114	3,308	3,049	2,129	2,460	2,306	1,934	1,597
Other countries	549	520	523	579	546	582	611	544	501	501	462
Nationals of other foreign countries:											
Africa	9,011	9,256	9,836	11,002	12,797	14,807	16,205	15,820	16,198	16,878	16,504
South Africa	5,021	5,213	5,229	5,519	5,701	6,125	6,350	5,789	5,453	4,933	4,294
Sudan	1,001	1,118	1,263	1,251	1,261	1,369	1,555	1,741	2,090	2,468	2,320
Arab Republic of Egypt [3]	1,354	1,206	1,293	1,534	1,953	2,693	3,424	3,505	3,989	4,189	3,938
Other countries in Africa	1,635	1,719	2,051	2,698	3,882	4,620	4,876	4,785	4,666	5,288	5,952
America	23,130	25,466	26,508	28,525	31,719	38,722	42,559	40,141	40,809	41,711	42,933
Argentina	466	536	471	499	573	678	767	728	700	683	684
Brazil	364	387	460	610	787	1,027	1,360	1,349	1,411	1,490	1,661
Chile	209	208	228	285	351	417	469	533	903	1,418	1,756
Colombia	328	324	280	360	428	590	780	911	1,597	2,608	2,954
Peru	265	290	251	284	312	390	428	326	349	340	332
United States of America	20,257	22,281	23,197	24,470	26,910	32,699	35,098	32,582	31,706	30,118	29,940
Venezuela	483	509	605	810	1,042	1,203	1,590	1,593	1,765	2,412	2,786
Other countries	758	931	1,016	1,207	1,316	1,718	2,067	2,119	2,378	2,642	2,820
Asia	18,850	20,060	20,977	23,346	27,105	34,487	41,182	46,626	52,780	60,488	69,228
Burma	338	304	290	287	244	257	239	250	238	190	184
China	2,543	2,927	3,185	3,529	3,768	3,742	3,693	3,631	3,167	2,997	2,940
Indonesia	114	147	195	241	361	483	672	890	1,185	1,597	1,583
Iran	3,896	4,179	4,277	4,615	5,231	6,685	8,039	9,391	11,437	14,807	18,333
Iraq	2,515	2,233	2,093	2,136	2,301	2,668	2,993	3,197	3,479	4,031	4,993
Israel	1,919	2,095	2,014	2,228	2,369	2,625	2,716	2,429	2,399	2,384	2,298
Japan	1,739	1,979	2,168	2,641	3,306	4,871	6,553	7,249	8,625	9,240	9,493
Pakistan [4]								479	1,651	2,744	3,405
Thailand	1,113	1,147	1,253	1,340	1,427	1,560	1,732	1,819	2,388	3,179	3,502
Turkey	1,451	1,693	1,795	2,221	2,920	4,490	4,961	5,055	5,014	4,117	4,124
Other countries	3,222	3,356	3,707	4,108	5,178	7,106	9,584	12,236	13,197	15,202	18,373
Australasia	–	–	1	1	1	2	1	2	2	2	2
Western Samoa	–	–	1	1	1	2	1	2	2	2	2
Stateless	341	420	539	480	463	539	508	498	742	597	610
Nationality uncertain	349	429	353	358	509	566	620	562	589	831	668

[1] Among aliens not required to register and therefore not included in these statistics are children under 16 years of age; members of diplomatic and consular services of foreign governments; certain officials of international organisations; members of the Armed Forces of countries of the Commonwealth and members of Forces of parties to the North Atlantic Treaty on duty in the United Kingdom; and visitors who spend less than three months in the United Kingdom. Since 1 January 1961, resident aliens have been exempt from police registration. [2] Including White Russia. [3] Formerly listed as United Arab Republic. [4] Aliens from 1 September 1973.

Source: Home Office

TABLE 2.21

Marriages

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
United Kingdom											
Marriages	437,083	439,092	462,758	451,627	470,987	459,389	480,285	453,665	436,346	430,678	406,024
Persons marrying per 1,000 population	16.0	16.0	16.8	16.3	17.0	16.5	17.2	16.2	15.6	15.4	14.5
Civil condition											
Bachelors	388,096	388,212	409,256	396,951	412,395	393,862	392,641	366,302	348,359	339,883	315,476
Divorced men	28,486	30,008	32,565	34,242	38,108	45,083	65,862	66,016	68,136	71,446	71,945
Widowers	20,501	20,872	20,937	20,434	20,484	20,444	21,782	21,347	19,851	19,349	18,603
Spinsters	391,986	392,238	412,987	400,807	415,895	397,831	397,569	368,982	350,891	342,366	317,833
Divorced women	26,832	28,371	31,029	32,102	36,184	42,302	61,070	63,250	65,707	68,930	69,664
Widows	18,265	18,483	18,742	18,718	18,908	19,256	21,646	21,433	19,748	19,382	18,527
Males											
Under 21 years	72,066	76,708	76,436	71,033	81,379	77,562	77,261	74,984	71,639	67,393	61,980
21–24	185,920	187,559	207,195	205,731	209,678	196,773	184,641	165,750	155,655	152,241	139,858
25–29	90,560	87,083	90,274	88,847	91,141	91,443	103,630	102,148	100,086	100,265	95,345
30–34	30,428	29,783	30,459	29,319	30,337	30,059	34,090	34,696	35,348	36,682	37,195
35–44	27,171	26,132	26,366	24,910	26,035	26,915	32,643	32,740	32,675	33,764	32,675
45–54	14,064	14,496	14,542	14,118	14,470	15,832	21,589	20,625	20,082	19,523	18,597
55 and over	16,871	17,328	17,485	17,669	17,947	20,805	26,431	22,722	20,861	20,810	20,374
Age not stated	3	3	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Females											
Under 21 years	181,846	184,041	182,736	170,559	185,969	176,614	175,939	167,686	159,863	154,212	142,191
21–24	149,364	149,783	171,284	173,331	171,610	161,658	153,686	138,091	130,751	128,847	119,916
25–29	44,309	44,050	46,912	47,586	51,231	53,309	63,977	64,812	63,954	64,380	62,448
30–34	17,277	17,192	17,530	17,410	18,268	19,236	23,478	24,084	24,853	26,346	26,258
35–44	20,028	19,283	19,041	17,835	18,560	19,874	25,922	25,309	25,646	26,014	25,741
45–54	13,038	13,314	13,625	13,161	13,219	14,768	20,144	18,305	17,351	16,717	15,513
55 and over	11,217	11,426	11,629	11,745	12,130	13,930	17,139	15,378	13,928	14,162	13,957
Age not stated	4	3	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
England and Wales											
Marriages	384,497	386,052	407,822	396,746	415,487	404.737	426,241	400,435	384,389	380,620	358,567
Persons marrying per 1,000 home population	16.1	16.0	16.9	16.3	17.1	16.6	17.4	16.3	15.6	15.5	14.6
Civil condition											
Bachelors	339,080	338,788	358,275	346,213	361,110	343,567	343,297	318,585	302,271	296,017	274,431
Divorced men	26,740	28,234	30,438	31,920	35,683	42,438	62,953	62,389	64,080	66,985	67,207
Widowers	18,677	19,030	19,109	18,613	18,694	18,732	19,991	19,461	18,038	17,618	16,929
Spinsters	342,661	342,514	361,684	349,861	364,397	347,391	348,045	321,101	304,626	298,217	276,544
Divorced women	25,070	26,546	28,899	29,724	33,684	39,599	58,082	59,550	61,660	64,655	65,063
Widows	16,766	16,992	17,239	17,161	17,406	17,747	20,114	19,784	18,103	17,748	16,960
Males[1]											
Under 21 years	61,940	65,956	65,896	60,562	70,800	66,669	66,255	63,719	60,602	56,788	51,975
21–24	164,512	165,746	183,445	181,536	184,789	172,673	161,718	144,475	135,213	132,766	121,798
25–29	78,886	75,710	78,624	77,424	79,784	80,349	92,125	90,582	88,662	89,419	85,002
30–34	26,774	26,193	27,034	25,926	26,985	26,709	30,736	31,274	31,898	33,282	33,716
35–44	24,169	23,294	23,512	22,214	23,421	24,398	30,188	30,049	29,967	30,946	29,970
45–54	12,680	13,174	13,167	12,797	13,088	14,546	20,207	19,074	18,635	18,044	17,163
55 and over	15,536	15,979	16,144	16,287	16,620	19,393	25,012	21,262	19,412	19,375	18,943
Females[1]											
Under 21 years	160,691	162,145	160,978	149,196	164,613	154,984	154,011	145,948	138,860	133,883	123,395
21–24	130,692	131,173	150,901	152,547	150,203	141,238	134,589	120,466	113,459	112,509	104,516
25–29	37,977	37,670	40,305	41,006	44,594	46,693	57,108	57,657	56,998	57,715	35,813
30–34	15,049	15,051	15,389	15,224	16,104	17,175	21,358	21,819	22,577	23,923	23,939
35–44	17,801	17,157	16,960	15,808	16,543	17,939	23,937	23,070	23,404	23,881	23,519
45–54	11,826	12,193	12,438	12,022	12,077	13,637	18,960	16,984	16,047	15,492	14,336
55 and over	10,461	10,663	10,851	10,943	11,353	13,071	16,278	14,491	13,044	13,217	13,049

[1] The figures for England and Wales include an assumed distribution of 'Age not stated'.

Sources: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys

Marriages

TABLE **2.21** *(continued)*

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Scotland											
Marriages	41,851	42,116	43,696	43,294	43,203	42,500	42,139	42,018	41,174	39,191	37,543
Persons marrying per 1,000 population	16.1	16.2	16.8	16.6	16.6	16.3	16.2	16.1	15.8	15.1	14.4
Civil condition											
Bachelors	38,633	38,855	40,133	39,595	39,399	38,560	37,853	36,997	35,781	33,551	31,690
Divorced men	1,654	1,682	2,010	2,180	2,270	2,472	2,725	3,383	3,805	4,162	4,418
Widowers	1,564	1,579	1,553	1,519	1,534	1,468	1,561	1,638	1,588	1,478	1,435
Spinsters	38,879	39,092	40,369	39,722	39,523	38,639	37,964	37,077	35,920	33,758	31,875
Divorced women	1,671	1,722	2,026	2,251	2,363	2,526	2,830	3,504	3,816	4.039	4,338
Widows	1,301	1,302	1,301	1,321	1,317	1,335	1,345	1,437	1,438	1,394	1,330
Males											
Under 21 years	8,774	9,329	9,120	8,915	8,700	8,989	9,015	9,263	9,003	8,495	8,010
21–24	17,059	17,282	18,991	19,272	19,550	18,809	17,909	16,578	15,922	15,020	14,119
25–29	8,790	8,565	8,554	8,365	8,235	8,036	8,400	8,808	8,818	8,208	8,014
30–34	2,738	2,619	2,560	2,470	2,484	2,505	2,509	2,611	2,710	2,636	2,736
35–44	2,218	2,145	2,232	2,069	1,997	1,937	1,936	2,185	2,208	2,346	2,225
45–54	1,120	1,058	1,121	1,054	1,121	1,036	1,161	1,319	1,249	1,258	1,229
55 and over	1,152	1,118	1,118	1,149	1,116	1,188	1,209	1,254	1,264	1,228	1,210
Females											
Under 21 years	17,893	18,565	18,324	17,862	17,320	17,485	17,590	17,485	16,826	16,017	14,895
21–24	14,266	14,117	15,694	15,922	16,396	15,557	14,541	13,548	13,413	12,509	11,957
25–29	4,592	4,575	4,742	4,670	4,657	4,707	5,004	5,433	5,323	5,126	5,168
30–34	1,660	1,591	1,608	1,632	1,618	1,527	1,632	1,788	1,840	1,908	1,858
35–44	1,748	1,670	1,685	1,583	1,599	1,530	1,615	1,856	1,861	1,765	1,879
45–54	1,025	942	988	942	942	956	1,004	1,133	1,130	1,044	1,007
55 and over	667	656	655	683	671	738	753	775	781	822	779
Northern Ireland											
Marriages	10,735	10,924	11,240	11,587	12,297	12,152	11,905	11,212	10,783	10,867	9,914
Persons marrying per 1,000 population	14.5	14.7	15.0	15.3	16.1	15.8	15.4	14.4	13.9	14.2	12.8
Civil condition											
Bachelors	10,383	10,569	10,848	11,143	11,886	11,735	11,491	10,720	10,307	10,315	9,355
Divorced men	92	92	117	142	155	173	184	244	251	299	320
Widowers	260	263	275	302	256	244	230	248	225	253	239
Spinsters	10,446	10,632	10,934	11,224	11,975	11,801	11,560	10,804	10,345	10,391	9,414
Divorced women	91	103	104	127	137	177	158	196	231	236	263
Widows	198	189	202	236	185	174	187	212	207	240	237
Males											
Under 21 years	1,352	1,423	1,420	1,556	1,879	1,904	1,991	2,002	2,034	2,110	1,995
21–24	4,349	4,531	4,759	4,923	5,339	5,291	5,014	4,697	4,520	4,455	3,941
25–29	2,884	2,808	3,096	3,058	3,122	3,058	3,105	2,758	2,606	2,638	2,329
30–34	916	971	865	923	868	845	845	811	740	764	743
35–44	784	693	622	627	617	580	519	506	500	472	480
45–54	264	264	254	267	261	250	221	232	198	221	205
55 and over	183	231	223	233	211	224	210	206	185	207	221
Age not stated	3	3	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Females											
Under 21 years	3,262	3,331	3,434	3,501	4,036	4,145	4,338	4,253	4,177	4,312	3,901
21–24	4,406	4,493	4,689	4,862	5,011	4,863	4,556	4,077	3,879	3,829	3,443
25–29	1,740	1,805	1,865	1,910	1,980	1,909	1,865	1,722	1,633	1,539	1,467
30–34	568	550	533	554	546	534	488	477	436	515	461
35–44	479	456	396	444	418	405	370	383	381	368	343
45–54	187	179	199	197	200	175	180	188	174	181	170
55 and over	89	107	123	119	106	121	108	112	103	123	129
Age not stated	4	3	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Sources: General Register Office (Scotland); General Register Office (Northern Ireland)

TABLE 2.22

Divorce [1]

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
England and Wales											
Decrees absolute, granted:											
Number	39,067	43,093	45,794	51,310	58,239	74,437	119,025	106,003	113,500	120,522	126,694
Rate per 1,000 married population [2]	3.2	3.5	3.7	4.1	4.7	6.0	9.5	8.4	9.0	9.6	10.1
Duration of marriage:											
0–4 years	4,623	5,299	6,006	6,917	8,183	9,659	15,275	16,148	18,534	20,569	22,437
5–9 years	12,601	14,028	14,581	16,924	19,398	22,606	33,629	31,083	33,643	36,157	38,247
10–14 years	8,340	9,011	9,766	10,752	12,154	14,354	21,809	20,036	21,120	22,671	23,736
15–19 years	5,824	6,121	6,216	6,681	7,548	9,434	15,256	13,895	14,738	15,637	16,238
20 years and over	7,679	8,634	9,225	10,036	10,956	18,384	33,056	24,841	25,465	25,488	26,036
Age of wife at marriage											
16–19 years	14,044	16,020	17,504	20,090	23,366	27,839	44,542	40,459	43,323	46,501	48,784
20–24 years	18,037	19,677	20,640	23,093	26,016	33,953	53,602	47,951	51,399	54,184	56,452
25–29 years	4,080	4,330	4,487	4,773	5,211	7,533	12,126	10,096	10,630	11,306	12,138
30–34 years	1,413	1,481	1,488	1,623	1,710	2,454	4,117	3,564	3,740	3,912	4,231
35–39 years	702	754	749	798	867	1,174	2,047	1,665	1,864	1,894	2,137
40–44 years	385	386	444	443	451	636	1,111	953	1,028	1,171	1,203
45 years and over	406	445	482	490	618	848	1,480	1,315	1,516	1,554	1,749
Age of wife at divorce											
16–24 years	4,414	5,417	6,100	6,901	8,196	9,398	13,850	13,524	12,565	14,159	15,265
25–29 years	9,358	10,322	10,849	12,860	14,918	17,811	27,819	26,482	28,548	30,508	31,101
30–34 years	7,597	8,193	8,872	10,173	11,430	13,284	19,819	18,607	20,877	22,711	25,353
35–39 years	5,796	6,234	6,540	6,984	8,030	9,498	15,039	14,247	15,669	16,733	17,497
40–44 years	4,764	5,022	5,048	5,367	5,976	7,521	12,147	10,495	11,606	12,289	13,063
45 years and over	7,138	7,905	8,385	9,025	9,689	16,925	30,351	22,648	24,235	24,122	24,415
Divorces in which there were:											
No children	11,028	11,791	12,300	13,906	15,183	20,457	30,824	26,318	28,870	30,962	33,729
1 or more children	28,039	31,302	33,494	37,404	43,056	53,980	88,201	79,685	84,630	89,560	92,965
Scotland											
Decrees absolute, granted [3]:											
Number	3,276	2,765	4,446	3,911	4,270	4,485	5,155	6,670	6,745	7,795	8,129
Rate per 1,000 married population	1.3	1.1	1.8	1.6	1.7	1.8	2.1	2.7	2.7	3.1	3.2
Duration of marriage:											
0–4 years	508	421	808	757	877	911	996	1,319	1,364	1,598	1,849
5–9 years	1,092	913	1,396	1,227	1,332	1,446	1,628	2,083	2,141	2,478	2,490
10–14 years	708	612	1,001	816	900	922	1,082	1,315	1,255	1,519	1,487
15–19 years	424	395	558	511	537	528	703	895	947	1,046	1,049
20 years and over	544	424	683	600	624	678	746	1,058	1,038	1,154	1,254
Age of wife at marriage:											
16–20 years	1,776	1,572	2,607	2,256	2,517	2,656	3,086	4,079	4,110	4,721	4,913
21–24 years	993	768	1,253	1,170	1,192	1,244	1,405	1,811	1,825	2,132	2,187
25–29 years	314	248	350	304	334	348	418	519	475	564	612
30–34 years	106	96	119	85	114	106	120	126	152	168	201
35–39 years	44	40	47	41	53	60	57	57	61	97	81
40–44 years	15	17	32	30	26	32	32	24	49	51	62
45 years and over	28	24	38	25	34	39	37	54	73	62	73
Age of wife at divorce:											
16–24 years	611	529	971	860	974	1,077	1,182	1,478	1,535	1,712	1,909
25–29 years	792	679	1,081	958	1,047	1,080	1,277	1,748	1,728	2,083	2,116
30–34 years	647	527	862	747	825	877	972	1,211	1,170	1,402	1,419
35–39 years	445	391	581	546	571	534	689	865	890	1,043	1,022
40–44 years	331	300	393	337	373	397	430	584	624	724	734
45 years and over	450	339	558	463	480	520	605	784	798	831	929
Actions [4] in which there were:											
No children	859	713	1,150	1,046	1,164	1,244	1,513	1,836	1,977	2,301	2,463
1 or more children	2,842	2,390	3,808	3,379	3,646	3,801	4,284	5,641	5,573	6,377	6,508

[1] For an analysis of divorce petitions filed, etc., by grounds, see Table 3.71. [2] In England and Wales 'married population' refers to married couples i.e. rate per 1,000 married couples. [3] These figures relate only to persons who were married in Scotland, and obtained their decree of divorce from the Court of Session. [4] These Actions relate to all persons divorced or separated in Scotland, irrespective of the country of marriage.

Sources: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys; General Register Office (Scotland); Scottish Courts Administration

Mean family size of women married once only at all ages under 45 [1]

Analysed by year and duration of marriage

Great Britain

TABLE 2.23

	Marriage duration (exact years)						
	2	5	10	15	20	25	30
Calendar year of marriage							
1930	0.64	1.17	1.69	1.98	2.12	2.15	2.15
1931	0.63	1.14	1.66	1.97	2.11	2.14	2.14
1932	0.61	1.13	1.63	1.98	2.11	2.14	2.13
1933	0.62	1.12	1.63	1.98	2.10	2.12	2.11
1934	0.61	1.11	1.62	1.96	2.06	2.08	2.08
1935	0.58	1.09	1.63	1.97	2.07	2.09	2.08
1936	0.57	1.06	1.64	1.95	2.04	2.05	2.05
1937	0.56	1.02	1.67	1.96	2.05	2.06	2.06
1938	0.57	1.05	1.72	1.99	2.07	2.09	2.09
1939	0.48	1.01	1.70	1.96	2.06	2.08	2.09
1940	0.44	0.97	1.66	1.90	2.00	2.02	2.02
1941	0.46	1.01	1.69	1.94	2.04	2.06	2.06
1942	0.47	1.07	1.71	1.97	2.08	2.10	2.10
1943	0.54	1.18	1.77	2.02	2.14	2.16	2.17
1944	0.59	1.25	1.81	2.07	2.19	2.20	2.20
1945	0.61	1.26	1.81	2.09	2.19	2.21	2.21
1946	0.67	1.27	1.83	2.09	2.19	2.21	
1947	0.67	1.26	1.83	2.11	2.21	2.23	
1948	0.65	1.25	1.84	2.12	2.22	2.23	
1949	0.63	1.24	1.85	2.13	2.22	2.24	
1950	0.63	1.27	1.87	2.15	2.25	2.27	
1951	0.59	1.20	1.87	2.15	2.24		
1952	0.59	1.22	1.91	2.20	2.28		
1953	0.59	1.26	1.95	2.23	2.31		
1954	0.59	1.27	1.99	2.25	2.32		
1955	0.61	1.31	2.02	2.26	2.32		
1956	0.62	1.34	2.06	2.31			
1957	0.63	1.37	2.08	2.31			
1958	0.64	1.41	2.12	2.34			
1959	0.65	1.44	2.13	2.32			
1960	0.67	1.47	2.16	2.35			
1961	0.69	1.48	2.13				
1962	0.70	1.48	2.11				
1963	0.70	1.48	2.09				
1964	0.70	1.46	2.04				
1965	0.69	1.43	1.99				
1966	0.66	1.40					
1967	0.65	1.37					
1968	0.61	1.33					
1969	0.60	1.29					
1970	0.57	1.24					
1971	0.52						
1972	0.48						
1973	0.46						

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[1] The figures refer to women married in the calendar years shown from 1930 onwards. Mean family size is the average number of liveborn children born to these women by the time they reached the marriage durations shown. The figures take account of births up to those of 1972. Thus, the figure of 1.66 shown at duration 10 years against 1940 is the average number of liveborn children by their tenth wedding anniversary to women who married at ages under 45 for the first time in 1940.

Sources: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys; General Register Office (Scotland)

Births

TABLE 2.24

Annual averages or calendar years

	Live births										Still-births	
	By sex				By legitimacy			Rates				
	Total	Males	Females	Males born per 1,000 females	Legitimate	Illegitimate	Illegitimate as percentage of all live births	Total per 1,000 population	Total per 1,000 women aged 15-44	Legitimate per 1,000 married women aged 15 44	Thousands	Rate per 1,000 births (including still-births)
	Thousands				Thousands							
United Kingdom												
1900-02	1,095	558	537	1,037	1,049	47	4.3	28.6	115.1	240.7	..	..
1910-12	1,037	528	508	1,039	989	47	4.5	24.6	99.4	202.5	..	..
1920-22	1,018	522	496	1,052	968	49	4.8	23.1	93.0	..	..	..
1930-32	750	383	367	1,046	713	36	4.8	16.3	66.5	..	..	..
1940-42	723	372	351	1,062	685	38	5.3	15.0	..	..	..	..
1950-52	803	413	390	1,061	763	40	5.0	16.0	73.7	..	..	..
1960-62	946	487	459	1,063	892	55	5.8	17.9	90.3	..	..	..
1970-72	880	453	427	1,064	808	72	8.2	15.8	82.5	..	12	13
1961	944	486	458	1,061	890	54	5.7	17.9	90.6	..	19	19
1962	976	502	473	1,062	914	61	6.3	18.3	92.2	..	18	18
1963	990	508	482	1,056	925	65	6.6	18.5	92.5	..	18	18
1964	1,015	522	492	1,061	945	70	6.9	18.8	94.3	..	17	17
1965	997	513	484	1,059	924	73	7.3	18.4	93.2	..	16	16
1966	980	504	475	1,061	905	74	7.6	18.0	91.7	..	15	15
1967	962	495	467	1,059	884	78	8.1	17.6	90.3	..	15	15
1968	947	487	460	1,059	869	78	8.2	17.2	89.1	..	14	14
1969	920	473	447	1,059	845	75	8.1	16.7	86.7	..	12	13
1970	904	465	439	1,059	831	73	8.0	16.3	85.2	..	12	13
1971	902	464	438	1,059	827	74	8.2	16.2	84.8	..	12	13
1972	834	430	404	1,065	764	70	8.4	14.9	78.1	..	10	12
1973	780	402	377	1,067	714	66	8.4	13.9	72.6	..	9	12
1974	737	380	358	1,060	674	64	8.7	13.2	68.3	..	8	11
1975	698	359	338	1,062	635	63	9.0	12.5	64.3	..	7	11
1976[2]	676	347	328	1,058	614	61	9.0	12.1	61.7	..	7	10
England and Wales[1]												
1900-02	932	475	458	1,037	896	37	3.9	28.6	114.8	235.5	..	..
1910-12	884	450	433	1,040	846	37	4.2	24.5	98.6	197.4	..	..
1920-22	862	442	420	1,051	823	39	4.5	22.8	91.1	179.1	..	..
1930-32	632	323	309	1,047	603	28	4.5	15.8	64.3	122.7	27	41
1940-42	607	312	295	1,057	576	31	5.1	14.5	60.4	98.9	22	36
1950-52	683	351	332	1,058	649	34	4.9	15.6	72.1	105.8	16	20
1960-62	812	418	394	1,061	763	49	6.0	17.6	89.0	123.5	16	19
1970-72	764	394	371	1,061	700	64	8.4	15.7	81.5	109.4	10	13
1961	811	418	394	1,062	763	48	6.0	17.6	89.2	123.8	16	19
1962	839	432	407	1,060	783	55	6.6	18.0	90.7	126.1	15	18
1963	854	438	416	1,055	795	59	6.9	18.2	91.3	126.9	15	17
1964	876	451	425	1,062	813	63	7.2	18.6	93.0	128.7	15	16
1965	863	443	420	1,056	796	66	7.7	18.1	92.1	126.9	14	16
1966	850	437	413	1,060	783	67	7.9	17.8	90.8	124.8	13	15
1967	832	428	404	1,058	762	70	8.4	17.3	89.1	121.5	13	15
1968	819	421	398	1,058	749	70	8.5	16.9	87.9	119.2	12	14
1969	798	410	387	1,058	730	67	8.4	16.4	85.6	115.8	11	13
1970	784	403	381	1,058	720	65	8.3	16.1	84.3	113.5	10	13
1971	783	403	380	1,061	717	66	8.4	16.0	84.0	112.4	10	12
1972	725	374	351	1,064	663	63	8.6	14.8	77.5	103.6	9	12
1973	676	349	327	1,065	618	58	8.6	13.7	71.7	96.2	8	12
1974	640	329	310	1,061	583	56	8.8	13.0	67.5	91.1	7	11
1975	603	311	293	1,062	549	55	9.1	12.3	63.3	85.9	6	10
1976[2]	584	300	284	1,058	531	54	9.2	11.9	60.8	83.3	6	10

[1] Until 1930-32, figures relate to the number of births registered in the calendar year; later figures are of the number of births actually occurring in the year. [2] Provisional.

Sources: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys; General Register Office (Scotland); General Register Office (Northern Ireland)

Births

TABLE **2.24** *(continued)*

Annual averages or calendar years

	Live births										Still-births	
	Total	By sex			By legitimacy			Rates			Thousands	Rate per 1,000 births (including still-births)
		Males	Females	Males born per 1,000 females	Legitimate	Illegitimate	Illegitimate as percentage of all live births	Total per 1,000 population	Total per 1,000 women aged 15-44	Legitimate per 1,000 married women aged 16-44		
	Thousands				Thousands							
Scotland												
1900-02	132.0	67.4	64.5	1,046	123.6	8.4	6.4	29.5	121.9	271.8	. .	. .
1910-12	122.9	62.8	60.1	1,044	113.8	9.1	7.4	25.9	107.3	233.2	. .	. .
1920-22	124.9	63.9	61.1	1,046	116.0	8.9	7.2	25.6	105.1	226.7	. .	. .
1930-32	92.6	47.2	45.4	1,040	85.9	6.7	7.2	19.1	80.1	169.0	. .	. .
1940-42	88.9	45.6	43.4	1,051	83.1	5.9	6.6	18.5	73.0	136.9	3.7	40
1950-52	91.2	46.9	44.3	1,060	86.6	4.6	5.0	17.9	80.1	132.3	2.5	27
1960-62	102.3	52.6	49.7	1,060	97.6	4.7	4.6	19.7	97.5	146.1	2.2	21
1970-72	84.2	43.3	40.9	1,057	77.4	6.8	8.1	16.2	83.3	117.1	1.1	13
1961	101.2	52.0	49.2	1,056	96.5	4.6	4.6	19.5	96.9	145.7	2.1	21
1962	104.3	53.9	50.4	1,070	99.3	5.0	4.8	20.1	99.0	148.8	2.1	20
1963	102.7	52.7	50.0	1,053	97.4	5.3	5.2	19.7	97.1	145.2	2.0	19
1964	104.4	53.7	50.7	1,060	98.7	5.6	5.4	20.0	98.6	147.3	1.9	18
1965	100.7	52.0	48.6	1,070	94.8	5.9	5.8	19.3	96.3	142.3	1.8	18
1966	96.5	49.8	46.8	1,064	90.4	6.2	6.4	18.6	93.5	137.2	1.6	16
1967	96.2	49.6	46.6	1,065	89.6	6.7	6.9	18.5	94.3	136.9	1.5	16
1968	94.8	48.9	45.9	1,065	87.8	7.0	7.4	18.2	93.5	134.7	1.4	15
1969	90.3	46.7	43.6	1,069	83.6	6.7	7.5	17.3	89.5	128.1	1.3	14
1970	87.3	45.0	42.3	1,065	80.6	6.7	7.7	16.8	86.6	123.1	1.2	14
1971	86.7	44.5	42.3	1,052	79.7	7.0	8.1	16.6	85.6	120.1	1.2	13
1972	78.6	40.3	38.3	1,053	71.9	6.7	8.5	15.1	77.7	108.1	1.1	13
1973	74.4	38.6	35.8	1,079	67.9	6.5	8.8	14.3	73.4	102.3	0.9	12
1974	70.1	35.8	34.3	1,045	63.7	6.3	9.1	13.4	68.3	95.7	0.9	12
1975	67.9	35.0	32.9	1,064	61.6	6.3	9.3	13.1	66.1	93.2	0.8	11
1976	64.9	33.5	31.4	1,067	58.9	6.0	9.3	12.5	62.4	89.3	0.6	10
Northern Ireland												
1900-02	30.8	15.9	14.9	1,064	29.6	1.2	3.9	24.9	99.7	283.2	. .	. .
1910-12	30.3	15.5	14.8	1,042	29.0	1.3	4.2	24.2	101.8	266.2	. .	. .
1920-22	30.6	15.7	14.9	1,048	29.3	1.3	4.4	24.3	104.8	. .	. .	. .
1930-32	25.6	13.1	12.5	1,047	24.3	1.3	5.0	20.5	87.7	. .	. .	. .
1940-42	27.3	14.2	13.1	1,079	26.0	1.3	4.8	21.1	. .	. .	. .	. .
1950-52	28.7	14.8	13.9	1,066	27.7	0.9	3.4	20.9	85.6	. .	. .	. .
1960-62	32.2	16.6	15.5	1,068	31.4	0.8	2.5	22.5	111.7	. .	. .	. .
1970-72	31.3	16.2	15.1	1,074	30.1	1.2	3.9	20.4	106.2	. .	0.5	14
1961	31.9	16.4	15.5	1,058	31.1	0.8	2.5	22.4	111.5	. .	0.7	22
1962	32.6	16.8	15.8	1,067	31.8	0.8	2.4	22.7	112.7	. .	0.7	22
1963	33.4	17.3	16.1	1,077	32.5	0.9	2.6	23.1	114.4	. .	0.7	19
1964	34.3	17.6	16.7	1,053	33.3	1.0	3.0	23.6	116.5	. .	0.7	19
1965	33.9	17.7	16.2	1,094	32.9	1.0	2.9	23.1	114.5	. .	0.7	19
1966	33.2	17.3	15.9	1,090	32.2	1.0	3.1	22.5	112.0	. .	0.6	16
1967	33.4	17.2	16.2	1,057	32.2	1.2	3.6	22.4	114.4	. .	0.6	17
1968	33.2	17.2	16.0	1,070	32.0	1.2	3.8	22.1	113.3	. .	0.5	16
1969	32.4	16.6	15.8	1,049	31.2	1.2	3.7	21.4	110.4	. .	0.5	15
1970	32.1	16.5	15.5	1,064	30.9	1.2	3.8	21.1	108.8	. .	0.5	14
1971	31.8	16.5	15.3	1,081	30.6	1.2	3.8	20.7	108.6	. .	0.5	14
1972	30.0	15.6	14.4	1,078	28.7	1.3	4.2	19.4	101.3	. .	0.4	14
1973	29.2	15.2	14.0	1,079	28.0	1.2	4.1	18.9	97.3	. .	0.4	13
1974	27.2	14.0	13.2	1,062	25.9	1.3	4.5	17.6	91.1	. .	0.4	14
1975	26.1	13.5	12.6	1,065	24.8	1.3	5.1	17.0	87.8	. .	0.4	14
1976	26.4	13.5	12.8	1,056	25.0	1.3	5.0	17.1	87.8	. .	0.3	10

Sources: General Register Office (Scotland); General Register Office (Northern Ireland)

Live births by age of mother

England and Wales

TABLE **2.25**

	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
Age of mother:					Number						
All ages	862,725	849,823	832,164	819,272	797,538	784,486	783,155	725,440	675,953	639,885	603,445
15-19[1]	81,611	86,746	84,542	82,075	81,659	80,975	82,641	79,087	73,270	68,724	63,507
20-24	278,874	285,808	291,656	295,946	289,012	289,209	285,703	249,109	223,674	208,084	190,198
25-29	263,395	253,743	243,802	240,807	238,381	238,228	247,239	247,676	243,753	235,593	225,990
30-34	144,638	136,406	130,279	125,316	120,395	114,086	109,616	98,739	91,801	89,132	88,379
35-39	72,022	67,036	63,085	58,083	52,843	48,323	45,224	39,821	34,178	30,308	28,147
40-44	20,820	18,714	17,522	15,904	14,238	12,756	11,915	10,313	8,649	7,496	6,653
45 and over	1,365	1,370	1,278	1,141	1,010	909	817	695	628	548	571
					Rates per 1,000 women[2]						
15-44	92.08	90.75	89.07	87.87	85.64	84.25	83.99	77.47	71.67	67.51	63.35
15-19	45.40	47.93	49.09	49.25	49.85	49.91	50.98	48.11	43.90	40.43	36.45
20-24	179.55	176.59	166.96	163.26	157.39	156.14	154.43	141.84	130.98	123.37	114.74
25-29	180.80	174.56	167.35	163.34	158.35	154.69	154.46	142.84	135.45	129.82	123.20
30-34	102.63	97.32	93.07	89.19	84.93	80.13	77.70	69.99	63.61	60.31	58.52
35-39	48.13	45.33	43.23	40.29	37.31	34.68	32.82	28.94	24.63	21.63	20.00
40-44	12.58	11.68	11.25	10.43	9.50	8.62	8.14	7.15	6.07	5.36	4.84
45-49	0.92	0.89	0.81	0.69	0.59	0.56	0.52	0.45	0.42	0.37	0.39

[1] Includes births to mothers aged less than 15. [2] Rates are based on Total and not on Home population.

Source: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys

Live births by age of mother

Scotland

TABLE **2.26**

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Age of mother:					Number						
All ages	96,536	96,221	94,786	90,290	87,335	86,728	78,550	74,392	70,093	67,943	64,895
15-19[1]	9,363	9,447	9,077	8,931	9,034	9,196	9,231	8,940	8,784	8,267	7,514
20-24	30,898	31,966	32,805	31,386	31,478	31,480	27,175	25,232	23,689	22,700	21,340
25-29	29,003	28,480	28,028	26,974	25,874	26,015	24,871	24,718	23,631	23,579	23,293
30-34	16,443	15,910	15,310	14,380	13,400	12,854	11,249	10,341	9,475	9,169	9,024
35-39	8,322	8,013	7,478	6,732	5,873	5,583	4,682	4,109	3,422	3,237	2,897
40-44	2,345	2,223	1,941	1,752	1,537	1,468	1,234	968	887	762	656
45 and over	134	150	124	119	102	65	61	42	62	56	32
Age not stated	28	32	23	16	37	67	47	42	143	173	139
					Rates per 1,000 women						
15-44	93.55	94.36	93.51	89.25	86.32	85.40	77.69	73.36	68.06	66.09	62.32
15-19	44.17	47.15	46.60	46.48	47.20	47.56	46.85	44.61	42.80	39.86	35.61
20-24	175.01	169.35	168.53	157.99	155.28	153.31	146.03	138.25	128.47	124.06	114.69
25-29	182.66	181.32	176.87	167.57	159.10	156.07	146.99	141.91	131.78	128.92	124.39
30-34	106.74	105.53	102.29	96.07	89.67	86.50	74.64	68.64	61.88	59.83	57.95
35-39	51.91	50.96	48.47	44.53	39.62	38.35	30.96	27.23	22.61	21.47	19.37
40-44	13.94	13.61	12.13	11.14	9.90	9.56	7.84	6.23	5.78	5.06	4.39
45-49	0.83	0.90	0.73	0.68	0.62	0.40	0.38	0.26	0.39	0.36	0.21

[1] Includes births to mothers aged less than 15.

Source: General Register Office (Scotland)

Legitimate live births

TABLE **2.27**

England and Wales

Number

	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
All legitimate live births	796,476	782,767	762,236	749,466	730,497	719,742	717,477	662,929	617,856	583,399	548,554
To remarried women	16,091	16,794	16,995	17,500	18,908	18,805	19,384	20,624	22,413	24,500	25,119
To women married once only	780,385	765,973	745,241	731,966	711,589	700,937	698,093	642,305	595,443	558,899	523,435
Duration of present marriage[1] (years):											
Under 1	114,024	114,907	115,087	112,712	107,782	103,775	100,056	87,545	76,726	66,760	58,711
1	93,632	94,714	92,361	90,905	88,375	87,242	87,234	76,778	69,178	63,473	56,593
2	86,091	87,772	86,991	87,724	87,523	89,662	89,428	85,572	79,966	73,401	66,448
3	82,187	81,310	81,129	82,847	82,727	84,336	86,177	83,410	81,853	77,457	71,243
4	71,500	70,262	67,289	68,415	68,844	70,704	73,009	70,742	69,370	69,282	65,364
5	61,029	59,264	56,798	55,389	55,146	55,469	58,313	55,568	54,661	54,919	54,935
6	48,920	48,288	46,512	44,705	42,964	42,828	43,985	42,679	40,363	40,700	40,654
7	40,866	39,093	38,048	36,427	34,936	33,585	33,928	31,127	29,611	29,086	29,741
8	34,631	32,077	30,059	29,410	28,307	26,359	25,607	22,942	21,082	20,395	20,531
9	28,215	27,034	25,097	23,895	23,278	21,764	20,441	17,772	15,975	14,858	14,763
10-14	82,115	76,729	72,730	68,832	63,830	60,429	56,772	48,231	40,319	34,950	32,372
15-19	30,380	28,181	26,804	24,740	22,510	19,918	18,515	15,934	12,964	10,789	9,289
20-24	6,229	5,811	5,825	5,542	5,014	4,593	4,299	3,736	3,087	2,563	2,035
25 and over	566	531	511	423	353	273	329	269	288	266	294
Previous liveborn children[1]											
0	284,778	284,823	282,613	279,377	275,340	274,252	280,257	262,155	249,335	237,632	221,539
1	243,758	241,983	237,958	237,752	233,572	233,089	235,212	223,859	215,795	208,279	198,379
2	130,527	125,769	119,829	116,156	112,433	110,332	106,895	93,605	80,468	71,759	67,072
3	61,350	57,722	53,833	51,439	48,269	45,757	42,897	36,345	29,524	24,698	22,105
4	28,822	27,118	25,198	23,638	21,247	19,554	17,409	14,175	10,926	8,984	7,772
5	14,711	13,619	12,493	11,712	10,592	9,337	7,888	6,342	4,720	3,876	3,354
6	7,746	6,993	6,307	5,814	5,157	4,329	3,941	2,981	2,419	1,814	1,600
7	4,069	3,755	3,304	3,050	2,421	2,145	1,825	1,436	1,183	941	804
8	2,110	1,926	1,754	1,434	1,261	1,032	857	686	554	483	424
9 or more	2,514	2,265	1,952	1,594	1,297	1,110	912	721	519	433	386

[1] To women married once only.

Source: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys

Legitimate live births

TABLE 2.28

Scotland

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
All legitimate live births	90,376	89,558	87,788	83,557	80,623	79,699	71,889	67,872	63,744	61,629	58,870
Duration of present marriage (years):											
Under 1	13,556	14,153	14,004	13,461	12,972	12,529	11,391	10,254	10,011	8,891	7,927
1	12,087	11,883	11,982	11,194	10,577	10,136	8,877	8,381	7,827	7,506	6,813
2	10,215	10,208	10,230	9,786	9,899	9,862	9,193	8,909	8,554	8,129	7,727
3	9,168	9,246	9,402	9,167	9,249	9,593	8,991	8,848	8,392	8,234	7,898
4	8,119	7,853	7,789	7,740	7,751	8,139	7,525	7,573	7,390	7,390	7,091
5	6,689	6,607	6,327	6,124	6,117	6,210	5,936	5,902	5,471	5,722	5,913
6	5,598	5,381	5,352	4,950	4,866	4,805	4,431	4,318	4,161	4,207	4,321
7	4,580	4,488	4,354	4,061	3,824	3,879	3,346	3,172	2,827	3,048	3,222
8	3,782	3,692	3,485	3,346	3,043	2,923	2,551	2,392	2,186	2,182	2,152
9	3,202	3,051	2,836	2,722	2,488	2,488	2,008	1,811	1,667	1,595	1,526
10-14	9,467	9,208	8,529	7,818	7,158	6,526	5,449	4,591	3,850	3,507	3,235
15-19	3,245	3,110	2,872	2,632	2,241	2,199	1,841	1,429	1,168	988	857
20-24	622	633	592	525	422	385	325	266	229	213	174
25 and over	45	36	34	31	16	24	23	25	11	17	14
Not stated	1	9	–	–	–	1	2	1	–	–	–
Previous children of all marriages:											
0	30,915	31,450	31,231	30,466	29,938	30,386	28,465	27,681	26,697	25,869	24,653
1	26,170	25,803	25,983	24,850	24,828	24,988	22,969	22,854	22,039	21,951	21,659
2	15,727	15,560	14,986	14,145	13,516	13,094	11,330	9,917	9,022	8,429	7,974
3	8,338	8,059	7,681	7,107	6,492	6,072	5,062	4,223	3,519	3,211	2,699
4	4,321	4,161	3,823	3,426	3,018	2,692	2,219	1,761	1,339	1,211	1,033
5	2,250	2,142	2,034	1,812	1,486	1,248	933	738	565	488	389
6	1,264	1,143	984	880	679	609	451	339	286	223	202
7	612	612	484	419	328	301	199	187	140	106	107
8	379	287	269	200	151	141	122	79	57	44	39
9 or more	390	341	303	247	168	159	127	88	79	66	53
Not stated	10	–	10	5	18	9	12	5	1	31	62

Source: General Register Office (Scotland)

Deaths: analysis by age and sex

United Kingdom

TABLE 2.29

Annual averages or calendar years

Number

	All ages [1]	Under 1 year	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65-74	75-84	85 and over
Males														
1900-02 . .	340,664	87,242	37,834	8,429	4,696	7,047	8,766	19,154	24,749	30,488	37,610	39,765	28,320	6,563
1910-12 . .	303,703	63,885	29,452	7,091	4,095	5,873	6,817	16,141	21,813	28,981	37,721	45,140	29,397	7,283
1920-22 . .	284,876	48,044	19,008	6,052	3,953	5,906	6,572	13,663	19,702	29,256	40,583	49,398	34,937	7,801
1930-32 . .	284,249	28,840	11,276	4,580	2,890	5,076	6,495	12,327	16,326	29,376	47,989	63,804	45,247	10,022
1940-42 . .	314,643	24,624	6,949	3,400	2,474	4,653	4,246	11,506	17,296	30,082	57,076	79,652	59,733	12,900
1950-52 . .	307,312	14,105	2,585	1,317	919	1,498	2,289	5,862	11,074	27,637	53,691	86,435	79,768	20,131
1960-62 . .	318,850	12,234	1,733	971	871	1,718	1,857	3,842	8,753	26,422	63,009	87,542	83,291	26,605
1970-72 . .	335,166	9,158	1,485	1,019	802	1,778	2,104	3,590	7,733	24,608	64,898	105,058	82,905	30,027
1961	322,023	12,048	1,836	960	863	1,712	1,833	3,947	8,799	26,556	63,586	88,408	84,371	27,104
1962	325,783	12,705	1,709	907	893	1,846	1,826	3,718	8,858	26,278	65,145	89,826	84,195	27,877
1963	334,842	12,408	1,846	1,020	813	1,875	1,888	3,828	9,230	26,293	67,841	92,055	86,524	29,221
1964	314,573	11,989	1,641	954	804	2,090	1,913	3,789	9,323	25,213	65,846	86,936	78,074	26,001
1965	323,083	11,325	1,712	1,040	821	2,137	1,898	3,743	9,185	25,440	66,930	90,982	80,283	27,587
1966	329,757	11,105	1,852	987	820	2,269	1,988	3,709	8,851	25,394	67,252	94,060	82,112	29,358
1967	315,461	10,254	1,690	1,005	848	1,967	1,976	3,519	8,253	24,152	64,683	92,230	77,244	27,640
1968	333,594	10,319	1,753	1,030	807	1,788	1,974	3,386	8,220	24,481	66,381	98,937	84,089	30,429
1969	337,800	9,894	1,713	998	800	1,808	1,999	3,595	8,116	25,167	68,265	104,219	82,325	28,901
1970	334,353	9,713	1,556	978	773	1,752	2,131	3,585	7,836	24,399	66,658	103,587	81,995	29,390
1971	328,537	9,366	1,439	1,055	834	1,802	2,091	3,524	7,735	24,242	63,657	102,139	81,183	29,470
1972	342,605	8,393	1,460	1,024	801	1,779	2,092	3,661	7,629	25,184	64,379	109,448	85,535	31,220
1973	338,788	7,783	1,438	978	790	1,819	2,213	3,953	7,530	25,434	61,970	108,871	85,172	30,837
1974	337,263	7,180	1,307	858	775	1,894	1,968	3.820	7.448	25,864	59,703	110,718	84,491	31,236
1975	335,006	6,392	1,139	829	842	1,871	2,018	3,845	7,006	24,630	58,581	110,126	86,653	31,074
1976[2] . .	341,899	5,700	1,036	797	766	1,976	1,993	3,870	6,973	23,654	59,705	112,233	90,720	32,476
Females														
1900-02 . .	322,058	68,770	36,164	8,757	5,034	6,818	8,264	18,702	21,887	25,679	34,521	42,456	34,907	10,099
1910-12 . .	289,608	49,865	27,817	7,113	4,355	5,683	6,522	15,676	19,647	24,481	32,813	46,453	37,353	11,828
1920-22 . .	274,772	35,356	17,323	5,808	4,133	5,729	6,753	14,878	18,121	24,347	34,026	48,573	45,522	14,203
1930-32 . .	275,336	21,072	9,995	3,990	2,734	4,721	5,931	12,699	15,373	24,695	39,471	59,520	56,250	18,886
1940-42 . .	296,646	17,936	5,952	2,743	2,068	4,180	5,028	11,261	14,255	23,629	42,651	70,907	71,377	24,658
1950-52 . .	291,597	10,293	2,098	880	625	1,115	1,717	5,018	8,989	18,875	37,075	75,220	92,848	36,844
1960-62 . .	304,871	8,887	1,334	627	522	684	811	2,504	6,513	16,720	36,078	73,118	105,956	51,117
1970-72 . .	322,968	6,666	1,183	654	459	718	900	2,110	5,345	15,594	36,177	75,599	109,539	68,024
1961	309,765	8,837	1,351	601	529	712	849	2,453	6,495	16,951	36,290	74,787	107,824	52,086
1962	310,268	9,114	1,364	615	499	704	831	2,548	6,601	16,492	36,711	73,724	107,636	53,429
1963	319,446	9,160	1,449	603	455	714	760	2,532	6,722	16,565	37,442	75,815	111,131	56,098
1964	296,557	8,868	1,342	619	485	822	810	2,365	6,576	15,828	35,774	70,864	100,964	51,238
1965	304,715	8,246	1,414	612	535	839	833	2,306	6,549	15,772	36,168	72,452	103,569	55,418
1966	313,997	8,129	1,425	612	476	888	853	2,282	6,123	16,118	36,281	74,021	107,571	59,217
1967	301,249	7,821	1,317	624	506	814	863	2,111	5,840	15,359	35,373	71,005	101,744	57,872
1968	322,404	7,429	1,379	669	498	703	835	2,166	5,744	15,610	36,806	74,936	110,101	65,528
1969	321,737	7,188	1,279	579	423	714	918	2,125	5,874	15,824	37,725	77,205	108,387	63,496
1970	321,029	7,002	1,181	648	467	662	957	2,118	5,501	15,527	36,652	76,033	108,483	65,798
1971	316,541	6,798	1,129	649	493	721	866	2,105	5,267	15,358	35,621	73,502	107,057	66,975
1972	331,333	6,198	1,238	665	416	770	878	2,107	5,267	15,897	36,260	77,261	113,076	71,300
1973	330,904	5,646	1,060	610	455	803	847	2,166	5,145	15,822	34,733	77,067	113,393	73,157
1974	330.096	5,172	981	581	503	736	805	2,070	5,038	15,972	34,342	76,929	112,492	74,475
1975	327,471	4,798	860	540	405	751	813	2,211	4,897	15,054	33,904	75,459	112,838	74,941
1976[2] . .	338,878	4,062	735	517	482	721	785	2,263	4,737	14,913	34,469	76,950	118,251	79,993

[1] In some years the totals include a small number of persons whose age was not stated. [2] Provisional.

Sources: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys; General Register Office (Scotland); General Register Office (Northern Ireland)

Deaths: analysis by age and sex

England and Wales

TABLE 2.29 (*continued*)

Annual averages or calendar years

Number

	All ages	Under 1 year	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65-74	75-84	85 and over
Males														
1900-02..	288,886	76,095	32,051	7,066	3,818	5,611	7,028	15,869	21,135	26,065	31,600	33,568	23,835	5,144
1910-12..	257,253	54,678	24,676	5,907	3,348	4,765	5,596	13,603	18,665	24,820	32,217	38,016	24,928	6,036
1920-22..	240,605	39,796	15,565	5,151	3,314	4,901	5,447	11,551	17,004	25,073	34,639	42,025	29,685	6,455
1930-32..	243,147	23,331	9,099	3,844	2,435	4,354	5,580	10,600	14,041	25,657	41,581	54,910	39,091	8,624
1940-42..	268,876	19,393	5,616	2,834	2,051	3,832	3,156	9,484	14,744	25,983	50,058	68,791	51,779	11,158
1950-52..	266,879	11,498	2,131	1,087	778	1,248	1,947	4,990	9,489	23,815	46,948	75,774	69,496	17,677
1960-62..	278,369	10,157	1,444	812	742	1,523	1,624	3,278	7,524	22,813	54,908	77,000	73,180	23,364
1970-72..	293,934	7,818	1,259	860	677	1,524	1,788	3,079	6,637	21,348	56,667	92,389	73,365	26,522
1961	280,782	9,988	1,536	803	745	1,517	1,589	3,381	7,539	22,947	55,291	77,733	74,028	23,685
1962	285,154	10,573	1,435	753	759	1,648	1,614	3,184	7,588	22,708	56,957	79,139	74,201	24,595
1963	292,410	10,401	1,548	843	685	1,662	1,656	3,304	7,922	22,637	59,004	80,861	76,164	25,723
1964	274,773	10,011	1,414	808	687	1,859	1,691	3,309	8,027	21,763	57,333	76,256	68,800	22,815
1965	282,328	9,518	1,452	872	703	1,903	1,666	3,249	7,936	22,050	58,277	79,747	70,811	24,144
1966	288,622	9,357	1,563	823	706	2,001	1,725	3,193	7,620	22,037	58,673	82,782	72,378	25,764
1967	277,178	8,673	1,427	851	708	1,749	1,718	3,003	7,118	20,981	56,632	81,430	68,428	24,460
1968	293,213	8,705	1,492	868	677	1,544	1,715	2,897	7,096	21,287	58,139	87,104	74,657	27,032
1969	296,561	8,331	1,484	839	662	1,574	1,727	3,083	6,952	21,937	59,763	91,925	72,822	25,462
1970	293,053	8,269	1,315	816	649	1,551	1,836	3,089	6,717	21,162	58,099	91,037	72,625	25,888
1971	288,359	7,974	1,228	916	690	1,538	1,771	3,046	6,683	21,046	55,699	89,802	71,907	26,059
1972	300,389	7,210	1,235	847	693	1,482	1,757	3,103	6,511	21,837	56,202	96,329	75,564	27,619
1973	296,546	6,599	1,203	817	677	1,510	1,836	3,336	6,455	21,923	53,976	95,605	75,300	27,309
1974	295,315	6,137	1,095	720	649	1,582	1,666	3,241	6,222	22,388	51,883	97,331	74,770	27,631
1975	294,174	5,430	983	677	692	1,584	1,697	3,229	5,935	21,337	51,088	96,934	76,879	27,709
1976[1]..	300,047	4,873	876	675	636	1,658	1,662	3,248	5,925	20,440	52,050	98,653	80,358	28,993
Females														
1900-02..	269,432	60,090	30,674	7,278	4,010	5,265	6,497	15,065	18,253	21,474	28,424	35,307	29,118	7,977
1910-12..	242,079	42,642	23,335	5,883	3,519	4,522	5,256	12,742	16,363	20,611	27,571	38,489	31,363	9,782
1920-22..	229,908	29,178	14,174	4,928	3,456	4,719	5,533	12,244	15,142	20,580	28,633	41,010	38,439	11,871
1930-32..	233,915	16,929	8,013	3,338	2,293	3,969	5,039	10,716	13,022	21,190	33,798	50,844	48,531	16,234
1940-42..	253,702	14,174	4,726	2,265	1,695	3,426	4,198	9,470	12,093	20,413	36,814	60,987	61,891	21,550
1950-52..	252,176	8,367	1,727	732	520	893	1,365	4,131	7,586	16,161	31,875	65,087	81,154	32,579
1960-62..	266,849	7,409	1,103	527	444	591	700	2,147	5,576	14,389	31,083	63,543	93,548	45,789
1970-72..	284,181	5,677	1,020	562	396	620	806	1,814	4,585	13,417	31,222	65,817	96,952	61,293
1961	270,970	7,405	1,126	517	441	620	746	2,110	5,573	14,594	31,231	64,985	95,066	46,556
1962	272,482	7,614	1,115	518	424	609	711	2,193	5,651	14,226	31,714	64,297	95,319	48,091
1963	280,458	7,641	1,232	522	387	632	652	2,144	5,725	14,240	32,166	66,008	98,559	50,550
1964	259,964	7,434	1,138	537	402	723	705	2,040	5,713	13,589	30,786	61,517	89,472	45,908
1965	267,051	6,877	1,213	524	457	722	716	1,967	5,639	13,577	31,202	62,857	91,557	49,743
1966	275,002	6,790	1,220	518	398	737	742	1,981	5,235	13,889	31,350	64,122	95,013	53,007
1967	265,338	6,593	1,147	535	438	710	755	1,843	5,032	13,328	30,657	61,832	90,324	52,144
1968	283,541	6,277	1,195	573	430	624	740	1,870	4,894	13,420	31,796	65,168	97,651	58,903
1969	282,817	6,060	1,075	498	352	634	810	1,856	5,065	13,602	32,596	67,219	96,021	57,029
1970	282,141	5,998	1,011	538	401	570	849	1,802	4,715	13,292	31,577	66,219	95,917	59,252
1971	278,903	5,746	976	568	419	631	787	1,836	4,528	13,274	30,760	64,017	94,958	60,403
1972	291,500	5,288	1,073	579	367	658	783	1,804	4,512	13,686	31,330	67,215	99,980	64,225
1973	290,932	4,808	896	510	393	681	740	1,876	4,362	13,611	29,872	67,137	100,293	65,753
1974	289,977	4,322	827	505	442	630	688	1,785	4,291	13,828	29,471	66,992	99,398	66,798
1975	288,667	4,058	716	463	354	632	711	1,921	4,180	13,053	29,192	65,822	100,000	67,565
1976[1]..	298,447	3,447	593	452	415	620	670	1,938	4,041	12,807	29,606	67,107	104,678	72,073

[1] Provisional

Source: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys

Deaths: analysis by age and sex

Scotland

TABLE **2.29** *(continued)*

Annual averages or calendar years

Number

	All ages [1]	Under 1 year	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65-74	75-84	85 and over
Males														
1900-02	40,224	9,189	4,798	1,083	672	1,069	1,292	2,506	2,935	3,591	4,597	4,531	3,117	834
1910-12	35,981	7,510	3,935	962	595	826	910	1,969	2,469	3,325	4,356	5,113	3,182	813
1920-22	34,649	6,757	2,847	710	489	747	791	1,616	2,128	3,314	4,785	5,624	3,928	911
1930-32	32,476	4,426	1,771	610	365	568	706	1,352	1,848	2,979	5,095	6,906	4,839	1,010
1940-42	36,384	3,973	1,011	449	321	668	888	1,643	2,090	3,348	5,728	8,556	6,317	1,337
1950-52	32,236	1,949	349	175	105	200	265	693	1,267	3,151	5,574	8,544	8,094	1,871
1960-62	32,401	1,578	222	121	102	146	185	456	1,013	2,986	6,682	8,505	7,980	2,425
1970-72	32,446	944	168	119	93	178	233	396	875	2,617	6,641	10,176	7,383	2,624
1961 . . .	32,819	1,520	235	122	85	144	189	443	1,021	2,987	6,833	8,556	8,147	2,537
1962 . . .	32,702	1,673	208	119	116	159	178	437	1,065	2,944	6,772	8,628	7,899	2,504
1963 . . .	34,093	1,512	236	135	100	169	180	429	1,069	3,000	7,308	9,079	8,239	2,637
1964 . . .	31,763	1,440	179	117	91	177	177	383	1,074	2,806	7,116	8,524	7,264	2,415
1965 . . .	32,555	1,327	202	138	96	189	187	405	1,001	2,788	7,151	9,006	7,459	2,606
1966 . . .	32,476	1,283	206	124	90	208	199	422	991	2,754	7,013	8,945	7,589	2,652
1967 . . .	30,554	1,158	195	117	104	176	200	431	928	2,554	6,683	8,700	6,893	2,415
1968 . . .	32,146	1,156	217	128	103	190	210	387	935	2,633	6,770	9,484	7,354	2,579
1969 . . .	32,631	1,099	174	121	109	184	216	401	936	2,564	6,946	9,851	7,381	2,649
1970 . . .	32,538	1,010	186	125	90	161	232	403	891	2,604	6,923	9,987	7,266	2,660
1971 . . .	31,585	988	155	100	114	197	242	371	832	2,588	6,427	9,945	7,134	2,492
1972 . . .	33,215	833	162	133	76	176	226	413	902	2,658	6,573	10,596	7,748	2,719
1973 . . .	32,954	841	171	117	76	175	225	381	839	2,789	6,435	10,693	7,603	2,609
1974 . . .	32,722	748	148	97	83	202	183	403	953	2,739	6,205	10,757	7,505	2,699
1975 . . .	32,168	669	113	112	104	195	216	411	838	2,634	5,994	10,727	7,617	2,538
1976 . . .	32,983	568	110	84	97	204	212	448	811	2,621	6,109	10,926	8,146	2,647
Females														
1900-02	39,891	7,143	4,477	1,162	747	1,058	1,246	2,625	2,732	3,130	4,485	5,273	4,305	1,508
1910-12	36,132	5,854	3,674	981	618	836	910	2,149	2,473	2,909	3,960	5,636	4,588	1,552
1920-22	34,449	5,029	2,602	687	489	711	889	1,947	2,266	2,828	4,157	5,587	5,443	1,814
1930-32	32,377	3,319	1,602	527	339	568	666	1,508	1,812	2,731	4,380	6,630	6,178	2,117
1940-42	33,715	2,852	921	373	283	595	656	1,382	1,672	2,528	4,630	7,674	7,613	2,536
1950-52	31,525	1,432	284	115	84	185	293	714	1,127	2,188	4,204	8,157	9,310	3,431
1960-62	30,559	1,107	170	80	63	72	87	287	762	1,897	4,115	7,752	9,991	4,177
1970-72	30,978	694	118	69	46	73	74	231	608	1,769	4,036	7,823	10,112	5,324
1961 . . .	31,109	1,095	171	67	70	70	79	270	757	1,940	4,189	7,908	10,210	4,283
1962 . . .	30,487	1,095	183	77	61	72	94	295	769	1,860	4,159	7,640	9,986	4,196
1963 . . .	31,428	1,112	172	64	50	66	86	318	796	1,874	4,338	7,923	10,265	4,364
1964 . . .	29,276	1,068	168	56	68	80	86	268	704	1,806	4,075	7,577	9,181	4,139
1965 . . .	30,313	1,000	148	67	63	105	90	272	730	1,774	4,074	7,820	9,656	4,514
1966 . . .	31,213	956	148	75	59	119	84	241	717	1,809	4,068	7,975	10,076	4,886
1967 . . .	28,969	866	128	75	58	81	89	195	656	1,681	3,875	7,426	9,255	4,584
1968 . . .	31,165	814	139	74	49	60	72	234	667	1,787	4,078	7,850	10,075	5,266
1969 . . .	31,190	803	156	56	58	66	85	212	647	1,817	4,168	8,014	10,003	5,105
1970 . . .	31,102	704	129	82	50	77	92	244	632	1,804	4,108	7,814	10,158	5,209
1971 . . .	30,029	734	107	64	60	64	62	214	590	1,720	4,000	7,603	9,686	5,125
1972 . . .	31,802	644	117	62	29	79	67	234	602	1,783	4,001	8,052	10,493	5,639
1973 . . .	31,591	571	105	77	46	91	80	224	604	1,796	3,890	7,930	10,355	5,822
1974 . . .	32,018	578	109	59	48	73	90	217	613	1,741	3,979	8,037	10,440	6,034
1975 . . .	30,957	499	104	56	33	84	77	228	580	1,625	3,792	7,750	10,250	5,879
1976 . . .	32,270	391	86	48	49	69	88	235	567	1,708	3,916	7,961	10,795	6,357

[1] In some years the totals include a small number of persons whose age was not stated.

Source: General Register Office (Scotland)

Deaths: analysis by age and sex

Northern Ireland

TABLE **2.29** (*continued*)

Annual averages or calendar years

Number

	All ages [1]	Under 1 year	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65-74	75-84	85 and over
Males														
1900-02	11,554	1,958	985	280	206	367	446	779	669	832	1,413	1,666	1,368	585
1910-12	10,469	1,697	841	222	152	282	311	569	679	836	1,148	2,011	1,287	434
1920-22	9,622	1,491	596	191	150	258	334	496	570	869	1,159	1,749	1,324	435
1930-32	8,626	1,083	406	126	90	154	209	375	437	740	1,313	1,988	1,317	388
1940-42	9,383	1,258	322	117	102	153	202	379	462	751	1,290	2,305	1,637	405
1950-52	8,197	658	105	55	36	50	77	179	318	671	1,169	2,117	2,178	583
1960-62	8,080	499	67	38	27	49	48	108	216	623	1,419	2,037	2,131	816
1970-72	8,786	396	58	40	32	76	83	115	221	643	1,590	2,493	2,157	881
1961	8,422	540	65	35	33	51	55	123	239	622	1,462	2,119	2,196	882
1962	7,927	459	66	35	18	39	34	97	205	626	1,416	2,059	2,095	778
1963	8,339	495	62	42	28	44	52	95	239	656	1,529	2,115	2,121	861
1964	8,037	538	48	29	26	54	45	97	222	644	1,397	2,156	2,010	771
1965	8,200	480	58	30	22	45	45	89	248	602	1,502	2,229	2,013	837
1966	8,659	465	83	40	24	59	65	94	240	603	1,566	2,333	2,145	942
1967	7,729	423	68	37	36	42	58	85	207	617	1,368	2,100	1,923	765
1968	8,235	458	44	34	27	54	49	102	189	561	1,472	2,349	2,078	818
1969	8,608	464	55	38	29	50	56	111	228	666	1,556	2,443	2,122	790
1970	8,764	434	55	37	34	40	63	93	228	633	1,635	2,565	2,105	842
1971	8,593	404	56	39	30	67	78	107	220	608	1,531	2,392	2,142	919
1972	9,001	350	63	44	32	121	109	145	216	689	1,604	2,523	2,223	882
1973	9,288	343	64	44	37	134	152	236	236	722	1,559	2,573	2,269	919
1974	9,226	295	64	41	43	111	119	176	273	737	1,615	2,630	2,216	906
1975	8,664	293	43	40	46	92	105	205	233	659	1,499	2,465	2,157	827
1976	8,869	259	50	38	33	114	119	174	237	593	1,546	2,654	2,216	836
Females														
1900-02	12,735	1,537	1,013	317	277	495	521	1,012	902	1,075	1,612	1,876	1,484	614
1910-12	11,397	1,369	808	249	218	325	365	785	811	961	1,282	2,328	1,402	494
1920-22	10,415	1,149	547	193	188	299	331	687	713	939	1,236	1,976	1,639	518
1930-32	9,044	824	380	125	102	184	226	475	539	774	1,293	2,046	1,541	535
1940-42	9,229	910	305	105	90	159	174	409	490	688	1,207	2,246	1,873	572
1950-52	7,896	494	87	33	21	37	59	173	276	526	996	1,976	2,384	834
1960-62	7,463	371	61	20	15	21	24	70	175	434	880	1,823	2,417	1,151
1970-72	7,809	295	45	23	17	25	20	65	152	408	919	1,959	2,475	1,407
1961	7,686	337	54	17	18	22	24	73	165	417	870	1,894	2,548	1,247
1962	7,299	405	66	20	14	23	26	60	181	406	838	1,787	2,331	1,142
1963	7,560	407	45	17	18	16	22	70	201	451	938	1,884	2,307	1,184
1964	7,317	366	36	26	15	19	19	57	159	433	913	1,770	2,311	1,191
1965	7,351	369	53	21	15	12	27	67	180	421	892	1,775	2,356	1,161
1966	7,782	383	57	19	19	32	27	60	171	420	863	1,924	2,482	1,324
1967	6,942	362	42	14	10	23	19	73	152	350	841	1,747	2,165	1,144
1968	7,698	338	45	22	19	19	23	62	183	403	932	1,918	2,375	1,359
1969	7,730	326	49	25	13	14	23	57	162	405	961	1,973	2,361	1,361
1970	7,787	300	41	28	16	15	16	72	154	431	967	2,000	2,410	1,337
1971	7,609	318	46	17	14	26	17	55	149	364	861	1,882	2,412	1,448
1972	8,031	266	48	24	20	33	28	69	153	428	929	1,994	2,603	1,436
1973	8,381	267	59	23	16	31	27	66	179	415	971	2,000	2,745	1,582
1974	8,101	272	45	17	13	33	27	68	134	403	892	1,900	2,654	1,643
1975	7,847	241	40	21	18	35	25	62	137	376	920	1,887	2,588	1,497
1976	8,161	224	56	17	18	32	27	90	129	398	947	1,882	2,778	1,563

[1] In some years the totals include a small number of persons whose age was not stated.

Source: General Register Office (Northern Ireland)

Deaths analysed by cause

TABLE 2.30

United Kingdom

Number

	Code numbers[1]	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total deaths		645,078	673,939	669,692	667,359	662,477	680,777
Deaths from natural causes[3]		618,757	648,105	643,410	641,626	637,340	655,732
Infective and parasitic diseases	000–136	3,916	3,875	3,773	3,665	3,545	3,222
Cholera	000	–	–	–	–	1	–
Typhoid fever	001	–	2	–	2	1	1
Bacillary dysentry and amoebiasis	004,006	19	13	9	13	10	4
Enteritis and other diarrhoeal diseases	008,009	746	703	625	564	502	423
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	010–012	1,102	1,157	1,018	934	860	787
Other tuberculosis, including late effects	013–019	609	589	578	571	629	578
Plague	020	–	–	–	–	–	–
Diphtheria	032	1	–	–	–	1	–
Whooping cough	033	30	4	3	16	12	3
Streptococcal sore throat and scarlet fever	034	6	2	3	6	7	2
Meningococcal infection	036	153	168	237	262	189	156
Acute poliomyelitis	040–043	3	–	1	1	3	2
Smallpox	050	–	–	2	–	–	–
Measles	055	36	32	42	23	20	16
Typhus and other rickettsioses	080–083	–	–	2	–	1	4
Malaria	084	9	8	4	4	5	3
Syphilis and its sequelae	090–097	148	161	143	143	118	121
Neoplasms	140–239	133,986	136,072	137,300	139,223	139,858	143,243
Malignant neoplasm of stomach	151	14,117	14,131	13,826	13,572	13,549	13,385
Malignant neoplasm of lung and bronchus	162	34,752	35,774	36,416	37,378	37,159	37,987
Malignant neoplasm of breast	174	12,559	12,630	12,911	12,675	13,081	13,240
Malignant neoplasm of uterus	180–182	4,326	4,130	4,305	4,141	4,077	4,172
Leukaemia	204–207	3,410	3,510	3,409	3,453	3,594	3,584
Benign neoplasms and neoplasms of unspecified nature	210–239	1,459	1,490	1,420	1,410	1,429	1,399
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	240–279	7,761	8,353	8,132	8,174	8,075	8,010
Diabetes mellitus	250	5,731	6,201	5,974	5,894	5,869	5,817
Avitaminoses and other nutritional deficiency	260–269	249	272	296	295	306	296
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	280–289	1,930	2,128	2,119	2,060	2,013	1,888
Anaemias	280–285	1,662	1,857	1,809	1,773	1,700	1,587
Mental disorders	290–315	1,712	1,848	1,953	2,245	2,428	2,506
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	320–389	7,004	7,323	7,301	7,267	7,175	7,081
Meningitis	320	404	388	398	347	370	339
Diseases of the circulatory system	390–458	336,342	350,567	347,251	346,174	342,592	343,650
Active rheumatic fever	390–392	30	33	51	48	45	53
Chronic rheumatic heart disease	393–398	7,734	7,464	6,847	6,703	6,626	6,494
Hypertensive disease	400–404	10,394	10,316	9,832	9,460	8,952	8,465
Ischaemic heart disease	410–414	165,287	175,509	175,544	176,991	177,392	180,812
Other forms of heart disease	420–429	31,889	32,608	31,875	30,994	30,304	30,074
Cerebrovascular disease	430–438	92,418	94,872	93,384	91,503	89,344	87,555
Diseases of the respiratory system	460–519	81,748	93,175	91,848	88,818	89,154	104,554
Influenza	470–474	797	3,537	3,609	1,467	1,692	7,661
Pneumonia	480–486	42,754	49,276	50,883	50,902	51,899	60,170
Bronchitis, emphysema	490–492	30,331	32,175	29,585	28,773	27,685	27,696
Asthma	493	1,389	1,470	1,374	1,255	1,315	1,198
Diseases of the digestive system	520–577	15,515	16,222	16,529	17,002	16,933	17,010
Peptic ulcer	531–533	4,312	4,569	4,641	4,861	4,745	4,761
Appendicitis	540–543	395	345	366	346	328	307
Intestinal obstruction and hernia	550–553,560	2,659	2,748	2,837	2,725	2,690	2,637
Cirrhosis of liver	571	1,836	1,976	2,134	2,149	2,208	2,286
Diseases of the genito-urinary system	580–629	8,717	9,165	8,851	9,284	8,977	9,122
Nephritis and nephrosis	580–584	2,828	3,057	3,018	3,322	3,451	3,523
Hyperplasia of prostate	600	1,319	1,372	1,276	1,247	1,083	1,107
Complications of pregnancy, child birth and puerperium	630–678	153	128	110	106	86	89
Abortion	640–645	30	30	14	16	8	8
Diseases of the skin and subcutaneous tissue	680–709	428	417	454	487	455	458
Diseases of the musculo-skeletal system and connective tissue	710–738	2,899	3,007	2,961	3,094	3,054	3,100
Congenital anomalies	740–759	5,373	5,088	4,790	4,784	4,407	4,022
Causes of perinatal mortality	760–779	7,263	6,599	6,025	5,437	4,961	4,317
Birth injury, difficult labour and other anoxic and hypoxic conditions	764–768 772,776	4,024	4,073	3,622	3,198	2,965	2,562
Symptoms and other ill-defined conditions	780–796	4,010	4,138	4,013	3,795	3,627	3,460
Deaths by violence[3]		26,321	25,834	26,282	25,734	25,137	25,045
All accidents	800–949	20,017	19,499	19,704	19,123	18,472	18,079
Motor vehicle accidents	810–823	8,185	8,141	8,234	7,553	6,956	7,209
Suicide and other self-inflicted injuries	950–959	4,376	4,238	4,313	4,398	4,176	4,311
All other external causes	960–999	1,928	2,097	2,265	2,153	2,489	2,655

[1] Code numbers refer to the Eighth Revision of the *International Statistical Classification of Diseases, Injuries and Causes of Death* introduced in 1968. [2] Provisional. [3] Within certain main categories only selected causes of death are shown.

Sources: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys; General Register Office (Scotland); General Register Office (Northern Ireland)

Deaths analysed by cause

TABLE 2.30 *(continued)*

England and Wales

Number

	Code numbers [1]	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976 [2]
Total deaths		591,889	587,478	585,292	582,841	598,494
Deaths from natural causes [3]		570,093	565,392	563,842	561,982	577,570
Infective and parasitic diseases	000-136	3,244	3,161	3,063	3,008	2,666
Cholera	000	–	–	–	–	–
Typhoid fever	001	2	–	2	1	–
Bacillary dysentery and amoebiasis	004,006	10	7	10	5	3
Enteritis and other diarrhoeal diseases	008,009	576	505	444	420	336
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	010-012	967	859	773	721	625
Other tuberculosis, including late effects	013-019	501	493	488	562	501
Plague	020	–	–	–	–	–
Diphtheria	032	–	–	–	1	–
Whooping cough	033	2	2	13	12	3
Streptococcal sore throat and scarlet fever	034	3	3	6	6	2
Meningococcal infection	036	135	205	226	156	133
Acute poliomyelitis	040-043	–	–	–	–	1
Smallpox	050	–	2	–	–	–
Measles	055	29	33	20	16	14
Typhus and other rickettsioses	080-083	–	1	–	–	2
Malaria	084	8	3	3	5	3
Syphilis and its sequelae	090-097	148	131	128	110	112
Neoplasms	140-239	120,285	121,297	123,022	123,728	126,785
Malignant neoplasm of stomach	151	12,443	12,191	12,014	11,983	11,868
Malignant neoplasm of trachea, lung and bronchus	162	31,659	32,176	33,057	32,886	33,524
Malignant neoplasm of breast	174	11,231	11,495	11,319	11,719	11,833
Malignant neoplasm of uterus	180-182	3,690	3,815	3,698	3,595	3,710
Leukaemia	204-207	3,124	3,045	3,101	3,194	3,192
Benign neoplasms and neoplasms of unspecified nature	210-239	1,332	1,248	1,255	1,279	1,280
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	240-279	7,210	7,045	7,196	7,038	7,010
Diabetes mellitus	250	5,310	5,127	5,142	5,094	5,078
Avitaminoses and other nutritional deficiency	260-269	238	238	251	253	248
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	280-289	1,908	1,901	1,838	1,800	1,676
Anaemias	280-285	1,669	1,628	1,579	1,532	1,413
Mental disorders	290-315	1,509	1,621	1,866	2,026	1,943
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	320-389	6,443	6,414	6,363	6,230	6,192
Meningitis	320	329	342	278	318	295
Diseases of the circulatory system	390-458	305,746	302,568	301,761	299,679	300,062
Active rheumatic fever	390-392	22	46	34	33	34
Chronic rheumatic heart disease	393-398	6,705	6,075	6,058	5,997	5,826
Hypertensive disease	400-404	9,217	8,775	8,479	8,092	7,634
Ischaemic heart disease	410-414	151,686	151,893	153,250	154,412	157,015
Other forms of heart disease	420-429	29,639	28,817	28,060	27,547	27,128
Cerebrovascular disease	430-438	81,959	80,583	78,833	77,060	75,453
Diseases of the respiratory system	460-519	84,276	83,097	80,310	81,302	94,920
Influenza	470-474	3,008	3,164	1,235	1,442	6,699
Pneumonia	480-486	45,415	46,781	46,784	48,022	55,670
Bronchitis, emphysema	490-492	28,635	26,298	25,572	24,898	24,688
Asthma	493	1,266	1,209	1,086	1,183	1,046
Diseases of the digestive system	520-577	14,332	14,532	14,807	14,845	14,855
Peptic ulcer	531-533	4,038	4,092	4,229	4,251	4,226
Appendicitis	540-543	310	326	307	298	279
Intestinal obstruction and hernia	550-553,560	2,473	2,558	2,440	2,372	2,365
Cirrhosis of liver	571	1,662	1,804	1,754	1,835	1,887
Diseases of the genito-urinary system	580-629	8,049	7,760	8,166	7,863	8,009
Nephritis and nephrosis	580-584	2,663	2,610	2,887	2,991	3,091
Hyperplasia of prostate	600	1,246	1,145	1,149	968	1,010
Complications of pregnancy, childbirth and puerperium	630-678	112	88	81	77	76
Abortion	640-645	26	12	11	8	7
Diseases of the skin and subcutaneous tissue	680-709	363	410	452	391	401
Diseases of the musculo-skeletal system and connective tissue	710-738	2,747	2,685	2,810	2,743	2,798
Congenital anomalies	740-759	4,417	4,095	4,094	3,804	3,498
Certain causes of perinatal mortality	760-779	5,636	5,088	4,610	4,210	3,655
Birth injury, difficult labour and other anoxic and hypoxic conditions	764-768 772,776	3,463	3,025	2,704	2,493	2,158
Symptoms and other ill-defined conditions	780-796	3,816	3,630	3,403	3,238	3,024
Deaths by violence[3]		21,796	22,086	21,450	20,859	20,924
All accidents	800-949	16,482	16,652	15,885	15,284	15,051
Motor vehicle accidents	810-823	6,931	6,976	6,372	5,843	6,052
Suicide and other self-inflicted injuries	950-959	3,770	3,823	3,899	3,693	3,813
All other external causes	960-999	1,544	1,611	1,666	1,882	2,060

[1] Code numbers refer to the Eighth Revision of the *International Statistical Classification of Diseases, Injuries and Causes of Death* introduced in 1968. [2] Provisional. [3] Within certain main categories only selected causes of death are shown.

Source: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys

Deaths analysed by cause

TABLE 2.30 (*continued*) Scotland Number

	Code numbers [1]	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total deaths		61,614	65,017	64,545	64,740	63,125	65,253
Deaths from natural causes[2]		58,656	62,012	61,557	61,584	59,939	62,250
Infective and parasitic diseases	000-136	465	482	460	447	412	427
Cholera	000	–	–	–	–	–	–
Typhoid fever	001		–	–	–	–	–
Bacillary dysentery and amoebiasis	004,006	–	3	3	2	4	1
Enteritis and other diarrhoeal diseases	008,009	97	94	93	88	62	62
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	010-012	151	156	112	115	116	130
Other tuberculosis, including late effects	013-019	78	73	68	74	67	75
Plague	020	–	–	–	–	–	–
Diphtheria	032	–	–	–	–	–	–
Whooping cough	033	3	–	–	2	–	–
Streptococcal sore throat and scarlet fever	034	–	–	–	–	1	–
Meningococcal infection	036	15	22	21	23	29	16
Acute poliomyelitis	040-043	–	–	–	–	1	1
Smallpox	050	–	–	–	–	–	–
Measles	055	4	3	4	3	1	2
Typhus and other rickettsioses	080-083	–	–	1	–	–	2
Malaria	084	–	–	–	1	–	–
Syphilis and its sequelae	090-097	9	10	10	14	4	7
Neoplasms	140-239	12,867	13,027	13,052	13,290	13,182	13,517
Malignant neoplasm of stomach	151	1,363	1,367	1,305	1,233	1,239	1,216
Malignant neoplasm of lung and bronchus	162	3,416	3,573	3,637	3,740	3,650	3,817
Malignant neoplasm of breast	174	1,041	1,156	1,160	1,103	1,104	1,138
Malignant neoplasm of uterus	180-182	376	342	391	370	395	386
Leukaemia	204-207	306	303	266	278	304	324
Benign neoplasms and neoplasms of unspecified nature	210-239	97	113	120	118	115	102
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	240-279	858	902	851	789	882	838
Diabetes mellitus	250	694	708	661	633	678	633
Avitaminoses and other nutritional deficiency	260-269	36	26	46	28	39	42
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	280-289	139	162	159	159	169	175
Anaemias	280-285	119	133	130	139	133	144
Mental disorders	290-315	242	286	312	367	361	532
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	320-389	602	666	667	686	715	673
Meningitis	320	33	47	48	56	42	34
Diseases of the circulatory system	390-458	33,851	35,474	35,362	35,259	33,994	34,416
Active rheumatic fever	390-392	2	10	2	5	7	10
Chronic rheumatic heart disease	393-398	666	564	612	520	494	517
Hypertensive disease	400-404	883	797	793	806	640	662
Ischaemic heart disease	410-414	17,656	19,001	18,936	19,028	18,251	18,977
Other forms of heart disease	420-429	2,068	2,051	2,084	1,930	1,885	1,887
Cerebrovascular disease	430-438	9,998	10,385	10,265	10,197	9,916	9,702
Diseases of the respiratory system	460-519	5,430	6,942	6,570	6,285	6,215	7,658
Influenza	470-474	50	422	306	145	220	828
Pneumonia	480-486	2,302	3,041	3,021	2,993	3,073	3,610
Bronchitis, emphysema	490-492	2,444	2,700	2,525	2,397	2,198	2,308
Asthma	493	148	154	127	133	104	133
Diseases of the digestive system	520-577	1,425	1,498	1,604	1,788	1,677	1,749
Peptic ulcer	531-533	359	433	433	521	408	433
Appendicitis	540-543	35	25	31	30	24	22
Intestinal obstruction and hernia	550-533,560	193	209	211	213	244	222
Cirrhosis of liver	571	219	258	264	328	309	319
Diseases of the genito-urinary system	580-629	925	912	842	918	837	883
Nephritis and nephrosis	580-584	347	329	316	378	369	350
Hyperplasia of prostate	600	91	101	99	80	84	76
Complications of pregnancy, childbirth and puerperium	630-678	14	13	16	16	6	10
Abortion	640-645	2	3	2	2	–	–
Diseases of the skin and subcutaneous tissue	680-709	22	42	30	22	50	39
Diseases of the musculo-skeletal system and connective tissue	710-738	200	194	233	226	251	247
Congenital anomalies	740-759	605	466	498	499	417	360
Causes of perinatal mortality	760-779	781	675	632	586	537	439
Birth injury, difficult labour and other anoxic and hypoxic conditions	764-768 772,776	493	465	433	390	369	302
Symptoms and other ill-defined conditions	780-796	230	271	269	247	234	287
Death by violence		2,958	3,005	2,988	3,156	3,186	3,003
All accidents	800-949	2,281	2,321	2,295	2,450	2,420	2,244
Motor vehicle accidents	810-823	895	866	871	847	808	840
Suicide and other self-inflicted injuries	950-959	378	421	436	437	427	430
All other external causes	960-999	299	263	257	269	339	329

[1] Code numbers refer to the Eighth Revision of the *International Statistical Classification of Diseases, Injuries and Causes of Death* introduced in 1968. [2] Within certain main categories only selected causes of death are shown.

Source: General Register Office (Scotland)

Deaths analysed by cause

TABLE **2.30** *(continued)*

Northern Ireland

Number

	Code numbers [1]	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total deaths		16,202	17,032	17,669	17,327	16,511	17,030
Deaths from natural causes [2]		15,463	15,999	16,461	16,200	15,419	15,912
Infective and parasite diseases	000-136	152	148	152	155	125	129
Cholera	000	–	–	–	–	1	–
Typhoid fever	001	–	–	–	–	–	1
Bacillary dysentery and amoebiasis	004,006	2	–	–	1	1	–
Enteritis and other diarrhoeal diseases	008.009	34	33	27	32	20	25
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	010-012	26	34	47	46	23	32
Other tuberculosis, including late effects	013-019	17	15	17	9	–	2
Plague	020	–	–	–	–	–	–
Diphtheria	032	–	–	–	–	–	–
Whooping cough	033	1	–	1	1	–	–
Streptococcal sore throat and scarlet fever	034	–	–	–	–	–	–
Meningococcal infection	036	10	11	11	13	4	7
Acute poliomyelitis	040-043	–	–	1	1	2	–
Smallpox	050	–	–	–	–	–	–
Measles	055	4	–	5	–	3	–
Typhus and other rickettsioses	080-083	–	–	–	–	1	–
Malaria	084	–	–	1	–	–	–
Syphilis and its sequelae	090-097	7	3	2	1	4	2
Neoplasms	140-239	2,903	2,760	2,951	2,911	2,948	2,941
Malignant neoplasm of stomach	151	347	321	330	325	327	301
Malignant neoplasm of lung and bronchus	162	582	542	603	581	623	646
Malignant neoplasm of breast	174	256	243	256	253	258	269
Malignant neoplasm of uterus	180-182	84	98	99	73	87	76
Leukaemia	204-207	85	83	98	74	96	68
Benign neoplasms and neoplasms of unspecified nature	210-239	41	45	52	37	35	17
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	240-279	199	241	236	189	155	162
Diabetes mellitus	250	144	183	186	119	97	106
Avitaminoses and other nutritional deficiency	260-269	3	8	12	16	14	7
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	280-289	59	58	59	63	44	37
Anaemias	280-285	50	55	51	55	35	30
Mental disorders	290-315	39	53	20	12	41	31
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	320-389	213	214	220	218	230	216
Meningitis	320	15	12	8	13	10	10
Diseases of the circulatory system	390-458	8,917	9,347	9,321	9,154	8,919	9,172
Active rheumatic fever	390-392	–	1	3	9	5	9
Chronic rheumatic heart disease	393-398	214	195	160	125	135	151
Hypertensive disease	400-404	209	302	264	175	220	169
Ischaemic heart disease	410-414	4,507	4,822	4,715	4,713	4,709	4,820
Other forms of heart disease	420-429	930	918	974	1,004	872	1,059
Cerebrovascular disease	430-438	2,493	2,528	2,536	2,473	2,368	2,400
Diseases of the respiratory system	460-519	1,756	1,957	2,181	2,223	1,637	1,976
Influenza	470-474	51	107	139	87	30	134
Pneumonia	480-486	860	820	1,081	1,125	804	890
Bronchitis, emphysema	490-492	716	840	762	804	589	700
Asthma	493	43	50	38	36	28	19
Diseases of the digestive system	520-577	329	392	393	417	411	406
Peptic ulcer	531-533	101	98	116	111	86	102
Appendicitis	540-543	10	10	9	9	6	6
Intestinal obstruction and hernia	550-553,560	57	66	68	72	74	50
Cirrhosis of liver	571	47	56	66	67	64	80
Diseases of the genito-urinary system	580-629	230	204	249	200	277	230
Nephritis and nephrosis	580-584	64	65	92	57	91	82
Hyperplasia of prostate	600	47	25	32	18	31	21
Complications of pregnancy, child birth and puerperium	630-678	6	3	6	9	3	3
Abortion	640-645	1	1	–	3	–	1
Diseases of the skin and subcutaneous tissue	680-709	8	12	14	13	14	18
Diseases of the musculo-skeletal system and connective tissue	710-738	59	66	43	58	60	55
Congenital anomalies	740-759	237	205	197	191	186	164
Causes of perinatal mortality	760-779	320	288	305	241	214	223
Birth injury, difficult labour and other anoxic and hypoxic conditions	764-768 772,776	155	145	164	104	103	102
Symptoms and other ill-defined condition	780-796	37	51	114	145	155	149
Deaths by violence		739	1,033	1,208	1,127	1,092	1,118
All accidents	800-949	611	696	757	788	768	784
Motor vehicle accidents	810-823	289	344	387	334	305	317
Suicide and other self-inflicted injuries	950-959	53	47	54	62	56	68
All other external causes	960-999	75	290	397	278	268	266

[1] Code numbers refer to the Eighth Revision of the *International Statistical Classification of Diseases, Injuries and Causes of Death* introduced in 1968. [2] Within certain main categories only selected causes of death are shown.

Source: General Register Office (Northern Ireland)

Infant and maternal mortality

TABLE 2.31

	Deaths of infants under 1 year of age per thousand live births												Maternal deaths per thousand live births[2]			
	United Kingdom			England and Wales[1]			Scotland			Northern Ireland						
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	United Kingdom	England and Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
1900-02 . . .	142	156	128	146	160	131	124	136	111	113	123	103	4.71	4.67	4.74	6.03
1910-12 . . .	110	121	98	110	121	98	109	120	97	101	110	92	3.95	3.67	5.65	5.28
1920-22 . . .	82	92	71	80	90	69	94	106	82	86	95	77	4.37	4.03	6.36	5.62
1930-32 . . .	67	75	58	64	72	55	84	94	73	75	83	66	4.54	4.24	6.40	5.24
1940-42 . . .	59	66	51	55	62	48	77	87	66	80	89	70	3.29	2.74	4.50	3.79
1950-52 . . .	30	34	26	29	33	25	37	42	32	40	45	36	0.88	0.79	1.09	1.09
1960-62 . . .	22	25	19	22	24	19	26	30	22	27	30	24	0.36	0.36	0.37	0.43
1970-72 . . .	18	20	16	18	20	15	19	22	17	22	24	20	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.10
1935	60.4	67.8	52.5	57.0	64.0	49.6	76.8	86.9	66.2	86.3	96.0	76.0	4.61	4.33	6.30	5.50
1936	62.1	70.1	53.7	58.7	66.4	50.6	82.3	92.2	71.9	76.9	85.9	67.5	4.28	4.02	5.56	6.06
1937	61.1	68.4	53.4	57.7	64.7	50.2	80.3	89.6	70.5	77.5	83.5	71.2	3.72	3.51	4.83	5.00
1938	55.5	62.3	48.4	52.8	59.7	45.6	69.5	76.6	62.1	75.1	79.1	70.9	3.62	3.37	4.87	5.32
1939	53.6	60.0	46.8	50.6	56.4	44.4	68.5	77.5	59.0	70.5	80.9	59.6	3.42	3.25	4.49	3.80
1940	61.0	69.3	52.3	56.8	64.3	48.8	78.3	90.3	65.7	85.9	94.8	76.3	3.03	2.78	4.39	4.22
1941	63.3	71.2	55.0	60.0	67.5	52.2	82.7	93.3	71.6	76.6	85.4	66.9	3.20	2.90	4.89	4.17
1942	52.9	59.2	46.2	50.6	56.5	44.3	69.3	77.9	60.2	76.4	86.7	65.4	2.78	2.57	4.21	2.97
1943	51.9	57.8	45.6	49.1	54.7	43.2	65.2	73.0	57.0	78.2	87.0	68.6	2.57	2.37	3.83	3.17
1944	47.6	52.9	41.9	45.4	50.4	40.1	65.0	73.0	56.4	67.4	73.7	60.8	2.14	1.99	3.05	3.07
1945	48.8	54.6	42.6	46.0	51.4	40.3	56.2	64.7	47.3	68.1	72.7	63.1	1.99	1.85	2.86	2.69
1946	42.7	48.1	37.0	42.9	48.3	37.1	53.8	60.0	47.3	54.0	61.5	46.0	1.59	1.47	2.26	2.32
1947	43.7	49.0	38.1	41.4	46.3	36.2	55.8	62.9	48.2	53.0	60.8	44.9	1.32	1.20	2.10	1.86
1948	36.0	40.6	31.2	33.9	38.1	29.5	44.7	51.3	37.7	45.6	53.1	37.6	1.12	1.05	1.60	1.52
1949	34.1	38.3	29.6	32.4	36.5	28.0	41.4	46.2	36.3	45.2	48.6	41.6	1.04	1.00	1.32	1.31
1950	31.2	35.0	27.2	29.6	33.4	25.7	38.6	43.0	33.8	40.5	43.9	36.9	0.93	0.89	1.15	1.11
1951	31.1	35.1	26.9	29.7	33.6	25.5	37.4	42.2	32.4	41.2	44.5	37.7	0.82	0.78	1.09	1.09
1952	28.8	32.3	25.1	27.6	30.9	24.1	35.2	39.3	30.8	38.8	45.1	32.1	0.74	0.69	1.02	1.08
1953	27.6	30.8	24.2	26.8	29.8	23.6	30.8	34.7	26.6	37.6	43.4	31.4	0.74	0.72	0.95	0.59
1954	26.4	29.6	22.8	25.4	28.7	22.0	31.0	34.9	26.9	33.0	36.9	28.9	0.68	0.66	0.76	0.73
1955	25.8	28.9	22.5	24.9	28.1	21.5	30.4	33.2	27.4	32.4	34.6	29.9	0.60	0.61	0.46	0.83
1956	24.4	27.6	21.0	23.8	26.9	20.4	28.6	32.6	24.4	28.9	30.9	26.6	0.54	0.53	0.54	0.58
1957	24.0	26.7	21.0	23.1	25.8	20.3	28.6	32.6	24.4	28.9	30.5	27.2	0.48	0.46	0.47	1.10
1958	23.4	26.2	20.4	22.5	25.3	19.6	27.7	30.9	24.3	28.1	31.3	24.6	0.46	0.44	0.53	0.56
1959	23.1	25.5	20.5	22.2	24.5	19.8	28.4	32.0	24.5	28.4	29.4	27.4	0.39	0.39	0.36	0.55
1960	22.4	25.1	19.5	21.8	24.5	18.9	26.4	29.7	22.9	27.2	30.0	24.2	0.39	0.39	0.35	0.44
1961	22.1	24.5	19.6	21.4	23.9	18.8	25.8	29.3	22.3	27.5	32.9	21.7	0.35	0.34	0.37	0.53
1962	22.4	25.3	19.3	21.7	24.5	18.7	26.5	31.0	21.7	26.5	27.6	25.7	0.36	0.36	0.40	0.31
1963	21.7	24.3	19.0	21.1	23.7	18.4	25.6	28.7	22.2	27.0	28.5	25.3	0.30	0.28	0.38	0.42
1964	20.6	22.9	18.0	19.9	22.2	17.5	24.0	26.8	21.1	26.3	30.5	21.9	0.25	0.26	0.23	0.17
1965	19.6	22.1	17.0	19.0	21.5	16.4	23.1	25.5	20.6	25.1	27.1	22.8	0.32	0.26	0.38	0.32
1966	19.6	22.0	17.1	19.0	21.4	16.5	23.2	25.8	20.4	25.5	26.8	24.1	0.26	0.26	0.25	0.18
1967	18.8	20.7	16.8	18.3	20.3	16.3	21.0	23.3	18.6	23.5	24.6	22.3	0.21	0.21	0.23	0.24
1968	18.7	21.2	16.2	18.3	20.7	15.8	20.8	23.6	17.7	24.0	26.7	21.1	0.23	0.24	0.15	0.27
1969	18.6	20.9	16.1	18.0	20.3	15.6	21.1	23.6	18.4	24.0	27.9	20.7	0.19	0.19	0.14	0.15
1970	18.5	20.9	15.9	18.2	20.5	15.7	19.6	22.4	16.6	22.9	26.2	19.4	0.18	0.19	0.19	0.00
1971	17.9	20.2	15.5	17.5	19.8	15.1	19.9	22.2	17.4	22.7	24.5	20.8	0.17	0.17	0.16	0.19
1972	17.5	19.5	15.4	17.2	19.3	15.0	18.8	20.7	16.8	20.5	22.5	18.4	0.15	0.15	0.17	0.10
1973	17.2	19.3	15.0	16.9	18.9	14.7	19.0	21.8	16.0	21.0	22.7	19.2	0.17	0.13	0.22	0.17
1974	16.7	18.9	14.4	16.4	18.6	13.9	18.9	20.9	16.9	20.8	21.1	20.6	0.19	0.13	0.23	0.22
1975	16.0	17.7	14.2	15.7	17.5	13.9	17.2	19.1	15.2	20.4	21.7	19.0	0.09	0.13	0.09	0.04
1976[3] . . .	15.7	17.7	13.5	14.2	16.2	12.1	14.8	17.0	12.5	18.3	19.1	17.5	0.13	0.13	0.15	0.11

[1] From 1935 to 1956 death rates are based on the births to which they relate in the current and preceding years. [2] Deaths in pregnancy and child birth. [3] Figures for England and Wales are provisional.

Sources: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys; General Register Office (Scotland); General Register Office (Northern Ireland)

Infant mortality

Analysis by sex and age of infant

TABLE **2.31** (*continued*)

Deaths per 1,000 live births

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976[1]
Total											
United Kingdom:											
Under 1 day	6.8	6.5	6.4	6.2	6.4	6.1	5.9	5.7	5.3	5.1	4.8
1 day and under 1 week	4.7	4.5	4.3	4.4	4.3	4.0	4.1	4.1	4.3	4.2	3.8
1 week and under 4 weeks . . .	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.7	2.0
4 weeks and under 1 year . . .	6.4	6.0	6.2	6.2	6.0	6.0	5.8	5.8	5.4	5.1	5.1
England and Wales:											
Under 1 day	6.5	6.3	6.3	6.0	6.3	6.0	5.8	5.5	5.2	5.0	4.7
1 day and under 1 week	4.6	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.3	3.9	4.1	4.0	4.2	4.1	3.5
1 week and under 4 weeks . . .	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.5
4 weeks and under 1 year. . . .	6.1	5.8	5.9	6.0	5.9	5.9	5.7	5.7	5.3	5.0	4.6
Scotland:											
Under 1 day	7.9	6.9	6.8	6.9	6.7	6.8	6.3	6.5	6.0	5.8	5.0
1 day and under 1 week	5.4	5.0	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.7	4.4	4.5	4.9	4.2	3.8
1 week and under 4 weeks . . .	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.1	1.7	2.0	1.8	1.7	1.9	1.7	1.5
4 weeks and under 1 year . . .	8.0	7.2	7.5	7.5	6.9	6.4	6.4	6.3	6.1	5.4	4.5
Northern Ireland:											
Under 1 day	9.1	8.0	7.8	8.4	8.6	8.6	7.3	8.2	6.1	5.9	6.1
1 day and under 1 week	5.6	6.1	5.8	5.4	4.9	4.5	4.6	4.3	5.7	5.6	5.8
1 week and under 4 weeks . . .	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.8	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.6	1.3
4 weeks and under 1 year . . .	8.5	7.2	8.3	8.5	7.1	6.8	6.6	6.3	7.1	7.3	5.0
Males											
United Kingdom:											
Under 1 day	7.5	7.0	7.4	7.0	7.3	7.0	6.5	6.4	6.1	5.6	5.5
1 day and under 1 week	5.4	5.2	5.0	5.1	5.0	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.6	4.5
1 week and under 4 weeks . . .	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.9	2.0	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.7	2.0
4 weeks and under 1 year . . .	7.2	6.5	6.9	6.9	6.7	6.5	6.5	6.4	6.2	5.7	5.7
England and Wales:											
Under 1 day	7.3	6.9	7.3	6.8	7.1	6.9	6.4	6.2	6.1	5.5	5.5
1 day and under 1 week	5.3	5.1	4.9	5.0	4.9	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.1
1 week and under 4 weeks . . .	1.9	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.5
4 weeks and under 1 year . . .	6.9	6.3	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.4	6.4	6.3	6.1	5.6	5.2
Scotland:											
Under 1 day	8.5	7.8	7.9	7.7	7.6	7.6	7.0	7.4	6.8	6.7	5.7
1 day and under 1 week	6.4	5.5	5.1	5.0	5.1	5.7	5.0	5.5	5.5	4.7	4.7
1 week and under 4 weeks . . .	2.2	2.2	2.1	2.2	1.9	2.2	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.5
4 weeks and under 1 year . . .	8.7	7.9	8.5	8.7	7.8	6.7	6.8	7.0	6.7	5.9	5.1
Northern Ireland:											
Under 1 day	9.1	7.6	8.7	9.8	9.5	8.0	8.7	9.8	6.4	6.2	6.4
1 day and under 1 week	5.9	7.3	6.8	6.9	6.0	5.3	4.8	4.5	5.3	6.1	6.5
1 week and under 4 weeks . . .	2.7	2.6	2.4	2.1	3.0	3.7	2.4	2.0	2.0	1.5	1.2
4 weeks and under 1 year . . .	9.1	7.1	8.8	9.2	7.7	7.5	6.6	6.3	7.4	7.9	4.9
Females											
United Kingdom:											
Under 1 day	6.0	5.8	5.4	5.2	5.6	5.2	5.2	4.9	4.4	4.4	4.0
1 day and under 1 week	3.9	3.8	3.7	3.7	3.6	3.2	3.5	3.3	3.7	3.7	3.1
1 week and under 4 weeks . . .	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.7	1.6	2.0
4 weeks and under 1 year . . .	5.6	5.5	5.4	5.6	5.3	5.4	5.1	5.2	4.6	4.4	4.5
England and Wales:											
Under 1 day	5.7	5.7	5.3	5.1	5.5	5.0	5.1	4.8	4.3	4.4	3.8
1 day and under 1 week	3.8	3.7	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.2	3.4	3.3	3.6	3.6	2.8
1 week and under 4 weeks . . .	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.5
4 weeks and under 1 year . . .	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.4	5.1	5.3	4.9	5.1	4.5	4.3	3.9
Scotland:											
Under 1 day	7.3	5.9	5.5	6.0	5.7	6.0	5.5	5.5	5.3	4.9	4.3
1 day and under 1 week	4.4	4.4	3.9	4.1	3.7	3.6	3.7	3.4	4.3	3.7	2.8
1 week and under 4 weeks . . .	1.6	1.7	2.0	2.0	1.5	1.8	1.6	1.5	1.8	1.6	1.5
4 weeks and under 1 year . . .	7.2	6.5	6.4	6.3	5.8	6.0	6.0	5.6	5.5	4.9	3.9
Northern Ireland:											
Under 1 day	9.1	8.4	6.9	6.9	7.7	9.2	5.7	6.5	5.9	5.6	5.8
1 day and under 1 week	5.2	4.9	4.6	3.7	3.7	3.5	4.4	4.2	6.1	5.1	5.1
1 week and under 4 weeks . . .	1.9	1.7	1.9	2.1	1.5	1.9	1.7	1.9	1.9	1.7	1.4
4 weeks and under 1 year . . .	7.9	7.3	7.7	7.8	6.4	6.2	6.6	6.3	6.7	6.5	5.1

[1] Figures for England and Wales are provisional.

Sources: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys; General Register Office (Scotland); General Register Office (Northern Ireland)

Death rates per 1,000 population

Analysis by age and sex

TABLE 2.32

United Kingdom

	All ages	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65-74	75-84	85 and over
Males													
1900-02 ...	18.4	57.0	4.1	2.4	3.7	5.0	6.6	11.0	18.6	35.0	69.9	143.6	289.6
1910-12 ...	14.9	40.5	3.3	2.0	3.0	3.9	5.0	8.0	14.9	29.8	62.1	133.8	261.5
1920-22 ...	13.5	33.4	2.9	1.8	2.9	3.9	4.5	6.9	11.9	25.3	57.8	131.8	259.1
1930-32 ...	12.9	22.3	2.3	1.5	2.6	3.3	3.5	5.7	11.3	23.7	57.9	134.2	277.0
1940-42 ...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1950-52 ...	12.6	7.7	0.7	0.5	0.9	1.4	1.6	3.0	8.5	23.2	55.2	127.6	272.0
1960-62 ...	12.5	6.4	0.5	0.4	0.9	1.1	1.1	2.5	7.4	22.2	54.4	123.4	251.0
1970-72 ...	12.4	4.6	0.4	0.4	0.9	1.0	1.0	2.4	7.3	20.9	52.9	116.3	246.1
1961	12.6	6.3	0.5	0.4	0.9	1.1	1.2	2.5	7.4	22.4	54.8	124.8	258.1
1962	12.6	6.4	0.5	0.4	0.9	1.1	1.1	2.5	7.4	22.5	54.8	124.2	265.5
1963	12.8	6.1	0.5	0.4	0.9	1.1	1.1	2.5	7.6	23.0	55.9	129.0	280.6
1964	12.0	5.7	0.5	0.4	1.0	1.1	1.1	2.5	7.5	21.7	52.6	116.2	235.5
1965	12.2	5.3	0.5	0.4	1.0	1.0	1.1	2.5	7.5	21.8	53.6	118.9	245.2
1966	12.4	5.3	0.5	0.4	1.0	1.1	1.1	2.5	7.4	21.8	54.0	121.6	261.0
1967	11.8	4.8	0.4	0.4	1.0	1.0	1.0	2.4	7.1	20.9	51.7	113.5	240.1
1968	12.4	4.9	0.4	0.4	0.9	0.9	1.0	2.4	7.2	21.4	54.1	123.2	265.5
1969	12.5	4.8	0.4	0.4	0.9	0.9	1.0	2.4	7.4	21.9	55.5	119.8	250.4
1970	12.3	4.8	0.4	0.4	0.9	1.0	1.0	2.3	7.2	21.4	54.0	119.0	253.4
1971	12.2	4.7	0.4	0.4	0.9	1.0	1.0	2.4	7.3	20.6	52.3	118.2	251.0
1972	12.6	4.4	0.4	0.4	0.9	1.0	1.0	2.4	7.5	21.0	53.8	119.8	248.0
1973	12.5	4.2	0.4	0.3	0.9	1.1	1.1	2.3	7.4	20.8	52.2	118.6	244.2
1974	12.4	4.0	0.4	0.3	0.9	1.0	1.0	2.3	7.5	20.6	52.0	115.9	244.0
1975	12.3	3.7	0.4	0.3	0.9	1.0	1.0	2.2	7.3	19.9	50.9	116.4	242.8
1976	12.5	3.5	0.3	0.3	0.9	1.0	1.0	2.2	7.2	20.1	51.5	118.9	253.7
Females													
1900-02 ...	16.3	47.9	4.3	2.6	3.5	4.3	5.8	9.0	14.4	27.9	59.3	127.0	262.6
1910-12 ...	13.3	34.0	3.3	2.1	2.9	3.4	4.4	6.7	11.5	23.1	50.7	113.7	234.0
1920-22 ...	11.9	26.9	2.8	1.9	2.8	3.4	4.1	5.6	9.3	19.2	45.6	111.5	232.4
1930-32 ...	11.5	17.7	2.1	1.5	2.4	2.9	3.3	4.6	8.3	17.6	43.7	110.1	246.3
1940-42 ...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1950-52 ...	11.2	6.0	0.5	0.4	0.7	1.0	1.4	2.3	5.3	12.9	35.5	98.4	228.8
1960-62 ...	11.2	4.9	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.8	1.8	4.5	11.0	30.8	87.3	218.5
1970-72 ...	11.3	3.6	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.6	1.6	4.5	10.5	27.5	76.7	196.1
1961	11.4	4.9	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.7	1.8	4.6	11.0	31.6	88.5	228.4
1962	11.3	4.9	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.8	1.8	4.5	11.0	30.7	87.2	226.4
1963	11.6	4.8	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.8	1.8	4.6	11.2	31.1	89.4	222.6
1964	10.7	4.5	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.7	1.8	4.5	10.6	28.8	79.6	192.1
1965	10.9	4.2	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.7	1.8	4.5	10.6	29.0	80.2	199.0
1966	11.2	4.1	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.7	1.8	4.5	10.5	29.2	82.2	206.7
1967	10.6	3.9	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.6	1.7	4.3	10.2	27.6	76.0	192.8
1968	11.3	3.8	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.7	1.7	4.4	10.6	28.7	80.9	215.6
1969	11.3	3.7	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.6	1.8	4.5	10.8	29.1	78.1	203.2
1970	11.2	3.6	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.6	1.7	4.5	10.5	28.3	77.0	205.0
1971	11.1	3.6	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.6	1.6	4.4	10.4	26.9	76.6	209.1
1972	11.5	3.5	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.6	1.6	4.6	10.7	27.8	78.2	197.3
1973	11.5	3.2	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.6	1.6	4.5	10.5	27.3	77.3	197.2
1974	11.5	3.1	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.6	1.6	4.5	10.7	26.9	75.5	195.0
1975	11.4	2.9	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.6	1.5	4.4	10.7	26.2	74.0	193.6
1976	11.8	2.6	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.6	1.5	4.4	10.5	26.5	75.9	202.5

Sources: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys; General Register Office (Scotland); General Register Office (Northern Ireland)

TABLE 2.33

Life tables [1]

United Kingdom

Age$_x$	Life Table, 1950-52						Life Table, 1973-75			
	Males			Females			Males		Females	
	l_x	q_x	$\overset{o}{e}_x$	l_x	q_x	$\overset{o}{e}_x$	l_x	$\overset{o}{e}_x$	l_x	$\overset{o}{e}_x$
0	100,000	0.03406	66.2	100,000	0.02626	71.2	10,000	69.2	10,000	75.5
5	96,026	0.00082	63.9	96,884	0.00059	68.4	9,786	65.7	9,833	71.8
10	95,700	0.00053	59.1	96,654	0.00036	63.6	9,768	60.8	9,820	66.9
15	95,434	0.00074	54.3	96,463	0.00053	58.7	9,751	56.0	9,810	62.0
20	94,974	0.00130	49.5	96,134	0.00089	53.9	9,706	51.2	9,791	57.1
25	94,324	0.00145	44.8	95,660	0.00114	49.2	9,655	46.4	9,770	52.2
30	93,615	0.00162	40.2	95,074	0.00134	44.4	9,611	41.6	9,746	47.3
35	92,797	0.00202	35.5	94,383	0.00169	39.8	9,556	36.9	9,712	42.5
40	91,718	0.00296	30.9	93,477	0.00235	35.1	9,479	32.2	9,657	37.7
45	90,056	0.00498	26.4	92,188	0.00352	30.6	9,342	27.6	9,560	33.1
50	87,255	0.00871	22.2	90,270	0.00537	26.2	9,093	23.3	9,398	28.6
55	82,587	0.01479	18.3	87,399	0.00832	21.9	8,680	19.2	9,150	24.3
60	75,349	0.02396	14.8	83,103	0.01306	17.9	8,032	15.6	8,790	20.2
65	65,090	0.03707	11.7	76,672	0.02131	14.2	7,076	12.3	8,252	16.3
70	51,920	0.05655	9.0	67,009	0.03620	10.9	5,737	9.6	7,448	12.8
75	36,547	0.08763	6.7	53,054	0.06255	8.0	4,090	7.4	6,255	9.7
80	20,898	0.13694	4.8	35,263	0.10600	5.8	2,453	5.7	4,628	7.2
85	8,552	0.20701	3.5	17,601	0.16843	4.2	1,138	4.6	2,736	5.5
90	2,157	0.29235	2.6	5,836	0.24301	3.1				
95	298	0.37547	2.0	1,187	0.31453	2.4				
100	22	0.44171	1.7	150	0.37101	2.1				

England and Wales

Age$_x$	English Life Table No. 12, 1960-62						Life Table, 1973-75			
	Males			Females			Males		Females	
	l_x	q_x	$\overset{o}{e}_x$	l_x	q_x	$\overset{o}{e}_x$	l_x	$\overset{o}{e}_x$	l_x	$\overset{o}{e}_x$
0	100,000	0.02449	68.1	100,000	0.01896	74.0	10,000	69.5	10,000	75.7
5	97,175	0.00057	65.1	97,795	0.00042	70.7	9,790	66.0	9,837	72.0
10	96,939	0.00039	60.2	97,635	0.00024	65.8	9,772	61.1	9,825	67.1
15	96,742	0.00059	55.3	97,514	0.00030	60.8	9,756	56.2	9,814	62.1
20	96,293	0.00119	50.6	97,336	0.00044	56.0	9,713	51.4	9,796	57.2
25	95,753	0.00099	45.8	97,105	0.00054	51.1	9,664	46.6	9,775	52.4
30	95,265	0.00115	41.1	96,811	0.00075	46.2	9,621	41.8	9,751	47.5
35	94,652	0.00155	36.3	96,384	0.00114	41.4	9,570	37.0	9,719	42.6
40	93,790	0.00235	31.6	95,724	0.00180	36.7	9,496	32.3	9,665	37.9
45	92,433	0.00399	27.0	94,685	0.00284	32.1	9,365	27.7	9,572	33.2
50	90,085	0.00728	22.7	93,080	0.00439	27.6	9,123	23.4	9,412	28.7
55	85,916	0.01331	18.6	90,652	0.00682	23.2	8,719	19.4	9,169	24.4
60	78,924	0.02287	15.1	86,967	0.01088	19.1	8,082	15.7	8,811	20.3
65	68,490	0.03648	12.0	81,286	0.01808	15.3	7,137	12.4	8,284	16.4
70	54,806	0.05566	9.3	72,483	0.03104	11.8	5,805	9.6	7,492	12.9
75	38,914	0.08434	7.0	59,360	0.05370	8.8	4,152	7.4	6,307	9.8
80	22,933	0.12747	5.2	41,890	0.09108	6.4	2,500	5.8	4,683	7.3
85	10,169	0.18659	3.9	23,115	0.14729	4.6	1,166	4.6	2,780	5.6
90	3,047	0.25593	3.0	8,782	0.22128	3.3				
95	573	0.32385	2.4	2,024	0.30323	2.5				
100	68	0.62017	2.0	264	0.37788	2.0				

[1] The column headed q_x is the probability that a person aged x would die within one year. Column l_x shows the numbers who would survive to exact age x out of 100,000 or 10,000 born who were subject throughout their lives to the death probabilities of column q_x. Column $\overset{o}{e}_x$ is 'the expectation of life', that is, the average future lifetime which would be lived by a person aged exactly x if likewise subject to the death probabilities of column q_x. **(See introductory note on page 6).**

Sources: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys; General Register Office (Scotland); General Register Office (Northern Ireland); Government Actuary's Department

Life tables [1]

TABLE 2.33 *(continued)*

Scotland

Age$_x$	Life Table, 1960-62				Abridged Life Table 1974-76[2]			
	Males		Females		Males		Females	
	l_x	$\overset{o}{e}_x$	l_x	$\overset{o}{e}_x$	l_x	$\overset{o}{e}_x$	l_x	$\overset{o}{e}_x$
0	10,000	66.25	10,000	72.00	10,000	67.66	10,000	74.11
5	9,654	63.61	9,740	68.91	9,782	64.15	9,827	70.40
10	9,630	58.76	9,722	64.04	9,761	59.29	9,815	65.48
15	9,608	53.89	9,707	59.13	9,741	54.40	9,806	60.54
20	9,571	49.09	9,690	54.23	9,696	49.64	9,788	55.64
25	9,517	44.35	9,667	49.36	9,643	44.90	9,765	50.77
30	9,455	39.63	9,633	44.52	9,591	40.13	9,738	45.90
35	9,378	34.93	9,581	39.75	9,523	35.40	9,699	41.08
40	9,270	30.31	9,499	35.07	9,417	30.77	9,630	36.35
45	9,100	25.82	9,370	30.51	9,242	26.31	9,512	31.77
50	8,806	21.59	9,175	26.10	8,940	22.11	9,327	27.36
55	8,299	17.75	8,882	21.88	8,459	18.23	9,027	23.18
60	7,493	14.37	8,439	17.89	7,721	14.73	8,588	19.24
65	6,364	11.46	7,769	14.20	6,667	11.66	7,940	15.60
70	4,972	8.95	6,762	10.92	5,281	9.07	7,060	12.24
75	3,440	6.81	5,334	8.13	3,656	6.99	5,845	9.26
80	1,969	5.07	3,560	5.92	2,115	5.25	4,261	6.78
85	841	3.75	1,817	4.27	904	3.94	2,459	4.91
90	238	2.83	625	3.12				
95	41	2.24	129	2.38				
100	4	1.86	15	1.93				

Northern Ireland

Age$_x$	Abridged Life Table, 1960-62				Abridged Life Table, 1973-75			
	Males		Females		Males		Females	
	l_x	$\overset{o}{e}_x$	l_x	$\overset{o}{e}_x$	l_x	$\overset{o}{e}_x$	l_x	$\overset{o}{e}_x$
0	10,000	67.64	10,000	72.40	10,000	67.24	10,000	73.55
5	9,655	65.04	9,719	69.48	9,743	64.00	9,770	70.26
10	9,629	60.21	9,704	64.59	9,718	59.16	9,756	65.36
15	9,610	55.32	9,692	59.66	9,691	54.31	9,745	60.43
20	9,573	50.53	9,675	54.76	9,613	49.73	9,720	55.58
25	9,526	45.77	9,652	49.88	9,513	45.23	9,696	50.71
30	9,472	41.01	9,619	45.05	9,422	40.64	9,672	45.83
35	9,400	36.31	9,576	40.24	9,323	36.05	9,629	41.02
40	9,311	31.63	9,499	35.54	9,306	31.11	9,562	36.29
45	9,160	27.11	9,390	30.93	9,162	26.56	9,457	31.67
50	8,912	22.80	9,208	26.49	8,865	22.37	9,283	27.21
55	8,476	18.84	8,931	22.23	8,393	18.48	9,028	22.91
60	7,790	15.28	8,554	18.10	7,695	14.93	8,622	18.87
65	6,754	12.24	7,916	14.36	6,688	11.81	8,009	15.13
70	5,476	9.51	6,958	10.99	5,345	9.15	7,150	11.64
75	3,952	7.21	5,489	8.27	3,801	6.85	5,865	8.65
80	2,358	5.40	3,724	6.00	2,230	4.92	4,157	6.18
85	1,099	3.72	1,937	4.23	944	3.21	2,257	4.28

[1] See footnote [1] on page 51.
[2] Provisional.

Sources: General Register Office (Scotland); General Register Office (Northern Ireland); Government Actuary's Department

III. Social Conditions

Government expenditure on social services and housing

The following tables of general government expenditure on the social services and housing in the United Kingdom comprise a summary table followed by separate tables for each of the social services and housing. The definition of government expenditure used in these tables follows that in Table 9.4 of *National Income and Expenditure 1966–76* (the Blue Book), and covers both current and capital expenditure of the central government (including the National Insurance Fund) and local authorities. The housing table also includes the capital expenditure of public corporations concerned with housing. As in the Blue Book government expenditure is measured after deducting fees and charges for services. Expenditure on administration includes the cost of common services (accommodation, stationery and printing, superannuation, etc.) which is not directly borne by the departments administering each service. Transfers from one part of government to another have been eliminated to avoid double counting. The figures relate to years ended 31 March. Figures for the latest two years are the most recent estimates available and are subject to revision.

It should be noted that the figures no longer include imputed rents for the use of fixed assets owned and used by general government. In the Blue Book imputed rents have been replaced by capital consumption. Capital consumption, however, can not be allocated to individual services and is therefore not included in these tables.

The following notes give brief descriptions of each of the main services shown in the tables.

Education

This covers expenditure by the Education Departments, local education authorities and the University Grants Committee on education in schools, training colleges, technical institutions and universities.

National health service

This covers expenditure by central government on hospital and community health, family practitioner and other health services. The expenditure by local authorities on the provision of health centres, health visiting, home nursing, ambulance services, vaccination and immunisation, etc., was transferred to central government on 1 April 1974. Only the net costs of providing these services are included in total government expenditure, receipts from patients being shown separately.

Personal social services

This covers local authority expenditure on the aged, handicapped and homeless; child care; care of mothers and young children; mental health; domestic help; etc. Also included are central government grants to voluntary approved schools. Figures before 1969/70 relate to the former services of child care and welfare services only.

School meals, milk and welfare foods

This covers the cost of providing school meals, milk and welfare foods at reduced prices to children and expectant mothers. Only the net costs of providing these services are included in the total government expenditure, payments by the recipients of the services being shown separately. Local authority capital expenditure on school canteens is included with *Education.*

Social security benefits

This is entirely central government expenditure and comprises both benefits under the national insurance schemes and non-contributory benefits and allowances, administered by the Department of Health and Social Security. The analysis by type of supplementary benefit is not exact; the estimates are derived from average numbers in receipt of benefit and average amounts paid.

Housing

The table shows, in addition to government expenditure on housing, the capital expenditure of public corporations and the total expenditure of the public sector on housing. The government expenditure figures cover subsidies paid by the Housing Departments towards the provision of housing by local authorities, new town development corporations and housing associations; subsidies by local authorities to their housing revenue accounts; rent rebates for tenants of housing owned by local authorities and new towns; rent allowances for tenants of privately-owned housing; grants to persons for the reduction of mortgage interest payments; capital expenditure on the provision of houses for letting; capital grants to housing associations; grants by local authorities towards the cost of conversion and improvement of privately-owned houses; net lending by the central government and local authorities for private house purchase and improvement. The public corporations' figures cover capital expenditure on the provision of houses for letting and lending by the Housing Corporation to housing associations.

Social Security

Tables 3.12 to 3.17 and 3.22 to 3.30 give details of contributors and beneficiaries under the National Insurance and Industrial Injury Acts, family allowance, supplementary benefits and war pensions.

There are three classes of contributor:

Class 1 Employed persons, that is, persons working for employers. Their contributions are paid partly by themselves and partly by their employers. They are covered for all benefits.

Class 2 Self-employed persons, that is, persons working on their own account. They are covered for all benefits other than unemployment and industrial injuries.

Class 3 Non-employed persons, that is, persons who do not work for gain. They are covered for benefits other than unemployment, sickness, industrial injuries and maternity allowances.

An employer must pay a contribution for every employee unless the time worked is inconsiderable. Most employed persons pay the full employee's contribution, but retirement pensioners working for an employer contribute only for industrial injuries benefit and married women and some widows who are working need not, unless they so wish, contribute except for industrial injuries benefit. Thus the total numbers in the analysis by benefit for which the contributions were payable are less than the total numbers in the analysis by class of contributor.

Sickness benefit (Tables 3.18 to 3.21)

The population at risk for sickness benefit is the working population apart from men over age 65 and women over age 60 who are retirement pensioners and all men over 70 and women over 65, members of the Armed Forces, mariners while at sea, most non-industrial civil servants and Post Office employees (who do not normally claim sickness benefit until an illness has lasted six months) and married women and certain widows who have chosen not to be insured for sickness benefit (about three-quarters of all married women in employment have chosen not to pay flat-rate contributions).

Summary of government expenditure on social services and housing

TABLE 3.1 Years ended 31 March £ million

	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77
Education	1,754	1,967	2,119	2,299	2,638	3,026	3,566	4,078	5,243	6,597	7,423
National health service	1,420	1,558	1,676	1,762	2,071	2,362	2,696	3,055	4,095	5,470	6,234
Personal social services	117	134	149	223	274	324	416	554	768	1,029	1,208
School meals, milk and welfare foods	144	166	149	161	176	149	169	212	304	398	469
Social security benefits	2,647	3,006	3,410	3,656	3,927	4,578	5,175	5,718	7,171	9,736	11,527
Housing	1,061	1,123	1,161	1,219	1,339	1,354	1,666	2,621	4,341	4,611	5,195
Total government expenditure	7,143	7,954	8,664	9,320	10,425	11,793	13,688	16,238	21,922	27,841	32,056
Current expenditure	5,833	6,526	7,210	7,848	8,793	10,057	11,598	13,259	17,711	23,508	27,603
Capital expenditure	1,310	1,428	1,454	1,472	1,632	1,736	2,090	2,979	4,211	4,333	4,453
Total government expenditure	7,143	7,954	8,664	9,320	10,425	11,793	13,688	16,238	21,922	27,841	32,056
Central government	4,491	5,041	5,589	6,043	6,723	7,701	8,837	10,066	13,539	17,930	21,431
Local authorities	2,652	2,913	3,075	3,277	3,702	4,092	4,851	6,172	8,383	9,911	10,625
Total government expenditure	7,143	7,954	8,664	9,320	10,425	11,793	13,688	16,238	21,922	27,841	32,056

Source: Central Statistical Office

Government expenditure on education

TABLE 3.2

Years ended 31 March

£ million

	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77
Current expenditure											
Schools maintained by education authorities:											
Nursery	4	5	5	6	7	8	10	12	18	27	34
Primary	369	401	427	473	546	639	748	843	1,209	1,530	1,735
Secondary	413	447	474	517	591	699	834	970	1,409	1,810	2,024
Special	23	26	28	32	38	55	68	78	117	179	209
Total	809	879	934	1,028	1,182	1,401	1,660	1,903	2,753	3,546	4,002
School health [1]	22	23	26	28	33	37	44	48	—	—	—
Transport of pupils	22	24	26	27	34	43	48	55	70	85	100
Fees and grants to direct grant and independent schools	33	35	37	38	40	48	56	70	74	96	113
Further and adult education	188	213	235	255	296	351	416	466	645	816	944
Teacher training	68	80	93	102	113	129	146	162	203	254	296
Universitites:											
Grants to universities	139	157	168	183	228	259	325	315	437	549	639
Grants and allowances to students	53	57	62	64	69	77	78	84	100	127	152
Youth service and physical training	15	18	19	20	23	27	34	41	52	67	82
Administration	59	66	72	79	92	105	126	144	196	244	287
Selective employment tax	18	33	47	71	76	41	34	—	—	—	—
Value added tax paid by local authorities	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	25	50	57	56
Other current expenditure	25	24	26	24	24	15	15	67	9	12	16
Total current expenditure	1,451	1,609	1,745	1,919	2,210	2,533	2,982	3,380	4,589	5,853	6,687
Capital expenditure											
Schools:											
Expenditure by education authorities	153	189	204	200	236	299	377	453	429	489	478
Grants and loans by central government	16	19	21	21	22	28	32	37	36	41	39
Further and adult education	39	49	54	56	61	64	65	69	71	81	81
Teacher training	12	13	11	10	9	12	11	12	10	11	10
Grants to universities	82	83	74	70	71	81	87	70	81	102	104
Other capital expenditure	1	5	10	23	29	9	12	57	27	30	24
Total capital expenditure	303	358	374	380	428	493	584	698	654	744	736
Total expenditure											
Central government	308	341	357	372	433	483	572	673	790	913	1,012
Local authorities	1,446	1,626	1,762	1,927	2,205	2,543	2,994	3,405	4,453	5,684	6,411
Total public expenditure	1,754	1,967	2,119	2,299	2,638	3,026	3,566	4,078	5,243	6,597	7,423

[1] From 1 April 1974 expenditure on the school health service is included in the national health service.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Government expenditure on the national health service

TABLE 3.3

Years ended 31 March

£ million

	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77
Current expenditure											
Central government:											
Hospital and community health services [1]:											
Hospitals, etc., running expenses[2]	758	809	883	964	1,145	1,341	1,535	1,774	2,662	3,687	4,183
Administration	24	25	28	32	38	46	55	66	157	211	238
Selective employment tax	15	27	35	50	55	37	31	–	–	–	–
Family practitioner services:											
General medical services	112	130	138	148	181	196	212	228	265	341	382
Pharmaceutical services[2]	163	179	186	204	222	249	285	313	440	485	616
General dental services [2]	80	82	85	92	110	122	132	147	204	239	265
General ophthalmic services[2]	23	24	25	28	31	28	31	35	51	76	80
Administration	9	9	10	11	13	14	18	20	–	–	–
less Payments by patients:											
Hospital services	–8	–8	–9	–11	–11	–13	–16	–19	–20	–25	–32
Pharmaceutical services	–	–	–12	–19	–19	–25	–28	–29	–32	–27	–27
Dental services	–13	–14	–16	–17	–19	–26	–30	–34	–39	–37	–46
Ophthalmic services	–9	–9	–9	–11	–12	–14	–16	–18	–21	–21	–27
Total	–30	–31	–46	–58	–61	–78	–90	–100	–112	–110	–132
Departmental administration	12	12	15	17	18	23	27	36	43	54	62
Other services	13	15	17	18	22	28	38	52	83	82	123
Local authority health services[3]											
Running expenses[4]	123	135	147	103	119	139	161	188	–	–	–
Selective employment tax	4	7	9	9	8	7	6	–	–	–	–
Total current expenditure	1,306	1,423	1,532	1,618	1,901	2,152	2,441	2,759	3,793	5,065	5,817
Capital expenditure											
Central government	102	121	129	135	157	195	236	271	302	405	417
Local authorities[3]	12	14	15	9	13	15	19	25	–	–	–
Total capital expenditure	114	135	144	144	170	210	255	296	302	405	417
Total expenditure											
Central government	1,281	1,402	1,505	1,641	1,931	2,201	2,510	2,842	4,095	5,470	6,234
Local authorities[3]	139	156	171	121	140	161	186	213	–	–	–
Total government expenditure	1,420	1,558	1,676	1,762	2,071	2,362	2,696	3,055	4,095	5,470	6,234

[1] Including the school health service from 1 April 1974, previously included in education. [2] Before deducting payments by patients. [3] On 1 April 1974 Local authority health services became the responsibility of Central government, and from that date are included under the heading community health services. [4] After deducting payments by patients.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Government expenditure on welfare services

TABLE 3.4

Years ended 31 March

£ million

	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77
Personal social services											
Central government current expenditure	4	5	6	6	7	8	9	17	26	41	51
Local authorities current expenditure:											
Running expenses	91	103	114	177	219	272	348	449	644	872	1051
Selective employment tax	2	4	5	11	13	4	4	—	—	—	—
Value added tax paid by local authorities	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	10	13	13
Capital expenditure	20	22	24	29	35	40	55	83	88	103	93
Total	117	134	149	223	274	324	416	554	768	1,029	1,208
School meals and milk											
Local authorities expenditure:											
School milk	16	18	15	14	16	12	9	9	9	13	16
School meals:											
Running expenses	125	142	150	162	180	202	242	298	401	518	589
Selective employment tax	4	7	10	15	16	9	7	—	—	—	—
Value added tax paid by local authorities	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	6	7	7
less Payments by parents	–45	–49	–65	–69	–80	–91	–102	–110	–121	–155	–161
Total	100	118	110	122	132	132	156	201	295	383	451
Welfare foods service											
Central government current expenditure on welfare foods (including administration)	46	50	41	41	46	19	13	12	10	16	19
less Receipts from the public	–2	–2	–2	–2	–2	–2	—	–1	–1	–1	–1
Total	44	48	39	39	44	17	13	11	9	15	18

Source: Central Statistical Office

Government expenditure on social security benefits

TABLE **3.5**

Years ended 31 March

£ million

	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77
Central government current expenditure											
National insurance:											
Retirement pensions	1,300	1,415	1,578	1,663	1,817	2,091	2,422	2,815	3,661	4,898	5,573
Widow's benefits and guardians' allowances	146	153	159	167	174	203	228	254	323	409	439
Sickness benefits	272	336	362	398	394	434	513	580	711	935	1,091
Maternity benefits	38	38	39	39	41	44	44	44	48	57	72
Death grants	8	10	11	12	11	14	13	14	14	15	15
Unemployment benefits	85	130	132	135	159	250	219	182	227	473	578
Industrial injuries benefits	95	101	106	108	112	117	127	141	170	215	250
War pensions	118	120	124	124	127	136	149	167	207	264	290
Family allowances	156	167	310	354	354	359	354	359	359	554	564
Supplementary benefits [1]:											
Old persons	171	200	215	233	253	286	285	288	326	427	489
Unemployed persons	32	65	79	80	95	155	191	150	200	378	601
Sick persons	54	65	72	76	81	84	85	95	118	130	134
Other persons in need	52	70	80	100	115	140	154	181	232	300	384
Other non-contributory benefits:											
Old persons pensions	—	—	—	—	8	24	28	29	32	36	38
Family income supplement	—	—	—	—	—	5	11	14	14	14	20
Attendance allowance [2]	—	—	—	—	—	6	25	38	66	101	144
Lump sums to pensioners	—	—	—	—	—	—	81	82	94	—	—
Administration	120	136	143	167	186	230	246	285	369	530	845
Total government expenditure	2,647	3,006	3,410	3,656	3,927	4,578	5,175	5,718	7,171	9,736	11,527

[1] National Assistance (including non-contributory old-age pensions) ceased after 26 November 1966, when it was replaced by Supplementary benefits. [2] Including mobility allowance from 1976 (1976/77 £8 million).

Source: Central Statistical Office

Government and other public sector expenditure on housing

TABLE 3.6

Years ended 31 March

£ million

	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77
Government expenditure											
Current expenditure											
Central government housing subsidies:											
to local authorities	106	121	138	164	200	231	231	299	579	753	1,061
to public corporations	11	12	14	16	20	24	61	40	62	111	148
to housing associations	1	1	2	2	3	3	4	4	7	11	15
Local authorities housing subsidies	65	69	81	101	95	76	54	89	174	213	196
Grants under rent rebate scheme	–	–	–	–	–	–	75	173	216	250	311
Grants under rent allowance scheme	–	–	–	–	–	–	5	27	37	43	80
Grants under the option mortgage scheme	–	–	7	9	13	18	28	51	75	109	140
Other grants for mortgage interest relief	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	16	–	–	–
Administration etc.	5	7	7	8	9	9	12	20	24	39	37
Total current expenditure	188	210	249	300	340	361	470	719	1,174	1,529	1,988
Capital expenditure											
Investment in housing by local authorities	690	763	774	776	741	690	698	1,144	1,879	2,114	2,149
Capital grants to housing associations	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	135	422
Improvement grants	15	16	17	17	28	48	100	164	177	74	74
Net lending for house purchase	83	33	9	–11	85	103	234	356	691	210	12
Capital grants to public corporations	–	–	1	1	2	1	1	1	–	7	12
Net lending to public corporations	85	101	111	136	143	151	163	236	419	542	538
Total capital expenditure	873	913	912	919	999	993	1,196	1,902	3,167	3,082	3,207
Total expenditure											
Central government	206	239	272	328	380	413	557	802	1,443	1,745	1,578
Local authorities	855	884	889	891	959	941	1,109	1,819	2,898	2,866	2,820
Total government expenditure	1,061	1,123	1,161	1,219	1,339	1,354	1,666	2,621	4,341	4,611	5,195
Public corporations' capital expenditure											
Investment in housing	61	67	73	88	103	73	28	131	212	293	355
Net lending to private sector	8	13	13	14	9	13	30	53	135	111	55
Total	69	80	86	102	112	86	58	184	347	404	410
Total public sector expenditure [1]	1,045	1,102	1,135	1,184	1,306	1,288	1,560	2,568	4,269	4,466	5,055

[1] Total government expenditure *less* grants and loans to public corporations *plus* public corporations' capital expenditure.

Source: Central Statistical Office.

National Insurance and Industrial Injuries Funds [6]

TABLE 3.11

Years ended 31 March

£ thousand

	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75
National Insurance Funds							
Receipts:							
Total [1]	2,408,188	2,663,625	2,918,343	3,364,132	3,913,802	4,707,849	6,495,572
Opening balance	121,974	246,762	160,684	217,968	206,703	341,314	586,150
Flat-rate contributions	1,426,946	1,449,118	1,493,632	1,515,388	1,567,422	1,720,320	2,085,929
Graduated contributions	450,761	550,683	802,818	1,077,958	1,518,505	1,967,519	2,878,882
Consolidated fund contributions	350,381	361,592	410,965	501,600	567,277	608,620	833,000
Income from investments	4,301	15,546	10,587	11,410	14,746	30,219	72,488
Interest, etc., transferred from National Insurance (Reserve) funds	52,034	39,783	39,635	39,766	39,115	39,763	38,999
Miscellaneous	1,791	141	22	43	34	94	124
Expenditure:							
Total	2,361,426	2,507,942	2,700,376	3,157,429	3,572,488	4,121,699	5,283,086
Total benefits	2,279,267	2,413,276	2,590,016	3,030,070	3,431,277	3,955,992	5,054,966
Unemployment:	131,721	134,638	158,640	249,947	218,586	181,906	227,123
Sickness	361,660	397,557	388,909	334,954	300,949	317,430	358,766
Invalidity	—	—	—	96,126	207,806	255,515	338,769
Maternity	38,780	39,326	41,466	43,568	43,508	43,560	48,536
Widows' pensions	158,895	167,092	173,449	202,508	227,256	253,074	321,056
Guardians' allowances	617	640	638	741	851	1,061	1,384
Child's special allowance	61	61	71	91	111	142	203
Retirement pensions	1,576,427	1,661,796	1,815,566	2,088,443	2,418,796	2,810,875	3,654,566
Death grants	11,106	12,166	11,277	13,693	13,414	13,734	14,236
Pensioners' lump sum payments						78,695	90,327
Payments in lieu of benefits foregone [2]						106	12,749
Administration	77,242	88,712	101,689	119,410	130,164	149,512	209,115
Miscellaneous [3]	4,917	5,954	8,671	7,948	11,047	16,089	6,256
Accumulated funds	246,762	160,684	217,968	206,703	341,314	559,150	1,212,487
National Insurance (Reserve) Funds [6]							
Receipts:							
Total	1,246,316	951,144	944,035	944,317	943,823	944,634	944,033
Opening balance	1,194,143	911,218	904,253	904,400	904,552	904,709	904,871
Income from investments	52,034	39,783	39,635	39,765	39,114	39,763	38,999
Miscellaneous	139	143	147	152	157	162	163
Expenditure:							
Interest, etc., transferred to National Insurance Funds	52,034	39,783	39,635	39,765	39,114	39,763	38,999
Accumulated funds [4]	911,218	904,253	904,400	904,552	904,709	904,071	905,034
Industrial Injuries Funds [6]							
Receipts:							
Total	468,645	475,361	485,187	505,858	534,509	568,284	624,473
Opening balance	349,441	352,710	355,364	361,291	373,962	390,867	411,313
Contributions	85,449	88,420	92,458	104,606	116,532	128,150	157,831
Consolidated fund contributions	17,289	17,570	18,802	20,217	22,752	26,412	30,600
Income from investments	16,432	16,643	18,558	19,739	21,257	22,850	24,724
Miscellaneous	34	18	5	5	6	5	5
Expenditure:							
Total	115,935	119,997	123,896	131,897	143,641	156,973	191,987
Total benefits	105,609	107,471	111,510	117,085	127,758	140,733	169,644
Injury	35,020	34,209	33,455	31,720	33,206	34,759	35,899
Disablement	59,421	61,696	65,808	72,115	79,676	89,131	112,387
Death	8,133	8,643	9,406	10,379	11,924	13,687	17,590
Pensioners' lump sum payments						110	220
Other [5]	3,035	2,923	2,841	2,871	2,952	3,046	3,548
Payments in lieu of benefits foregone [2]						1	359
Administration	10,212	12,195	12,062	14,673	15,559	15,848	21,984
Miscellaneous [3]	114	331	324	138	324	391	—
Accumulated funds	352,710	355,364	361,291	373,961	390,868	411,312	432,485

[1] The total receipts for the year ended 31 March 1969 exclude the capital payment of £200 million made from the National Insurance (Reserve) Fund; for the year ended 31 March 1970 they exclude a capital payment of £5 million from the Northern Ireland National Insurance (Reserve) Fund. [2] Payments to the Post Office, Consolidated and Trading Funds. [3] From 1969/70 to 1973/74 includes payments to the Post Office under Section 4(4) of the National Insurance and Supplementary Benefit Act 1973 (previously Section 51 of the Post Office Act, 1969.) [4] The balance for the year ended 31 March 1969 takes account of the payment of £200 million out of the National Insurance (Reserve) Fund to the National Insurance Fund referred to in footnote [1]. Investments of the National Insurance (Reserve) Fund valued at £283 million (at cost) were used to effect this payment. The balance for the year ended 31 March 1970 similarly takes account of the £5 million paid out of the Northern Ireland National Insurance (Reserve) Fund referred to in footnote [1]. Investments valued at £7,107 thousand were used to effect this payment. [5] Allowances and death benefit made under the Industrial Injuries and Diseases (Old Cases) Act 1967, as amended. [6] The National Insurance (Reserve) Fund and the Industrial Injuries Fund were wound-up and their assets transferred to the National Insurance Fund on 1 April 1975 under Section 44 of the Social Security Act 1973.

Sources: Department of Health and Social Security; Department of Health and Social Services (Northern Ireland)

National Insurance Fund

TABLE 3.11 (*continued*)

Year ended 31 March

£ thousand

	1975/76
Receipts	
Total	9,629,362
Opening balance [1]	1,947,516
Contributions	6,326,712
Consolidated Fund supplement	1,157,789
Income from investments	197,141
Other receipts	204
Expenditure	
Total	7,350,699
Total benefits	6,977,042
Unemployment	472,911
Sickness	440,439
Invalidity	475,013
Maternity	57,150
Widows' pensions	406,800
Guardians allowances [2]	1,810
Child's special allowance	300
Retirement pensions	4,892,274
Death grants	15,428
Injury	39,970
Disablement	147,761
Death	23,020
Other benefits	4,166
Payments in lieu of benefits foregone [3]	19,157
Other payments	5,736
Administration	348,764
Accumulated funds	2,278,663

[1] Under Section 44 of the Social Security Act 1973 the balances of the National Insurance (Reserve) Fund and the Industrial Injuries Fund at 31 March 1975, consisting mainly of securities valued at cost, were transferred to the National Insurance Fund on 1 April 1975 at the market value. [2] Including figures of Child's special allowance for Northern Ireland. [3] Payments to the Post Office Consolidated and Trading Funds.

Sources: Department of Health and Social Security; Department of Health and Social Services (Northern Ireland)

National Insurance Acts: persons for whom contributions were payable [1]

TABLE 3.12

Average of the numbers at quarterly dates

Millions

	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974
Analysis by class of contributor										
Total	25.82	25.85	25.64	25.57	25.54	25.27	25.05	25.07	25.12	25.18
Males:										
Total	17.16	17.12	17.03	16.96	16.91	16.79	16.65	16.60	16.54	16.45
Employed	15.66	15.60	15.47	15.36	15.24	15.11	14.95	14.90	14.82	14.68
Self-employed	1.39	1.41	1.45	1.49	1.55	1.56	1.58	1.59	1.61	1.65
Non-employed	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.11
Females:										
Total	8.66	8.73	8.60	8.61	8.64	8.48	8.40	8.47	8.58	8.74
Employed	8.45	8.50	8.38	8.41	8.44	8.28	8.23	8.30	8.43	8.58
Self-employed	0·09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.10	0.10	0.08	0.09	0.07	0.08
Non-employed	0·12	0.14	0.13	0.11	0.10	0.10	0.09	0.08	0.08	0.08

[1] Employed persons for whom the employer's contribution only is payable (for example, married women who elect not to pay contributions themselves) are included in the analysis by class but excluded from the analysis by benefit, except where these contributions count for benefit.

Sources: Department of Health and Social Security; Department of Health and Social Services (Northern Ireland);
Government Actuary's Department

Weekly rates of principal social security benefits

TABLE 3.13

	1967 October	1968 April	1968 October	1969 November	1971 Sept.	1972 October	1973 October	1974 July	1975 April	1975 November	1976 November
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Unemployment benefit[1] :											
Men, single women and widows	4.50	4.50	4.50	5.00	6.00	6.75	7.35	8.60	9.80	11.10	12.90
Married women (normal rate). . .	3.10	3.10	3.10	3.50	4.20	4.75	5.15	6.05	6.90	7.80	9.20
Boys and girls under 18 years of age	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.75	3.30	3.70	4.05	4.75	9.80	11.10	12.90
Sickness benefit[1] :											
Men, single women and widows	4.50	4.50	4.50	5.00	6.00	6.75	7.35	8.60	9.80	11.10	12.90
Married women (normal rate) . .	3.10	3.10	3.10	3.50	4.20	4.75	5.15	6.05	6.90	7.80	9.20
Boys and girls under 18 years of age	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.75	3.30	3.70	4.05	4.75	9.80	11.10	12.90
Attendance allowance:											
Higher rate						5.40	6.20	8.00	9.20	10.60	12.20
Lower rate							4.15	5.35	6.20	7.10	8.15
Maternity benefit[2] :											
Maternity allowance for insured women.	4.50	4.50	4.50	5.00	6.00	6.75	7.35	8.60	9.80	11.10	12.90
Death grant[3]	30.00	30.00	30.00	30.00	30.00	30.00	30.00	30.00	30.00	30.00	30.00
Guardian's allowance[4]	2.125	2.275	2.275	2.45	2.95	3.30	3.80	4.90	5.65	6.50	7.45
Widow's benefit[4] :											
Widow's pension	4.50	4.50	4.50	5.00	6.00	6.75	7.75	10.00	11.60	13.30	15.30
Widowed mother's allowance. . .	4.50	4.50	4.50	5.00	6.00	6.75	7.75	10.00	11.60	13.30	15.30
Addition for first child	2.125	2.275	2.275	2.45	2.95	3.30	3.80	4.90	5.65	6.50	7.45
Addition for second child	1.725	1.525	1.375	1.55	2.05	2.40	2.90	4.00	4.15	5.00	5.95
Addition for each other child . .	1.625	1.425	1.275	1.45	1.95	2.30	2.80	3.90	4.15	5.00	5.95
Retirement pension[4] :											
Single person	4.50	4.50	4.50	5.00	6.00	6.75	7.75	10.00	11.60	13.30	15.30
Married couple	7.30	7.30	7.30	8.10	9.70	10.90	12.50	16.00	18.50	21.20	24.50
Old person's pension:											
Man or woman					3.60	4.05	4.65	6.00	6.90	7.90	9.20
Married woman					2.20	2.50	2.85	3.70	4.30	4.90	5.60
Industrial injuries benefit:											
Injury benefit	7.25	7.25	7.25	7.75	8.75	9.50	10.10	11.35	12.55	13.85	15.65
Disablement pension at 100 per cent rate[4]	7.60	7.60	7.60	8.40	10.00	11.20	12.80	16.40	19.00	21.80	25.00
Widow's or widower's pension[4]	5.05	5.05	5.05	5.55	6.55	7.30	8.30	10.55	12.15	13.85	15.85
Increase for dependants[5] :											
One adult	2.80	2.80	2.80	3.10	3.70	4.15	4.55	5.30	6.10	6.90	8.00
First child	1.25	1.40	1.40	1.55	1.85	2.10	2.30	2.70	3.10	3.50	4.05
Second child	0.85	0.65	0.50	0.65	0.95	1.20	1.40	1.80	1.60	2.00	2.55
Each additional child[6]	0.85	0.55	0.40	0.55	0.85	1.10	1.30	1.70	1.60	2.00	2.55
Family allowances[7] :											
Second child	0.40	0.75	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	1.50	1.50	1.50
Third and each subsequent child	0.50	0.85	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.50	1.50	1.50
Family income supplement (maximum awards payable)											
Families with 1 child					4.00	5.00	5.00	5.50	5.50	7.00	8.50
Families with 2 children					4.00	5.00	5.00	5.50	5.50	[8]	[8]
Families with 3 or more children					4.00	5.00	6.00	7.00	7.00	[8]	[8]
War pension											
Ex-private (100% assessment) . .	7.60	7.60	7.60	8.40	10.00	11.20	12.80	16.40	19.00	21.80	25.00
War widow.	5.85	5.85	5.85	6.50	7.80	8.80	10.10	13.00	15.00	17.20	19.80

Footnotes [1] – [8] See page 64.

Source: Department of Health and Social Security

Weekly rates of principal social security benefits

TABLE 3.13 *(continued)*

	1967 Oct.	1968 Oct.	1969 Nov.	1970 Nov.	1971 Sept.	1972 Oct.	1973 Oct. [9]	1974 July	1975 April	1975 Nov.	1976 Nov.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Supplementary benefits [10]:											
Weekly scale rate of requirements [11]											
Married couple [12]	7.05	7.45	7.85	8.50	9.45	10.65					
Ordinary rate							11.65	13.65	15.65	17.75	20.65
Long term rate							12.85	16.35	18.85	21.55	24.85
Single householder [13]	4.30	4.55	4.80	5.20	5.80	6.55					
Ordinary rate							7.15	8.40	9.60	10.90	12.70
Long term rate							8.15	10.40	12.00	13.70	15.70
Non-householder aged:											
21 or over	3.55	3.70	3.85	4.15	4.60	5.20					
Ordinary rate							5.70	6.70	7.65	8.70	10.15
Long term rate							6.60	8.40	9.65	11.00	12.60
18–20	2.90	3.05	3.20	3.50	4.05	5.20					
Ordinary rate							5.70	6.70	7.65	8.70	10.15
Long term rate							6.60	8.40	9.65	11.00	12.60
16–17	2.50	2.65	2.80	3.05	3.60	4.05	4.40	5.15	5.90	6.70	7.80
Increase for children aged:											
13–15	1.85	2.05	2.20	2.40	3.00	3.40	3.70	4.35	4.95	5.60	6.50
11–12	1.85	1.95	2.05	2.20	2.45	2.75	3.00	3.55	4.05	4.60	5.35
5–10	1.50	1.60	1.65	1.80	2.00	2.25	2.45	2.90	3.30	3.75	4.35
Under 5	1.25	1.35	1.40	1.50	1.70	1.90	2.05	2.40	2.75	3.10	3.60

[1] From 7 April 1975 the lower rate of unemployment benefit and of sickness benefit has been discontinued and persons under the age of 18 are entitled to the appropriate adult rate. [2] The maternity allowance was originally paid to working mothers for 13 weeks. In October 1953 the period of payment was increased to 18 weeks subject to satisfying a contribution test. A maternity grant (originally £4 and subsequently increased in steps to £25) is payable through a woman's own insurance or that of her husband. [3] Death grant is not payable in respect of the death of a person who on 4 July 1948 was aged 65 or over (man). [4] Changes in rates of benefit became operative from 29 March in 1965. [5] An allowance for one adult dependant is payable, where appropriate, with unemployment benefit, sickness benefit, retirement pension, injury benefit, certain disablement pensions and, since 1953, maternity allowance. Allowances for dependent children are payable with any of these benefits. The rates of increases of benefit for the children of widowed mothers are at higher rates than those for the children of other beneficiaries. Changes in these increases take effect from the same date as the main benefit. [6] The rate of family allowance for the fourth and each subsequent child in a family was temporarily increased by 25p a week between October 1967 and April 1968, the appropriate rates of increase of benefit for dependent children being correspondingly reduced by 25p a week. [7] Family allowances, for each qualifying child in the family except the first, were introduced in August 1946. Until August 1956 the allowance continued while the child was at school or an apprentice, but not beyond 31 July following his 16th birthday. The upper limit was raised to the 18th birthday from August 1956 and to the 19th birthday from March 1964. [8] From July 1975 the maximum award payable was £7.00 for families with one child increasing by 50p for each additional child; from July 1976 it was £8.50 for a one child family *plus* 50p for each additional child. [9] From October 1973 the long-term addition has been incorporated in the long-term rate: persons aged 80 years and over are entitled to a further 25p. [10] Supplementary pension is paid to people over age 65 (men) or 60 (women). Supplementary allowance is paid to people below those ages. [11] Scale rates for requirement other than for rent, which is allowed for in addition. There is in addition a special scale rate for persons aged 16 years and over who are registered blind or whose wife is registered blind. [12] Including couples as man and wife. [13] Including any single person who is directly responsible for rent.

Source: Department of Health and Social Security

National insurance: weekly contributions[1]

TABLE 3.14

Operating from dates shown

	1971 15 Feb	1971 5 July	1971 20 Sept.	1972 2 Oct.	1973 2 April	1973 1 Oct.	1974 21 Jan	1974 5 Aug	1975 6 April [4]	1976 April	1977 April
Men	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Employed persons:											
Ordinary	4.23	3.03	3.03	3.13	1.93	2.03	2.12	2.47			
Contracted out	4.47	3.27	3.27	3.37	2.17	2.27	2.36	2.71			
National health service [2]	*0.241*	*0.241*	*0.241*	*0.241*	*0.241*	*0.241*	*0.241*	*0.241*			
Redundancy Payments Act [2]	*0.063*	*0.063*	*0.063*	*0.063*	*0.063*	*0.063*	*0.063*	*0.063*			
Selective employment tax [2]	*2.40*	*1.20*	*1.20*	*1.20*	—	—	—	—			
Employee:											
Ordinary	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.84	0.84	0.75			
Contracted out	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.96	0.96	0.87			
Employer:											
Ordinary	3.35	2.15	2.15	2.25	1.05	1.19	1.28	1.72			
Contracted out	3.47	2.27	2.27	2.37	1.17	1.31	1.40	1.84			
Self-employed	1.24	1.24	1.50	1.68	1.68	1.93	1.99	2.41	2.41	2.41	2.66
Non-employed	0.99	0.99	1.20	1.33	1.33	1.52	1.56	1.90	1.90	2.10	2.45
Women											
Employed persons:											
Ordinary	2.75	2.15	2.15	2.24	1.64	1.72	1.79	2.08			
Contracted out	2.91	2.31	2.31	2.40	1.80	1.88	1.95	2.24			
National health service [2]	*0.208*	*0.208*	*0.208*	*0.208*	*0.208*	*0.208*	*0.208*	*0.208*			
Redundancy Payments Act [2]	*0.029*	*0.029*	*0.029*	*0.029*	*0.029*	*0.029*	*0.029*	*0.029*			
Selective employment tax [2]	*1.20*	*0.60*	*0.60*	*0.60*	—	—	—	—			
Employee:											
Ordinary	0.75	0.75	0.75	0.75	0.75	0.71	0.71	0.62			
Contracted out	0.83	0.83	0.83	0.83	0.83	0.79	0.79	0.70			
Employer:											
Ordinary	2.00	1.40	1.40	1.49	0.89	1.01	1.08	1.46			
Contracted out	2.08	1.48	1.48	1.57	0.97	1.09	1.16	1.54			
Self-employed	1.03	1.03	1.25	1.40	1.40	1.61	1.67	2.01	2.10	2.20	2.55
Non-employed	0.78	0.78	0.94	1.04	1.04	1.19	1.23	1.49	1.90	2.10	2.45
Boys [3]											
Employed persons: Total	2.39	1.79	1.79	1.87	1.27	1.34	1.40	1.69			
National health service [2]	*0.162*	*0.162*	*0.162*	*0.162*	*0.162*	*0.162*	*0.162*	*0.162*			
Selective employment tax [2]	*1.20*	*0.60*	*0.60*	*0.60*	—	—	—	—			
Employee	0.57	0.57	0.57	0.57	0.57	0.57	0.57	0.57			
Employer	1.82	1.22	1.22	1.30	0.70	0.77	0.83	1.12			
Self-employed	0.70	0.70	0.85	0.95	0.95	1.09	1.15	1.36	2.41	2.41	2.66
Non-employed	0.56	0.56	0.68	0.75	0.75	0.86	0.90	1.08	1.90	2.10	2.45
Girls [3]											
Employed persons: Total	1.81	1.41	1.41	1.49	1.09	1.15	1.20	1.45			
National health service [2]	*0.162*	*0.162*	*0.162*	*0.162*	*0.162*	*0.162*	*0.162*	*0.162*			
Selective employment tax [2]	*0.80*	*0.40*	*0.40*	*0.40*	—	—	—	—			
Employee	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48			
Employer	1.33	0.93	0.93	1.01	0.61	0.67	0.72	0.97			
Self-employed	0.60	0.60	0.73	0.81	0.81	0.93	0.99	1.16	2.10	2.20	2.55
Non-employed	0.46	0.46	0.55	0.61	0.61	0.70	0.74	0.87	1.90	2.10	2.45

[1] Ordinary contributions shown for employed adults are flat-rate contributions payable in the case of persons not contracted out of the graduated pensions scheme.

Contracted out contributions are payable in the case of employed persons with equivalent pension rights from employers' superannuation schemes who have been contracted out of the graduated pension scheme.

As from 5 October 1966 a graduated contribution at the not contracted out rate of 4.75% of earnings between £9 and £18 and 0.5% of earnings between £18 and £30; and at the contracted out rate of 0.5% of earnings between £9 and £30, was payable by both employer and employee. This increase was to meet the cost of earnings-related supplement benefits under the National Insurance Act, 1966. As from 3 November 1969 the rate of graduated contributions payable was further increased on earnings between £18 and £30 to 3.25%, under the National Insurance Act 1969. As from 21 September 1971 the rate of graduated contributions payable was increased on earnings between £18 and £42 to 4.35% under the National Insurance Act 1971. As from 2 October 1972 the not contracted out rate of 4.75% was extended to earnings between £18 and £48; and the contracted out rate on earnings between £18 and £48 was also increased to 4.75%, under the National Insurance Act 1972. As from 1 October 1973, graduated contributions were payable at the not contracted out rate of 5% of earnings between £9 and £54; and at the contracted out rate of 0.75% on earnings between £9 and £18; and 5% on earnings between £18 and £54, under the National Insurance Act 1973.

[2] Contributions included in total above. [3] Juveniles under 18 who have left school. [4] As from 6 April 1975 contributions are based on earnings. See Table 3.15 for the rates of contribution from 6 April 1975.

Source: Department of Health and Social Security.

National insurance contributions

TABLE 3.15

		6 April 1975[1]		6 April 1976 [1]		6 April 1977 [1]	
		Standard rate	Reduced rate	Standard rate	Reduced rate	Standard rate	Reduced rate
Employee's contribution	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Weekly gross pay	11.00	0.62	0.22				
	13.00	0.73	0.26	0.76	0.26		
	15.00	0.84	0.30	0.88	0.30	0.88	0.30
	20.00	1.11	0.40	1.16	0.40	1.16	0.40
	30.00	1.66	0.60	1.74	0.60	1.74	0.60
	40.00	2.21	0.80	2.31	0.80	2.31	0.80
	50.00	2.76	1.00	2.89	1.00	2.89	1.00
	60.00	3.31	1.20	3.46	1.20	3.46	1.20
	69.00	3.79	1.38	3.98	1.38	3.98	1.38
	70.00	3.79	1.38	4.04	1.40	4.04	1.40
	80.00	3.79	1.38	4.61	1.60	4.61	1.60
	90.00	3.79	1.38	5.19	1.80	5.19	1.80
	95.00	3.79	1.38	5.46	1.90	5.48	1.90
	100.00	3.79	1.38	5.46	1.90	5.76	2.00
	105.00	3.79	1.38	5.46	1.90	6.04	2.10
Monthly gross pay	47.67	2.66	0.97				
	56.33	3.08	1.12	3.29	1.14		
	65.00	3.63	1.32	3.74	1.32	3.79	1.32
	95.00	5.28	1.92	5.46	1.92	5.52	1.92
	105.00	5.83	2.12	6.04	2.12	6.09	2.12
	155.00	8.58	3.12	8.91	3.12	8.97	3.12
	205.00	11.33	4.12	11.79	4.12	11.84	4.12
	255.00	14.08	5.12	14.66	5.12	14.72	5.12
	299.00	16.44	5.98	17.19	6.00	17.25	6.00
	305.00	16.44	5.98	17.54	6.12	17.59	6.12
	355.00	16.44	5.98	20.41	7.12	20.47	7.12
	405.00	16.44	5.98	23.29	8.12	23.34	8.12
	411.67	16.44	5.98	23.67	8.23	23.69	8.21
	455.00	16.44	5.98	23.67	8.23	26.16	9.10
Employer's contribution	£						
Weekly gross pay	11.00	0.96					
	13.00	1.13		1.16			
	15.00	1.30		1.33		1.64	
	20.00	1.72		1.77		2.18	
	30.00	2.57		2.65		3.25	
	40.00	3.42		3.52		4.33	
	50.00	4.27		4.40		5.40	
	60.00	5.12		5.27		6.48	
	69.00	5.86		6.06		7.44	
	70.00	5.86		6.15		7.55	
	80.00	5.86		7.02		8.63	
	90.00	5.86		7.90		9.70	
	95.00	5.86		8.31		10.24	
	100.00	5.86		8.31		10.78	
	105.00	5.86		8.31		11.29	
Monthly gross pay	47.67	4.11					
	56.33	4.76		4.99			
	65.00	5.61		5.69		7.09	
	95.00	8.16		8.31		10.32	
	105.00	9.01		9.19		11.39	
	155.00	13.26		13.56		16.77	
	205.00	17.51		17.94		22.14	
	255.00	21.76		22.31		27.52	
	299.00	25.41		26.16		32.25	
	305.00	25.41		26.69		32.89	
	355.00	25.41		31.06		38.27	
	405.00	25.41		35.44		43.64	
	411.67	25.41		36.02		44.32	
	455.00	25.41		36.02		48.91	

[1] The percentage rates of contributions are as follows:

	Employees		
	Standard	Reduced	Employers
At 6 April			
1975	5.5	2.0	8.5
1976	5.75	2.00	8.75
1977	5.75	2.00	10.75

Source: Department of Health and Social Security

Social Security Acts: number of persons receiving benefit

TABLE 3.16 At 31 December Thousands

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970[1]	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Persons receiving:											
Unemployment benefit[2]	208	361	331	309	327	438	451	261	272	464	617[1]
Sickness and invalidity benefit[3] [4] [5] [6] [13]	1,041	1,028	1,081	1,090	1,105	1,011	1,027	1,064	1,064	1,037	45
Attendance allowances[7]						54	90	161	188	234	273
Maternity benefit	941	917	906	869	866	846	766	709	681	667	658
Death grant[8] [13]	430	424	468	479	519	522	536	534	557	575	15
Guardians' allowances	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.3	5.4	5.7	5.8	5.7	5.6
Widows' benefits[9]	597	584	576	568	560	582	574	561	547	527	501
Retirement pensions and contributory old age pensions:											
Total	6,677	6,913	7,122	7,343	7,521	7,677	7,834	7,993	8,144	8,324	8,510
Males	2,241	2,343	2,427	2,519	2,611	2,650	2,715	2,781	2,846	2,918	3,015
Females	4,436	4,570	4,695	4,824	4,910	5,027	5,119	5,212	5,298	5,406	5,495
Old persons' pensions:											
Total					128	139	132	119	105	98	85
Males					14	22	18	18	14	12	11
Females					114	117	114	101	90	88	74
Injury benefit [13]	73	74	70	72	68	65	62	59	60	46	1.3
Industrial disablement pensions [10]	205	205	207	209	211	212	208	206	207	203	205
Family allowances:											
Families receiving allowance	4,038	4,168	4,257	4,323	4,387	4,463	4,502	4,595	4,606	4,603	4,592
Family income supplement [11]						82	93	107	79	75	85
Supplementary benefits[12]	2,580	2,648	2,734	2,787	2,840	3,013	3,033	2,772	2,778	2,897	3,049[1]
War pensions	595	577	557	539	519	502	481	464	447	430	413

[1] Estimated. [2] Average of four quarters. [3] Average of twelve monthly figures. [4] A relatively small number of claims do not result in the payment of benefit but are included here because they indicate notified incapacity for work. [5] Estimates at third Tuesday in month in December 1965 and at first Tuesday thereafter. [6] Invalidity benefit was introduced on 23 September 1971. [7] Introduced from 6 December 1971. [8] Grants paid in year. [9] Excluding widows' allowances paid during the first twenty-six weeks of widowhood (13 weeks prior to 6 July 1966) the number of such allowances does not exceed 45,000. [10] At 30 September. [11] Introduced from 3 August 1971. [12] From 26 November 1966 non-contributory pensions and national assistance grants were replaced by supplementary benefits. Earlier figures include non-contributory old age pensioners. [13] Northern Ireland only in 1976.

Sources: Department of Health and Social Security; Department of Health and Social Services (Northern Ireland)

UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT

Unemployed[1] analysed by benefit entitlement

TABLE 3.17

Thousands

	1969		1970		1971		1972		1973		1974		1975		1976[2]
	May	Nov.	May	Nov.	May	Nov.	May	Nov.	May	Nov.	May	Nov.	May	Nov.	May
Males															
Total	454	472	493	502	626	722	735	654	523	429	468	521	673	859	952
Flat-rate benefit payable—total	246	242	263	260	343	393	389	293	212	166	202	234	332	426	468
Flat-rate benefit only	109	106	109	117	137	156	148	117	83	67	72	91	117	147	167
Flat-rate benefit and earnings-related supplement	78	78	94	89	119	139	137	101	77	62	76	82	128	171	174
Flat-rate benefit, earnings-related supplement and supplementary allowance	8	7	8	6	13	10	13	8	8	6	9	10	18	27	27
Flat-rate benefit and supplementary allowance	51	51	52	48	73	88	91	68	44	32	45	50	69	81	100
Supplementary allowance only	115	117	125	125	157	195	225	238	207	163	168	172	214	289	339
No flat-rate benefit or supplementary allowance	94	112	105	118	127	133	121	123	104	100	98	115	127	144	145
Females															
Total	78	87	83	94	110	138	137	136	98	80	78	97	135	220	248
Flat-rate benefit payable—total	35	38	39	43	53	66	68	59	42	31	33	41	65	99	120
Flat-rate benefit only	25	26	27	30	35	42	43	36	23	17	18	22	34	53	66
Flat-rate benefit and earnings-related supplement	6	7	7	8	11	15	15	15	13	9	10	13	23	35	40
Flat-rate benefit, earnings-related supplement and supplementary allowance	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	1	1	—	1	1	2	2	4
Flat-rate benefit and supplementary allowance	4	4	4	4	6	9	9	8	6	4	4	5	6	9	10
Supplementary allowance only	14	15	15	17	20	28	30	35	28	23	22	28	36	71	73
No flat-rate benefit or supplementary allowance	28	34	29	35	37	44	39	42	29	26	23	28	34	50	55

Note: Figures for May 1976 are based on a 4 per cent sample; earlier figures are based on a 5 per cent sample.

[1] Persons registered on the first Monday in May and November. [2] Because of industrial action at local offices of the Employment Services Agency the figures for November 1976 are not available.

Source: Department of Health and Social Security

Sickness and invalidity benefit [1]: claimants analysed by age and duration of spell

TABLE 3.18

At beginning of June

Thousands

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
Age at 31 May										
Males										
All durations										
All ages	679	738	767	761	779	720	738	749	768	735
Under 20	23	24	24	22	23	19	18	19	20	17
20–29	59	71	77	75	83	72	73	77	78	73
30–39	82	91	94	89	95	85	86	88	93	91
40–49	114	129	134	137	140	123	126	122	130	122
50–59	202	214	219	213	212	201	210	213	213	204
60–64	183	193	205	209	209	204	208	210	210	204
65 and over	16	15	15	16	17	16	16	19	22	25
Over six months										
All ages	294	300	319	324	329	321	332	340	346	352
Under 20	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
20–29	6	7	8	8	9	9	9	8	8	10
30–39	16	17	17	17	16	17	18	19	19	20
40–49	39	41	44	46	44	41	42	42	44	45
50–59	103	102	106	104	108	102	105	109	111	112
60–64	121	124	134	138	141	140	143	146	147	144
65 and over	7	8	9	9	11	11	12	15	17	21
Females										
All durations										
All ages	221	228	234	219	221	202	204	207	207	199
Under 20	30	29	31	27	27	24	23	24	20	19
20–29	43	48	55	51	54	50	52	55	58	58
30–39	24	23	24	23	22	21	21	23	24	26
40–49	41	41	41	40	39	34	35	34	35	32
50–59	80	81	80	74	76	71	69	67	66	60
60 and over	4	4	4	4	3	3	4	4	4	4
Over six months										
All ages	98	96	97	91	89	86	85	83	81	79
Under 20	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
20–29	6	6	7	6	6	6	7	7	8	7
30–39	11	10	10	9	8	8	7	8	7	9
40–49	22	22	23	22	20	20	18	18	18	18
50–59	56	55	55	51	51	50	49	46	44	42
60 and over	2	1	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	3

[1] Invalidity benefit was introduced on 23 September 1971.

Source: Department of Health and Social Security

Sickness and invalidity benefit [1] : days of certified incapacity [2]

Analysis by age at end of period
Great Britain
Years starting on first Monday in June

TABLE 3.19

Millions

	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71 [3]	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75
Males										
All ages	235.1	229.2	250.9	255.0	267.0	244.6	239.4	249.9	250.9	243.6
Under 20	7.8	7.0	7.0	6.8	6.9	6.0	5.8	6.2	5.7	5.3
20–29	21.2	21.8	24.7	25.6	28.0	25.3	24.5	26.5	25.6	25.7
30–39	28.7	27.4	30.3	30.8	32.6	28.8	27.8	29.4	30.1	29.6
40–49	39.5	39.3	44.1	46.1	47.8	41.6	40.1	41.5	41.5	40.2
50–59	67.7	64.6	68.9	68.5	71.5	66.1	65.1	67.9	68.1	65.4
60–64	58.5	56.9	62.9	64.4	66.5	63.4	62.9	64.0	64.6	61.6
65 and over	11.7	12.1	13.0	12.8	13.7	13.3	13.2	14.4	15.1	15.7
Females										
All ages	76.3	71.9	76.7	74.4	75.0	69.5	67.4	69.8	68.2	66.3
Under 20	9.3	8.2	8.6	8.2	8.3	7.4	7.0	7.5	6.7	5.9
20–29	16.2	15.8	18.6	18.7	19.5	18.2	18.2	20.3	20.5	19.9
30–39	8.2	7.5	8.0	7.7	7.8	7.0	6.9	7.3	7.5	8.1
40–49	13.2	12.8	13.3	13.1	12.8	11.6	10.9	10.9	10.7	10.7
50–59	26.2	24.7	25.3	23.7	23.9	22.5	21.6	20.8	20.0	19.1
60 and over	3.2	3.0	2.9	2.9	2.7	2.7	2.7	3.0	2.8	2.5

Note: Figures are based on a 5 per cent sample of claimants up to 1968/69 and on a 2½ per cent sample from 1969/70.

[1] Invalidity benefit was introduced on 23 September 1971. [2] For a description of the population at risk for sickness benefit, see the introductory note on page 54. [3] 53 weeks.

Source: Department of Health and Social Security

Sickness and invalidity benefit[1]: days of certified incapacity[2] 1962/63–1967/68

Analysis by cause of incapacity

Great Britain

TABLE **3.20**

Years starting on first Monday in June

Millions

Diagnostic groups according to the *International Classification of Diseases, Injuries and Causes of Death* (7th Revision)	ICD number	1962/63		1963/64		1964/65[3]	
		Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females
All causes		212.8	76.1	211.7	75.2	222.1	77.1
Tuberculosis	001-019	5.4	1.9	4.9	1.7	4.4	1.6
Other infective and parasitic diseases	020-138	2.3	1.3	2.5	1.3	2.5	1.3
Malignant neoplasms	140-205	0.7	0.2	0.6	0.2	0.6	0.2
Benign neoplasms and neoplasms of unspecified nature	210-239	0.9	0.4	0.8	0.4	0.8	0.4
Allergic, endocrine system, metabolic and nutritional diseases	240-289	4.4	2.6	4.3	2.5	4.4	2.5
Diseases of the blood and blood-forming organs	290-299	0.7	1.4	0.7	1.4	0.8	1.5
Mental, psychoneurotic and personality disorders	300-326	17.4	10.1	18.4	10.5	19.0	10.7
Vascular lesions affecting central nervous system	330-334	2.6	0.4	2.7	0.4	2.9	0.5
Inflammatory and other diseases of nervous system	340-369	10.0	3.9	10.5	3.7	10.9	3.8
Diseases of the eye	370-389	2.5	0.9	2.6	0.9	2.6	0.9
Diseases of ear and mastoid process	390-398	1.0	0.4	1.0	0.5	1.1	0.4
Arteriosclerotic and degenerative heart disease	420-422	12.0	1.9	12.7	1.8	13.6	1.6
Other diseases of the circulatory system	400-416 430-468	13.2	5.4	13.2	5.4	14.2	5.1
Influenza	480-483	10.9	3.0	7.3	2.1	7.3	2.2
Bronchitis	500-502	33.8	5.4	31.0	4.7	31.7	4.8
Other diseases of the respiratory system	470-475 490-493 510-527 763	17.0	6.1	16.8	5.8	18.3	6.5
Diseases of the digestive system	530-587	19.5	5.2	19.4	5.3	20.3	5.5
Diseases of the urinary system	590-609	1.8	1.4	1.9	1.5	2.0	1.6
Diseases of genital organs	610-637	1.2	2.2	1.3	2.3	1.4	2.4
Deliveries and complications of pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium	640-689		2.5		2.8		2.9
Diseases of the skin and cellular tissue	690-716	4.1	1.6	4.1	1.6	4.2	1.5
Arthritis and rheumatism, except rheumatic fever	720-727	13.8	6.4	14.4	6.2	15.2	6.0
Diseases of bones and other organs of movement	730-749	5.3	1.6	5.6	1.6	5.9	1.7
Congenital malformations and certain diseases of early infancy	750-762 765-776	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1
Symptoms, senility and ill-defined conditions not elsewhere specified	780-795	14.9	6.2	15.7	6.8	17.7	7.6
Accidents, poisonings and violence (nature of injury)	N800-N999	17.2	3.7	18.8	3.6	20.2	3.8

		1965/66		1966/67		1967/68	
		Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females
All causes		235.1	76.3	229.2	71.9	250.9	76.7
Tuberculosis	001-019	3.8	1.3	3.5	1.1	3.1	1.0
Other infective and parasitic diseases	020-138	2.8	1.4	2.9	1.3	3.3	1.5
Malignant neoplasms	140-205	0.7	0.2	0.6	0.1	0.6	0.2
Benign neoplasms and neoplasms of unspecified nature	210-239	0.8	0.4	0.8	0.4	0.7	0.3
Allergic, endocrine system, metabolic and nutritional diseases	240-289	4.6	2.4	4.5	2.2	5.2	2.2
Diseases of the blood and blood-forming organs	290-299	0.7	1.3	0.8	1.1	0.9	1.1
Mental, psychoneurotic and personality disorders	300-326	18.9	10.4	19.8	10.2	20.4	10.3
Vascular lesions affecting central nervous system	330-334	2.5	0.4	2.6	0.3	3.0	0.3
Inflammatory and other diseases of nervous system	340-369	11.1	3.6	11.3	3.7	12.0	3.5
Diseases of the eye	370-389	2.5	0.9	2.6	0.8	2.8	0.7
Diseases of ear and mastoid process	390-398	1.1	0.5	1.1	0.4	1.1	0.4
Arteriosclerotic and degenerative heart disease	420-422	14.6	1.6	15.3	1.6	16.5	1.6
Other diseases of the circulatory system	400-416 430-468	14.6	4.8	15.0	4.5	15.9	4.4
Influenza	480-483	13.1	3.6	5.4	1.4	12.1	3.4
Bronchitis	500-502	33.3	5.0	30.9	4.3	34.0	4.6
Other diseases of the respiratory system	470-475 490-493 510-527 763	18.2	6.3	17.5	5.8	19.1	6.3
Diseases of the digestive system	530-587	20.7	5.1	21.4	5.1	21.3	4.8
Diseases of the urinary system	590-609	2.0	1.5	1.8	1.5	2.0	1.6
Diseases of genital organs	610-637	1.4	2.3	1.3	2.2	1.4	2.2
Deliveries and complications of pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium	640-689		2.9		3.2		4.7
Diseases of the skin and cellular tissue	690-716	4.2	1.4	4.2	1.4	4.4	1.4
Arthritis and rheumatism, except rheumatic fever	720-727	16.2	5.7	16.2	5.4	17.5	5.6
Diseases of bones and other organs of movement	730-749	6.0	1.7	6.5	1.7	6.9	1.6
Congenital malformations and certain diseases of early infancy	750-762 765-776	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1
Symptoms, senility and ill-defined conditions not elsewhere specified	780-795	19.9	7.7	20.7	8.1	23.5	8.8
Accidents, poisonings and violence (nature of injury)	N800-N999	21.4	3.8	22.3	3.9	23.1	3.9

See footnotes to Table 3.21 on page 72.

Source: Department of Health and Social Security

Sickness and invalidity benefit [1] : days of certified incapacity in statistical year [2]

Analysis by cause of incapacity

Great Britain

TABLE 3.21

Years starting on first Monday in June

Millions

Diagnostic groups according to the *International Classification of Diseases, Injuries and Causes of Death* (8th Revision)	ICD number	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71 [3]	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75
Males								
All causes		255.0	267.0	244.6	239.4	249.9	250.9	243.6
All causes except influenza		242.5	246.4	239.3	231.2	239.3	243.9	236.2
Infective and parasitic diseases	000–136	9.9	10.2	9.7	8.8	9.0	9.6	8.9
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	010–012	2.9	2.8	2.6	2.3	2.0	2.0	1.8
Neoplasms	140–239	1.4	1.2	1.4	1.2	1.4	1.3	1.3
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	240–279	2.5	3.0	2.8	2.9	3.0	3.2	3.3
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	280–289	1.0	0.9	0.9	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.8
Mental disorders	290–315	20.5	20.7	20.7	20.1	21.2	20.9	20.2
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	320–389	16.3	16.2	16.1	16.2	17.3	17.2	16.6
Diseases of circulatory system	390–458	36.6	37.5	38.3	38.3	39.1	40.0	40.5
Hypertensive disease	400–404	5.9	6.1	6.7	6.3	6.6	6.5	6.6
Ischaemic heart disease	410–414	15.4	15.8	16.1	16.5	17.0	18.2	18.7
Diseases of respiratory system	460–519	68.0	76.8	55.1	54.2	58.4	54.8	51.9
Influenza	470–474	12.6	20.7	5.3	8.2	10.6	7.0	7.3
Bronchitis excluding acute bronchitis	490, 491	33.1	33.1	30.0	27.6	28.1	28.0	25.9
Diseases of digestive system	520–577	18.2	17.0	16.9	15.5	16.2	16.3	15.1
Diseases of genito-urinary system	580–629	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.1
Diseases of skin and subcutaneous tissue	680–709	4.5	4.7	4.5	4.3	4.3	4.3	3.8
Diseases of musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	710–738	25.8	26.0	26.2	26.4	27.4	27.7	27.6
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever	710–718	17.8	17.4	17.3	17.3	17.6	17.7	17.1
Congenital anomalies	740–759	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.3
Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	780–796	22.6	24.7	23.6	23.2	23.6	25.5	25.6
Accidents, poisonings and violence	N800–N999	23.8	24.6	24.7	23.8	25.1	25.5	24.6
Females								
All causes		74.4	75.0	69.5	67.4	69.8	68.2	66.3
All causes except influenza		71.2	70.0	68.2	65.2	66.8	66.2	64.2
Infective and parasitic diseases	000–136	3.5	3.6	3.4	3.1	3.2	3.1	2.8
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	010–012	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.4	0.3
Neoplasms	140–239	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.3
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	240–279	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.1	0.9	0.9
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	280–289	1.1	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.6
Mental disorders	290–315	9.8	9.9	9.8	9.8	9.5	9.1	9.4
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	320–389	4.7	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.0	4.1
Diseases of circulatory system	390–458	6.1	5.8	5.7	5.2	5.5	5.2	4.9
Hypertensive disease	400–404	1.7	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.2
Ischaemic heart disease	410–414	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.1
Diseases of respiratory system	460–519	14.5	15.8	11.4	11.0	12.2	11.0	10.9
Influenza	470–474	3.1	5.0	1.3	2.2	3.0	2.0	2.1
Bronchitis excluding acute bronchitis	490, 491	4.0	4.0	3.8	3.2	3.1	3.0	2.8
Disease of digestive system	520–577	3.6	3.6	3.1	3.0	3.0	2.9	2.8
Diseases of genito-urinary system	580–629	3.7	3.4	3.4	3.1	2.9	3.1	2.8
Diseases of pregnancy, childbirth and puerperium	630–678	4.9	5.0	5.4	5.6	6.5	6.6	6.6
Diseases of skin and subcutaneous tissue	680–709	1.5	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.0
Diseases of musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	710–738	7.0	6.8	7.0	6.8	7.0	6.5	6.4
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever	710–718	5.1	4.8	5.0	4.9	4.9	4.5	4.3
Congenital anomalies	740–759	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1
Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	780–796	8.4	8.8	8.4	8.2	8.2	9.3	8.7
Accidents, poisonings and violence	N800–N999	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.9	3.9	3.8

Note: Figures are based on a 5 per cent sample of claimants up to 1968/69 and on a 2½ per cent sample from 1969/70.

[1] Invalidity benefit was introduced on 23 September 1971. [2] For a description of the population at risk for sickness benefits see the introductory note on page 54. [3] 53 weeks.

Source: Department of Health and Social Security

Widow's benefit (excluding widow's allowance[1]): number in payment analysed by type of benefit and age of widow

TABLE 3.22

Thousands

	December						November				
	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
All widow's benefit (excluding widow's allowance)											
All ages	580	568	560	551	542	564	556	542	528	509	486
Under 30	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
30–39	18	18	18	17	17	17	17	16	17	16	16
40–49	83	84	85	84	78	86	84	82	79	78	77
50–59	308	301	295	290	287	312	309	306	301	298	296
60 and over	168	162	159	156	158	146	143	136	128	113	94
Widowed mother's allowance — with dependent children											
All ages	100	99	99	100	100	100	98	101	99	98	97
Under 30	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
30–39	17	17	17	17	16	16	16	16	16	16	15
40–49	45	45	46	47	45	46	44	45	43	43	43
50–59	33	31	30	31	33	32	32	35	34	34	34
60 and over	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Widowed mother's allowance — without dependent children											
All ages	44	41	38	36	35	35	35	30	31	31	31
30–39	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
40–49	12	12	11	11	10	10	10	8	9	9	9
50–59	27	25	22	21	20	21	21	18	18	18	19
60 and over	4	4	4	4	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
Widow's pension											
All ages	360	354	348	339	331	329	320	307	291	272	250
40–49	5	5	4	4	3	2	2	2	1	1	1
50–59	194	193	191	186	179	189	185	180	174	169	166
60 and over	161	156	153	149	149	137	133	125	116	102	83
Age-related widow's pension[2]											
All ages						94	98	100	103	108	108
40–49						27	27	26	26	25	25
50–59						64	66	69	71	76	77
60 and over						3	4	5	6	6	6
Widow's basic pension[2]											
All ages	76	75	75	76	76	7	6	5	4	. .	. .
30–39	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	. .	. .
40–49	21	22	23	22	19	1	1	1	1	. .	. .
50–59	54	53	52	54	57	5	5	4	4	. .	. .
60 and over	—	—	—	1	3	—	—	—	—	. .	. .

[1] This is an especially high rate of benefit which is payable for the first 26 weeks of widowhood, provided that the widow is under pensionable age (age 60) or, if she is over that age, provided that her husband was not entitled to retirement pension. [2] From 1975 figures for widow's basic pension are included as Age-related widow's pension.

Source: Department of Health and Social Security

Retirement and old person's pensions
Numbers in payment analysed by age group

Great Britain

TABLE **3.23**

At 31 December

Thousands

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970[1]	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Men											
Total all ages	2,191.6	2,291.5	2,373.3	2,461.9	2,567	2,611.4	2,669.5	2,735.7	2,797.5	2,865.9	2,952.3
Age groups:											
65-69	796.3	860.5	911.0	952.5	990	1,000.3	1,029.8	1,038.4	1,063.2	1,097.6	1,128.6
Percentage	*36.3*	*37.6*	*38.4*	*38.7*	*38.6*	*38.3*	*38.6*	*38.0*	*38.0*	*38.3*	*38.2*
70-74	688.6	698.9	711.3	727.3	764	788.6	819.4	859.0	880.8	896.5	931.6
Percentage	*31.4*	*30.5*	*30.0*	*29.5*	*29.8*	*30.2*	*30.7*	*31.4*	*31.5*	*31.3*	*31.6*
75-79	425.2	438.2	443.3	457.8	463	465.5	464.9	469.9	485.5	499.3	518.5
Percentage	*19.4*	*19.1*	*18.7*	*18.6*	*18.0*	*17.8*	*17.4*	*17.2*	*17.4*	*17.4*	*17.6*
80-84	200.7	209.9	219.3	227.7	236	238.2	240.9	242.6	244.3	248.2	252.9
Percentage	*9.2*	*9.2*	*9.2*	*9.3*	*9.2*	*9.1*	*9.0*	*8.9*	*8.7*	*8.7*	*8.6*
85-89	66.3	68.0	71.6	77.8	92	92.5	88.7	99.7	96.1	95.0	96.3
Percentage	*3.0*	*3.0*	*3.0*	*3.2*	*3.6*	*3.5*	*3.3*	*3.6*	*3.4*	*3.3*	*3.3*
90 and over	14.5	16.0	16.9	18.7	23	26.3	25.7	26.1	27.6	29.3	24.3
Percentage	*0.7*	*0.7*	*0.7*	*0.8*	*0.9*	*1.0*	*1.0*	*1.0*	*1.0*	*1.0*	*1.0*
Women											
Total all ages	4,348.4	4,477.7	4,600.1	4,727.2	4,918	5,035.7	5,123.0	5,200.8	5,274.1	5,377.2	5,384.5
Age groups:											
60-64	721.9	736.5	751.2	756.2	763	791.9	807.3	795.2	801.7	830.0	857.7
Percentage	*16.6*	*16.4*	*16.3*	*16.0*	*15.5*	*15.7*	*15.8*	*15.3*	*15.2*	*15.4*	*15.9*
65-69	1,201.2	1,227.8	1,256.7	1,278.6	1,298	1,328.3	1,354.3	1,357.6	1,367.0	1,373.7	1,378.2
Percentage	*27.6*	*27.4*	*27.3*	*27.0*	*26.4*	*26.4*	*26.4*	*26.1*	*25.9*	*25.5*	*25.6*
70-74	1,071.5	1,092.1	1,105.9	1,126.0	1,142	1,175.6	1,187.7	1,209.8	1,246.5	1,262.3	1,277.6
Percentage	*24.6*	*24.4*	*24.0*	*23.8*	*23.2*	*23.3*	*23.2*	*23.3*	*23.6*	*23.5*	*23.7*
75-79	735.2	768.0	799.2	832.4	850	854.6	868.7	898.2	913.2	933.3	945.0
Percentage	*16.9*	*17.2*	*17.4*	*17.6*	*17.3*	*17.0*	*17.0*	*17.3*	*17.3*	*17.4*	*17.6*
80-84	414.6	434.9	454.0	473.1	520	530.9	548.0	572.0	569.2	585.4	576.9
Percentage	*9.5*	*9.7*	*9.9*	*10.0*	*10.6*	*10.5*	*10.7*	*11.0*	*10.8*	*10.9*	*10.7*
85-89	158.8	168.2	180.0	199.9	257	261.6	260.7	267.1	273.8	281.6	260.7
Percentage	*3.7*	*3.8*	*3.9*	*4.2*	*5.2*	*5.2*	*5.1*	*5.1*	*5.2*	*5.2*	*4.8*
90 and over	45.3	50.1	53.2	61.1	89	92.9	96.4	100.9	102.8	110.8	88.4
Percentage	*1.0*	*1.1*	*1.2*	*1.3*	*1.8*	*1.8*	*1.9*	*1.9*	*1.9*	*2.1*	*1.6*

[1] Estimated.

Source: Department of Health and Social Security

Family allowances

TABLE 3.24

At 31 December

Thousands

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Families receiving allowances											
Total	4,038	4,168	4,257	4,323	4,387	4,463	4,502	4,595	4,606	4,603	4,592
With 2 children [1]	2,386	2,443	2,491	2,533	2,581	2,649	2,705	2,784	2,844	2,899	2,961
3 children [1]	1,001	1,050	1,081	1,109	1,129	1,147	1,152	1,165	1,153	1,144	1,122
4 children [1]	401	417	425	427	431	433	426	427	414	388	359
5 or more children [1]	250	259	260	254	245	235	219	218	195	172	150

[1] Including the elder or eldest child for whom no allowance is payable but excluding children over the age limit.

Sources: Department of Health and Social Security; Department of Health and Social Services (Northern Ireland)

Family income supplement[1]

TABLE 3.25

Years ended 31 December

Thousands

	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Families receiving supplements						
Total	82	93	107	79	67	85
Two-parent families:						
Total	57	58	61	41	35	49
With 1 child	11	12	11	7	7	10
2 children	13	15	14	9	8	13
3 children	12	12	13	9	7	11
4 children	9	9	10	8	6	8
5 children	5	4	6	4	4	4
6 or more children	6	5	6	5	4	4
One-parent families:						
Total	25	35	45	39	33	36
With 1 child	17	24	29	23	19	20
2 children	5	7	10	9	8	9
3 or more children	3	4	6	6	5	6

[1] Introducted from 3 August 1971.

Sources: Department of Health and Social Security; Department of Health and Social Services (Northern Ireland)

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFITS

Supplementary benefits: number of beneficiaries receiving weekly payment

Great Britain

TABLE 3.26

November or December

Thousands

	1966[1]	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976[3]
All supplementary benefits	2,495	2,559	2,637	2,688	2,738	2,909	2,911	2,675	2,680	2,793	2,940
All supplementary pensions	1,819	1,806	1,860	1,875	1,902	1,919	1,909	1,844	1,807	1,679	1,687
Retirement pensioners and national insurance widows over 60	1,631	1,619	1,682	1,708	1,745	1,816	1,807	1,747	1,712	1,586	1,592
Others over pension age	187	187	178	167	156	103	102	97	96	94	95
All supplementary allowances	676	753	777	813	836	990	1,002	831	872	1,113	1,253
Unemployed with national insurance benefit	77	86	73	71	73	129	87	48	73	135	654
Unemployed without national insurance benefit	102	138	147	157	166	258	305	201	228	406	
Sick and disabled with national insurance benefit	156	164	172	170	164	146	137	118	95	77	74
Sick and disabled without national insurance benefit	142	146	150	156	159	159	161	162	165	165	169
National insurance widows under 60	59	60	61	63	63	65	62	54	42	30	28
One-parent families not included in the above category[2]	125	142	157	177	191	213	227	228	245	276	303
Miscellaneous	16	17	17	19	20	20	22	21	24	24	25

[1] From 26 November 1966 non-contributory pensions and national assistance grants were replaced by supplementary benefits. Earlier numbers include non-contributory old age pensioners. [2] From 1975 the figures relate to one-parent families headed by a man also. [3] Because of industrial action in some unemployment benefit offices at the time of the supplementary benefit annual statistical enquiry, in December 1976, it was not possible to obtain the usual information on unemployed claimants. As a result 1976 figures for unemployed cases, total supplementary allowance and total supplementary benefit cases are estimated.

Source: Department of Health and Social Security

Supplementary benefits

TABLE 3.27

November or December

Thousands

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976[1]
Number of regular weekly payments	2,648	2,734	2,787	2,840	3,013	3,033	2,772	2,778	2,897	3,049
Total number of persons provided for	3,986	4,154	4,260	4,339	4,745	4,742	4,188	4,254	4,620	197
Number of dependants	1,338	1,420	1,474	1,499	1,732	1,709	1,415	1,477	1,723	88
Wives	603	636	649	659	715	698	571	559	587	25
Total children under 16 years	725	772	811	825	999	993	824	896	1,108	61
Under 5 years	261	266	279	282	342	329	248	276	347	15
5–10 years	276	299	315	321	395	395	328	355	444	25
11–12 years	189	97	97	97	117	121	104	112	134	9
13–15 years		110	120	123	144	148	144	153	182	12
Other dependants 16 years and over	9	13	13	16	18	19	20	21	29	3

[1] Figure for Number of regular weekly payments is estimated for Great Britain—see footnote [3] to Table 3.26 above, consequently the other categories would not represent a true figure and therefore cover Northern Ireland only.

Sources: Department of Health and Social Security; Department of Health and Social Services (Northern Ireland)

Supplementary benefits: average weekly amounts of benefit

Great Britain

TABLE 3.28

November or December

£

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
All supplementary benefits	2.76	3.14	3.11	3.75	3.94	4.71	4.71	6.68	9.24	[2]
All supplementary pensions	1.95	2.31	2.20	2.76	2.52	2.89	2.79	4.27	5.52	6.61
Retirement pensioners and national insurance widows over 60	1.60	2.00	1.87	2.47	2.27	2.62	2.47	3.85	4.93	5.92
Others over pension age	4.99	5.36	5.53	6.03	6.93	7.77	8.54	11.83	15.50	18.17
All supplementary allowances	4.66	5.10	5.22	5.99	6.70	8.19	8.98	11.68	14.87	[2]
Unemployed with national insurance benefit	2.31	2.60	2.15	2.91	2.99	3.51	4.02	5.06	6.98	[2]
Unemployed without national insurance benefit	7.11	7.67	7.36	7.95	9.09	10.77	11.79	13.84	16.69	[2]
Sick and disabled with national insurance benefit	2.05	2.49	2.25	3.08	2.36	2.72	2.53	3.86	5.69	7.08
Sick and disabled without national insurance benefit	4.94	5.14	5.48	5.92	6.60	7.63	8.43	10.83	12.05	13.92
National insurance widows under 60	1.94	2.23	2.24	2.86	2.60	3.03	2.74	4.33	6.01	7.29
One-parent families not included in the above group [2]	7.46	7.68	8.16	8.96	10.23	11.62	12.59	16.25	21.05	24.72
Miscellaneous	5.15	5.46	6.05	6.98	7.85	8.29	10.16	14.08	17.61	20.25

[1] From 1975 the figures relate to one-parent families headed by a man also. [2] Not available because of estimated figure for unemployed cases—see footnote [3] to Table 3.26 on page 76.

Source: Department of Health and Social Security

Supplementary benefits: recipients of regular weekly payments

By household category

Great Britain

TABLE 3.29

On a day in November/December

Thousands

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976 [2]
All cases	2,559	2,637	2,688	2,738	2,909	2,911	2,675	2,680	2,793	. .
All householders	2,174	2,247	2,316	2,349	2,492	2,492	2,310	2,285	2,278	. .
Lone person	1,101	1,135	1,132	1,169	1,232	1,260	1,219	1,224	1,199	. .
Man and wife only	334	360	355	369	381	381	339	320	284	. .
Household includes dependent children but no adults other than spouse	181	198	210	221	279	273	232	258	338	. .
Household includes dependent children and non-dependent adults	558	554	84	80	89	88	75	73	81	. .
Household includes non-dependent adults but no dependent children			534	509	512	488	445	410	375	. .
All other categories	385	391	372	389	417	419	365	394	515	. .
Living as members of another person's household	293	297	283	300	328	332	285	316	423	. .
Paying an inclusive charge for board and lodging	29	29	28	28	31	25	22	19	23	. .
Local authority Part III accommodation or other comparable homes	39	39	36	39	39	39	39	41	46	. .
Hospital in-patients	12	12	13	10	6	7	6	6	6	. .
Others [1]	12	14	12	12	13	15	13	14	16	. .

[1] Mainly persons paying for accommodation only and living in hostels and lodging houses. [2] Not available because of estimated figure for unemployed cases—see footnote [3] to Table 3.26 on page 76.

Source: Department of Health and Social Security

War pensions

Estimated number of pensioners

TABLE 3.30

At 31 March in each year

Thousands

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
Total	589.65	569.60	551.05	531.10	513.30	495.25	474.68	457.62	440.61	423.50	406.36
Disablement 1914 war; 1939 war and later service	431.80	418.30	405.55	391.75	379.65	366.85	352.45	340.28	328.16	316.08	304.22
Widows and dependants 1914 war; 1939 war and later service	157.85	151.30	145.50	139.35	133.65	128.40	122.23	117.34	112.45	107.42	102.14

Source: Department of Health and Social Security

Hospital and family practitioner services

TABLE **3.41**

England and Wales

	Unit	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975[24]	1976	
										England	Wales
Hospital services											
In-patients[1]:											
Staffed beds [2]	Thousands	465	461	456	450	443	437	427	419	388	24
Average daily occupation of beds:											
All departments	,,	385	380	372	368	362	348	341	332	311	19
Psychiatric departments	,,	179	175	170	166	161	154	148	143	133	7
Persons on waiting lists [2]	,,	535	561	556	526	510	545	553	626	607	37
Discharges or deaths	,,	5,150	5,282	5,329	5,494	5,550	5,452	5,501	5,296	5,254	339
Out-patients [3]:											
New cases	,,	15,597	16,112	16,391	16,682	16,825	17,205	16,994	16,179	16,277	947
Total attendances	,,	46,824	47,661	48,097	48,707	48,735	49,034	48,763	50,141	45,473	2,524
Staff [4]:											
Medical, dental [5] [6] [7]	Number	21,928	22,724	23,301	24,559	25,824	26,934	27,831	29,326	28,527	1,630
Professional, technical [5] [8] [9]	,,	31,693	33,245	35,827	36,933	38,927	40,858	40,117	49,724	. .	3,130
Nursing midwifery [8] [10]											
Whole-time [11]	,,	188,767	188,639	189,401	194,797	206,623	207,744	339,858	371,629	. .	21,662
Part-time [11]	,,	82,873	90,604	100,995	110,130	115,682	120,746				
Administrative, clerical [5] [9], [10] [12] [13] [14]	,,	46,943	49,193	51,683	54,509	58,547	62,620	81,696	97,596	. .	5,881
Mass radiography [15]	,,	617	546	476	412	387	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .
Blood transfusion [15]	,,	2,546	2,639	2,698	2,818	2,942	3,008	2,885	. .	. .	. .
Maintenance, domestic [5] [9] [10] [16]	,,	201,085	201,387	202,865	208,765	209,555	204,256	202,838	206,670	. .	14,822
Cost of service (gross) [17]	£ million	894.7	987.7	1,137.6	1,320.6	1,534.7	1,645.1	. .	. .	. .	227.7
Payments by patients [17]	,,	9.0	11.0	11.6	13,5	16.3	17.3	. .	. .	. .	0.6
Paid out of public funds [5]	,,	885.7	976.7	1,126.0	1,307.1	1,518.4	1,627.8	. .	. .	. .	227.1
Family practitioner services											
Medical services:											
Doctors on the list [18]	Number	19,957	20,133	20,357	20,633	21,044	21,266	21,510	21,667	20,551	1,286
Number of patients per doctor	,,	2,478	2,479	2,460	2,444	2,408	2,386	2,372	2,355	2,351	2,199
Paid to doctors	£ million	119.4	127.8	151.8	167.6	187.7	201.2	221.2	285.7	313.3	20.4
Pharmaceutical services:											
Prescriptions dispensed	Million	267.4	264.2	266.6	266.5	275.9	284.2	295.4	303.4	292.6	22.5
Payments to pharmacists [19]	£ million	151.7	163.2	179.9	201.9	227.4	251.0	292.4	387.5	540.7	34.9
Payments by patients [20]	,,	8.5	15.8	15.4	20.4	23.0	23.6	23.5	23.0	21.9	1.5
Paid out of public funds [20]	,,	143.2	147.4	164.5	181.5	204.4	227.4	268.9	364.5	428.8	33.4
Average total cost per prescription	£	0.567	0.618	0.675	0.758	0.824	0.883	1.007	1.277	1.540	1.551
Dental services:											
Dentists of the list [4] [21]	Number	10,593	10,659	10,843	10,962	11,209	11,374	11,528	11,737	11,503	551
Courses of treatment completed and emergency cases [22]	Thousands	20,066	20,226	20,748	22,038	23,418	24,756	25,785	27,087	26,277	1,224
Payments to dentists	£ million	72.7	77.5	90.3	102.5	108.2	120.0	147.5	191.4	207.3	10.3
Payments by patients	,,	13.7	15.2	16.5	21.4	25.8	30.0	32.0	32.2	38.3	1.8
Paid out of public funds	,,	59.0	62.3	73.8	81.1	82.4	90.0	115.5	159.2	169.0	8.5
Average gross cost per course and case	£	3.6	3.8	4.4	4.7	4.6	4.8	5.7	7.1	7.9	8.4
General ophthalmic services:											
Sight tests, given [23]	Thousands	6,633	6,722	6,767	6,831	6,897	7,293	7,481	7,861	7,713	468
Pairs of glasses paid for	,,	5,688	5,783	5,663	5,111	4,412	4,764	5,199	5,949	4,874	322
Cost of services (gross)	£ million	22.5	24.6	26.0	26.7	30.1	30.3	35.5	61.5	60.6	3.9
Payments by patients	,,	8.4	9.2	10.4	12.4	14.0	15.6	16.9	17.0	20.7	1.2
Paid out of public funds:											
For sight testing	,,	7.1	7.8	8.9	10.1	10.7	11.2	12.5	24.7	24.3	1.5
For dispensing	,,	7.0	7.6	6.7	4.2	5.4	3.6	6.1	19.8	15.6	1.2

NOTE: Prior to 1 April 1974 Family practitioner services were the responsibility of executive councils.

[1] From 1972 figures for England are not comparable with previous years. [2] At 31 December. [3] At consultant and general practitioner clinics and accident and emergency departments. [4] Figure relates to 30 September each year. [5] Total whole-time equivalents. [6] Excluding officers holding locum appointments and those to whom paragraphs 89, 94 and 107 of the Medical and Dental Staff Terms and Conditions of Service apply. [7] From 1972 whole-time equivalent of consultants known to have maximum part-time contracts is now counted as 1 whereas in previous years it was counted as 0.8. [8] Including for Wales Community Health Care and hospital staff. [9] Includes all Health Service staff from 1974. [10] Including for Wales, from 1971, headquarters staff of hospital boards. [11] Figures for Wales at 31 March 1974. [12] Including staff at regional hospital board headquarters. [13] Includes for 1974, Area health authorities headquarters staff, Welsh health technical services organisation staff, Family Practitioner services staff and Community Health Care staff. [14] Including for Wales Hospital, Community Health Care, FPC and WHTSO staff. [15] The staffs of the mass radiography service and blood transfusion service for Wales are included with hospital staff. [16] Including for Wales architectural, engineering, surveying staff and ancillary staff, hospital, Community Health Care, FPC and ambulance staff. [17] Estimated from financial year figures. 'Gross cost' and 'payments out of public funds' include central purchases. [18] Principals providing unrestricted services as at 1 October. [19] The cost of prescriptions dispensed during the calendar year as certified by the Pricing Bureaux. [20] Charges were abolished 1 February 1965 and reintroduced 10 June 1968. [21] At 30 September. All assistants are included. [22] Number scheduled for payment. [23] Number of sight tests paid for by executive councils or FPC's in the period and not those carried out. [24] For Wales, hospital staff includes BTS staff.

Sources: Department of Health and Social Security: Welsh Office

TABLE **3.42**

Hospital and primary care services

Scotland

	Unit	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Hospital services[1]										
In-patients:										
Staffed beds[2]	Thousands	63.3	63.1	63.0	62.9	62.5	61.8	61.5	60.7	59.6
Average daily occupation of beds:										
All departments	"	54.0	55.3	53.5	53.2	52.9	51.5	51.4	50.6	49.8
Mental and mentally deficient	"	25.3	26.4	25.0	24.7	24.5	24.1	23.8	23.4	23.0
Discharges or deaths	"	679	693	699	728	727	706	718	697	709
Out-patients[3]:										
New cases	"	2,718	2,835	2,933	2,932	2,892	3,011	3,002	2,963	3,092
Total attendances	"	8,357	8,488	8,619	8,900	8,842	9,027	8,949	8,323	8,632
Medical and dental staff[2] [4]:										
Whole-time	Number	3,050	3,136	3,271	3,481	3,673	3,797	3,915	4,027	4,131
Part-time	"	499	500	552	517	495	511	512	488	456
Professional and technical staff[2]:										
Whole-time	"	4,072	4,273	4,550	4,753	4,959	5,250	5,240	5,604	5,816
Part-time	"	546	586	718	859	982	1,126	1,222	1,329	1,317
Nursing and midwifery staff[2]:										
Whole-time	"	27,697	27,671	28,194	29,805	31,382	31,968	31,804	33,659	34,489
Part-time	"	11,686	13,122	14,858	16,356	17,271	18,395	20,564	23,620	23,462
Administrative and clerical staff[2]:										
Whole-time	"	3,137	3,303	3,461	3,702	3,996	4,302	4,622	4,883	5,259
Part-time	"	447	563	684	804	871	1,110	1,365	1,605	1,791
Domestic, transport, etc. staff[2]:										
Whole-time	"	19,009	19,024	19,241	19,507	19,664	19,218	19,917	19,957	19,916
Part-time	"	8,669	9,067	9,672	10,379	11,025	11,799	13,087	13,940	14,311
Cost of services (gross) [5]	£ million	113.4	131.0	154.9	179.7	208.0	238.8	308.1	396.9	464.9
Payments by patients[5]	"	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9
Payments out of public funds[5]	"	112.8	130.0	154.2	179.0	207.2	237.9	307.2	396.0	464.0
Primary care services										
Medical services										
Doctors on the list[6]:										
Principals	Number	2,572	2,593	2,604	2,619	2,677	2,699	2,745	2,797	2,820
Assistants	"	75	63	60	55	48	51	46	29	31
Average number of patients per principal doctor	"	2,068	2,060	2,045	2,051	2,015	2,001	1,973	1,939	1,928
Payments to doctors	£ million	14.1	15.0	17.9	19.5	22.6	23.6	26.2	34.3	39.4
Pharmaceutical services										
Prescriptions dispensed	Million	28.5	28.2	28.9	27.9	29.1	29.7	30.6	31.2	33.3
Payments to pharmacists (gross)	£ million	17.9	19.2	20.9	22.2	27.2	28.2	33.4	43.0	57.0
Average gross cost per prescription[7]	£	0.628	0.680	0.725	0.800	0.938	0.949	1.096	1.412	1.846
Dental services										
Dentists on list[8]	Number	986	1,001	1,003	1,011	1,042	1,067	1,117	1,128	1,185
Number of courses of treatment completed	Thousands	1,833	1,841	1,891	1,994	2,102	2,182	2,279	2,345	2,363
Payments to dentists (gross)	£ million	7.3	8.3	9.0	10.0	11.3	12.2	14.3	19.0	21.1
Payments by patients	"	1.3	1.5	1.6	2.1	2.3	2.7	2.7	3.1	3.4
Payments out of public funds	"	6.0	6.4	7.4	7.9	9.0	9.5	11.6	15.9	17.7
Average gross cost per course	£	3.0	3.2	3.5	3.9	3.9	5.1	..	..	6.9
General ophthalmic services										
Number of sight tests given	Thousands	579	583	594	601	578	614	644	668	714
Number of pairs of glasses supplied	"	557	570	550	511	417	451	509	590	545
Cost of services (gross)	£ million	2.1	2.3	2.3	2.5	2.4	2.7	3.4	5.8	6.7
Payments by patients	"	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.6	1.9	2.1
Payments out of public funds: For sight testing and dispensing	"	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.1	1.3	1.8	3.9	4.6

[1] Board of Management and Regional Health Authority staff included as Hospital services staff in previous issues of the *Annual Abstract*, are now excluded throughout. [2] Average allocated staffed beds for year ended 30 September. [3] At out-patient, casualty and ancillary departments. [4] Figures exclude officers holding Honorary and locum appointments. [5] Estimated from financial year figures. [6] At 1 October. [7] Estimated from actual cost of prescriptions dispensed. The series is not necessarily in phase with the payments made to pharmacists during each year. [8] Assistants are excluded.

Source: Common Services Agency for the Scottish Health Service

TABLE 3.43

Hospital and general health services

Northern Ireland

	Unit	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Hospital services										
In-patients:										
Beds available [1]	Number	17,484	17,394	17,339	17,375	17,896	17,910	17,504	17,266	17,145
Average daily occupation of beds	Per cent	*86.2*	*86.8*	*87.0*	*83.1*	*81.3*	*80.2*	*80.3*	*79.5*	*80.6*
Discharges or deaths	Thousands	208	213	218	219	232	227	224	220	231
Out-patients [2]:										
New cases	"	470	499	515	519	529	556	559	563	589
Total attendances	"	1,381	1,396	1,438	1,451	1,468	1,543	1,544	1,518	1,589
Medical and dental staff [3]										
Whole-time	Number	702	744	826	812	882	939	..	..	..
Part-time	"	393	407	420	444	444	467	..	..	..
Professional and technical staff [3] [4]	"	1,164	1,245	1,319	1,403	1,457	1,677	..	..	..
Nursing and midwifery staff [3]										
Whole-time	"	8,270	9,517	8,905	9,303	9,758	10,362	..	..	..
Part-time	"	849	1,131	1,311	1,589	1,936	3,169	..	..	..
Administrative and clerical staff [3]	"	1,354	1,601	1,733	1,839	2,008	2,262	..	..	..
Mass radiography [3]	"	9	9	8	8	8	8	..	..	..
Blood transufsion staff [3]	"	85	82	79	77	85	97	..	..	..
Maintenance, transport and domestic staff [3]:										
Whole-time	"	6,945	7,050	7,207	7,370	7,721	7,576	..	..	..
Part-time	"	1,151	1,337	1,429	1,662	1,931	1,699	..	..	..
Cost of services (gross)	£ thousand	32,860	36,064	42,751	48,908	54,475	63,359	..	..	..
Payments by patients	"	367	383	409	429	474	720	..	..	..
Payments out of public funds	"	32,493	35,681	42,342	48,479	54,001	62,639	..	..	..
General health services										
Medical services										
Doctors (principals) on the list [5]	Number	746	745	747	759	751	747	744	741	742
Number of patients per doctor [6]	"	2,069	2,083	2,091	2,071	2,095	2,102	2,107	2,105	2,140
Payments to doctors	£ thousand	3,664	3,738	3,950	4,900	5,189	5,532	6,642	8,714	10,401
Pharmaceutical services										
Prescription forms dispensed	Thousands	6,717	6,606	6,810	6,576	6,720	6,827	7,032	7,163	7,458
Number of prescriptions	"	10,487	10,157	10,533	10,148	10,504	10,760	11,207	11,430	11,986
Payments to pharmacists	£ thousand	6,867	7,377	8,118	8,700	9,826	10,919	12,471	15,958	20,447
Payments by patients	"	270	559	559	702	766	779	787	771	799
Payments out of public funds	"	6,597	6,818	7,559	7,998	9,060	10,140	11,684	15,187	19,648
Average gross cost per prescription	£	0.660	0.725	0.775	0.857	0.935	1.015	1.113	1.396	1.706
Dental services										
Dentists on the list [1]	Number	334	332	329	328	322	317	320	310	309
Number of courses of treatment completed	Thousands	597	599	619	635	657	654	666	684	681
Payments to dentists	£ thousand	2,556	2,721	3,322	3,626	3,577	4,012	4,817	6,168	6,798
Payments by patients	"	355	384	420	581	679	759	796	759	806
Payments out of public funds	"	2,200	2,337	2,903	3,046	2,898	3,253	4,021	5,409	5,993
Average gross cost per course	£	4.3	4.5	5.3	5.7	5.4	6.1	7.2	9.0	10.0
Supplementary ophthalmic services										
Number of sight tests given [7]	Thousands	151	152	153	156	137	149	147	156	149
Number of pairs of glasses supplied	"	157	157	149	142	117	131	134	153	150
Cost of services (gross)	£ thousand	562	593	629	664	603	694	769	1,376	1,429
Payments by patients	"	198	208	242	290	317	368	381	445	584
Payments out of public funds	"	365	384	386	373	286	326	388	932	845
Health and personal social services staff [8]										
Medical and dental staff										
Whole-time	Number	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,280	1,464	1,483
Part-time	"	..	..	..	..	..	..	709	697	706
Nursing and midwifery staff										
Whole-time	"	..	..	..	..	..	..	11,872	12,254	12,439
Part-time	"	..	..	..	..	..	..	4,048	4,558	4,121
Administrative and clerical staff										
Whole-time	"	..	..	..	..	..	..	3,681	3,975	3,990
Part-time	"	..	..	..	..	..	..	632	673	702
Professional and technical staff										
Whole-time	"	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,658	1,683	1,786
Part-time	"	..	..	..	..	..	..	366	361	375
Social services staff (excluding casual home helps)										
Whole-time	"	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,015	2,264	2,465
Part-time	"	..	..	..	..	..	..	493	601	625
Ancillary and other staff										
Whole-time	"	..	..	..	..	..	..	8,189	8,582	8,887
Part-time	"	..	..	..	..	..	..	3,086	3,306	3,755
Cost of services (gross)	£ thousand	..	..	..	..	..	..	112,454	158,663	193,908
Payments by recipients	"	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,745	2,098	2,616
Payments of out of public funds	"	..	..	..	..	..	..	110,709	156,565	191,292

[1] At 31 December. From 1974 figures are not comparable with previous years. [2] At out-patient, casualty and ancillary departments. [3] At 30 September. [4] Figures for medical, dental, professional and technical officers holding part-time appointments are not included. [5] At 31 March. [6] At 1 July. [7] Excluding sight tests given in hospitals and under the school health service. [8] Due to the reorganisation and consequent integration of the health services and personal and social services in Northern Ireland on 1 October 1973, it is not possible to provide separate information on hospital manpower or cost of hospital services from 1974. Manpower figures refer to 31 December.

Source: Department of Health and Social Services

Health and personal social services: manpower summary

Great Britain

TABLE **3.44** At 30 September each year Number or whole-time equivalent

	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Health Service staff and practitioners: Total	799,673	831,753	843,119	859,468	914,068	. .
Regional and Area Health Authorities/Boards and Boards of Governors staff: Total [1]	751,608	783,030	794,028	809,681	863,347	. .
Medical staff: Total	30,482	31,952	33,329	34,338	36,217	37,257
Hospital medical staff: Total [2] [3]	27,958	29,372	30,594	31,486	33,017	33,909
Consultants	10,133	10,510	11,064	11,463	11,781	12,221
Senior hospital medical officer with allowance	87	81	22	14	12	10
Senior hospital medical officer without allowance	288	278	244	203	189	99
Medical assistant	1,040	1,068	1,039	1,065	1,106	1,072
Senior registrar	1,997	2,147	2,248	2,327	2,419	2,530
Registrar	5,527	5,595	5,661	5,626	6,036	6,165
Junior hospital medical officer	12	7	3	. .	. .	. .
Senior house officer	5,888	6,573	7,361	7,762	8,396	8,670
House officer	2,961	3,085	2,941	2,996	3,051	3,119
Other staff	26	28	10	30	27	23
Community health medical staff [4] [5]	2,524	2,580	2,735	2,852	3,200	3,348
Dental staff: Total	2,419	2,478	2,535	2,745	2,935	2,957
Hospital dental staff: Total [2]	907	938	943	996	1,057	1,078
Consultant	325	333	354	373	381	395
Senior hospital dental officer with allowance	12	12	4	3	3	2
Senior hospital dental officer without allowance	50	47	41	32	27	19
Assistant dental surgeon	52	60	65	59	78	83
Senior registrar	76	87	96	91	109	109
Registrar	141	141	145	152	167	160
Senior house officer	92	97	102	134	132	150
Dental house officer	140	142	135	152	159	158
Other staff	20	19	2	1	1	1
Community health dental staff [4] [6]	1,512	1,540	1,592	1,749	1,878	1,879
Nursing and midwifery staff: Total [7]	343,642	364,434	370,595	377,633	405,817	. .
Qualified nurses and midwives	175,839	183,388	185,119	189,567	202,464	. .
Student and pupil nurses and midwives	87,494	92,955	95,321	93,285	95,461	. .
Other nursing and midwifery staff	73,606	81,560	84,246	90,219	103,679	. .
Nursing cadets	6,703	6,532	5,910	4,563	4,212	. .
Professional and technical (excluding works) staff [4] [8]	48,368	51,028	53,552	52,828	57,025	. .
Works and maintenance staff	26,844	27,042	26,656	27,445	29,457	. .
Administrative and clerical staff [4] [9] [10]	78,796	83,708	87,406	94,798	105,781	. .
Ambulance officers, ambulancemen/women and other ambulance staff	18,207	18,757	19,164	19,255	20,425	. .
Ancillary and other staff	202,850	203,631	200,791	200,639	205,690	. .

See footnotes on page 82.

Source: Department of Health and Social Security

Health and personal social services: manpower summary

Great Britain

TABLE **3.44** *(continued)* At 30 September each year Number or whole-time equivalent

	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Family Practitioner Committee services:						
Practitioners: Total	44,402	45,142	45,691	45,985	46,688	47,439
General medical practitioners [11]: Total	24,668	25,183	25,580	25,844	26,127	26,418
Unrestricted principals	23,252	23,722	23,965	24,255	24,464	24,657
Restricted principals	455	423	374	338	340	323
Assistants	657	633	639	526	441	450
Trainees	304	405	602	725	882	988
General dental practitioners: Total	12,054	12,332	12,520	12,704	12,921	13,254
Principals	11,592	11,911	12,124	12,383	12,620	13,015
Assistants	462	421	396	321	301	239
Ophthalmic medical practitioners [12]	986	988	980	918	943	948
Ophthalmic opticians [12]	5,384	5,281	5,219	5,141	5,184	5,218
Dispensing opticians [12]	1,310	1,358	1,392	1,378	1,509	1,601
Dental Estimates Board staff [13] : **Total**	1,479	1,454	1,417	1,484	1,598	1,461
Professional and technical staff	4	4	5	6	4	1
Administrative and clerical staff	1,438	1,410	1,366	1,431	1,548	1,413
Ancillary and other staff	37	40	46	48	46	47
Prescription Pricing Authority/Prescription Pricing Division staff [14] : **Total**	2,184	2,127	1,983	2,318	2,435	. .
Administrative and clerical staff	2,146	2,087	1,940	2,275	2,386	. .
Ancillary and other staff	38	40	42	43	49	. .
Personal Social Services staff [15]	122,600	135,600	151,162	166,197	179,070	

[1] Common Service Agency Staff in Scotland are included from 1974 onwards. [2] Figures exclude locums with Hospital Practitioner appointments, doctors holding paragraph 94 appointments and dentists holding paragraph 107 appointments under the Terms and Conditions of Service of Hospital Medical and Dental staff. [3] Includes staff working in Blood Transfusion Centres and Mass Radiography Units. [4] Figures for 1971—1973 exclude community health staff in Scotland. [5] Includes community health service doctors, school health service doctors and up to 1973, Regional Hospital Boards' administrative medical staff; figures for the school health service 1971—1973 relate to 31 December. Figures from 1974 exclude occasional sessional staff for whom no whole-time equivalent was collected. From 1976 locum and temporary staff are excluded. [6] Includes community health service dentists and school health service dentists; figures for the school health service 1971—1973 relate to 31 December. The figures from 1974 exclude occasional sessional staff for whom no whole time equivalent was collected. From 1976 locum and temporary staff are excluded. [7] Figures relate to 31 December for community health staff in Scotland for 1971—1973. [8] Hospital social workers are included up to 1973—responsibility for these staff was transferred to Local Authority Social Service on 1 April 1974. [9] Figures exclude ambulance officers. [10] Includes Family Practitioner Service administrative and clerical staff. [11] Figures relate to 1 October. [12] Figures relate to 31 December. [13] The figures for the Dental Estimates Board in Scotland for 1971—1973 are numbers instead of whole-time equivalents. The figures for England relate to 31 December for 1975. [14] The Prescription Pricing Authority in England and Wales is synonymous with the Prescription Pricing Division in Scotland. Figures for the Prescription Pricing Division relate to 30 November and are numbers instead of whole-time equivalents. [15] Figures are for England only.

Source: Department of Health and Social Security

Distribution of hospitals and hospital beds by size of hospital and broad type

Great Britain

TABLE **3.45**

At 30 June

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
	Hospitals										
All hospitals: Total	2,921	2,885	2,890	2,857	2,808	2,760	2,748	2,724	2,736	2,684	2,657
with under 50 beds	1,151	1,122	1,129	1,077	1,016	998	1,000	989	1,015	992	981
50-249 beds	1,213	1,202	1,192	1,204	1,224	1,194	1,173	1,158	1,146	1,122	1,105
250-499 beds	295	299	300	303	297	301	303	301	309	301	304
500-999 beds	173	175	181	186	190	190	199	206	204	207	208
1,000-1,999 beds	72	72	74	78	75	73	70	70	62	62	59
2,000 and over beds	17	15	14	9	6	4	3	–	–	–	–
Non-psychiatric hospitals: Total	2,522	2,481	2,483	2,453	2,397	2,346	2,317	2,280	2,267	2,204	2,180
with under 50 beds	1,071	1,039	1,043	996	934	913	905	877	887	853	842
50-249 beds	1,099	1,086	1,075	1,088	1,101	1,069	1,044	1,034	1,013	987	971
250-499 beds	249	253	257	258	252	252	247	244	247	240	238
500-999 beds	98	96	101	104	102	104	114	116	112	114	120
1,000-1,999 beds	5	7	7	7	8	8	7	9	8	10	9
Psychiatric hospitals: Total	399	404	407	404	411	414	431	444	469	480	477
with under 50 beds	80	83	86	81	82	85	95	112	128	139	139
50-249 beds	114	116	117	116	123	125	129	124	133	135	134
250-499 beds	46	46	43	45	45	49	56	57	62	61	66
500-999 beds	75	79	80	82	88	86	85	90	92	93	88
1,000-1,999 beds	67	65	67	71	67	65	63	61	54	52	50
2,000 and over beds	17	15	14	9	6	4	3	–	–	–	–
	Allocated beds										
All hospitals: Total	534,009	532,898	533,001	528,917	524,682	516,097	509,926	505,620	496,482	488,006	479,359
with under 50 beds	30,873	30,597	30,711	28,358	27,486	27,194	27,390	27,198	27,899	27,568	26,436
50-249 beds	140,691	139,819	138,003	136,697	140,143	137,177	134,483	132,651	131,106	128,464	125,564
250-499 beds	104,444	106,410	107,764	106,883	106,242	108,374	108,517	108,781	111,889	109,540	110,106
500-999 beds	120,141	122,140	123,268	127,897	130,928	130,274	134,910	137,901	139,803	140,582	140,955
1,000-1,999 beds	100,533	101,164	102,801	109,302	106,823	104,466	98,330	99,089	85,785	81,852	76,298
2,000 and over beds	37,327	32,768	30,454	19,780	13,060	8,612	6,296	–	–	–	–
Non-psychiatric hospitals: Total	313,221	314,210	317,129	316,245	316,293	314,635	314,002	313,589	310,920	309,308	307,105
with under 50 beds	28,732	28,438	28,401	26,262	25,365	24,976	24,797	24,152	24,397	23,713	22,801
50-249 beds	126,440	125,268	123,138	122,570	124,933	121,677	119,114	117,900	115,348	112,728	109,715
250-499 beds	87,129	88,995	91,636	90,338	89,579	89,966	87,660	86,314	88,146	86,086	84,824
500-999 beds	65,187	63,714	65,470	68,600	66,787	68,000	73,515	74,260	73,088	74,459	79,177
1,000-1,999 beds	5,733	7,795	8,484	8,475	9,629	10,016	8,916	10,963	9,941	12,322	10,588
Psychiatric hospitals: Total	220,788	218,688	215,872	212,672	208,389	201,462	195,924	192,031	185,562	178,698	172,254
with under 50 beds	2,141	2,159	2,310	2,096	2,121	2,218	2,593	3,046	3,502	3,855	3,635
50-249 beds	14,251	14,551	14,865	14,127	15,210	15,500	15,369	14,751	15,758	15,736	15,849
250-499 beds	17,315	17,415	16,128	16,545	16,663	18,408	20,857	22,467	23,743	23,454	25,282
500-999 beds	54,954	58,426	57,798	59,297	64,141	62,274	61,395	63,641	66,715	66,123	61,778
1,000-1,999 beds	94,800	93,369	94,317	100,827	97,194	94,450	89,414	88,126	75,844	69,530	65,710
2,000 and over beds	37,327	32,768	30,454	19,780	13,060	8,612	6,296	–	–	–	–

Source: Department of Health and Social Security

NHS hospitals: selected diagnoses of patients treated in non-psychiatric departments

TABLE **3.46**

Great Britain

Thousands

		Code numbers [1]	1961	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974
Diagnostic group								
All causes:	Total		4,411.5	5,509.5	5,691.7	5,749.1	5,631.6	5,736.4
	Males		1,800.6	2,197.7	2,247.5	2,300.9	2,269.9	2,312.8
	Females.		2,610.9	3,311.8	3,444.2	3,448.2	3,361.7	3,423.6
Tuberculosis	Total	010-019	52.0	26.4	24.3	22.7	21.5	19.4
	Males		31.1	16.5	14.2	13.7	12.8	11.8
	Females.		20.9	10.0	10.1	9.0	8.7	7.6
Malignant neoplasms	Total	140-209	229.1	307.3	322.4	338.1	342.9	346.9
	Males		117.2	156.0	163.2	171.6	174.2	174.5
	Females.		112.0	151.3	159.2	166.5	168.7	172.4
Benign and unspecified neoplasms	Total	210-239	121.4	140.8	138.3	129.5	126.3	126.0
	Males		36.7	35.7	35.9	32.1	30.4	30.6
	Females.		84.7	105.1	102.4	97.4	95.9	95.4
Endocrine, metabolic and nutritional diseases	Total	240-279	83.2	93.8	99.1	103.5	100.8	100.6
	Males		28.1	34.5	38.1	40.6	38.4	40.0
	Females.		55.0	59.2	61.0	62.9	62.4	60.6
Diseases of nervous system	Total	320-358	69.9	94.1	95.8	98.1	95.4	96.7
	Males		33.9	45.6	47.4	48.1	46.5	46.2
	Females.		36.0	48.4	48.4	50.0	48.9	50.5
Diseases of the heart, including rheumatic fever and hypertensive disease	Total	390-429	194.4	272.9	293.6	315.0	299.9	308.8
	Males		103.1	155.8	168.0	181.2	173.2	177.3
	Females.		91.2	117.0	125.6	133.8	126.7	131.5
Diseases of circulatory system	Total	430-458	210.7	251.5	264.0	268.8	262.6	265.4
	Males		98.5	117.9	124.6	128.1	125.4	128.6
	Females.		112.2	133.7	139.4	140.7	137.2	136.8
Diseases of respiratory system	Total	460-519	521.0	526.3	502.9	521.2	478.5	469.8
	Males		286.3	296.7	285.6	292.6	270.6	266.1
	Females.		234.7	229.5	217.3	228.6	207.9	203.7
Diseases of digestive system	Total	520-577	525.4	553.3	565.8	567.4	551.8	553.5
	Males		290.5	307.6	311.8	313.5	303.6	301.2
	Females.		235.0	245.8	254.0	253.9	248.2	252.3
Diseases of urinary system	Total	580-599	69.2	93.9	93.4	98.9	89.8	91.4
	Males		33.8	47.0	46.1	51.0	45.1	45.4
	Females.		35.3	46.9	47.3	47.9	44.7	46.0
Deliveries and disorders of pregnancy, childbirth and puerperium	Females.	630-678	790.0	1,045.8	1,110.4	1,059.9	1,014.0	999.8
Diseases of musculo-skeletal system	Total	710-738	155.3	188.1	202.4	201.0	196.1	209.4
	Males		74.1	85.3	90.7	89.7	87.7	92.8
	Females.		81.1	102.8	111.7	111.3	108.4	116.6
Fractures, dislocations and sprains	Total	N800-848 [2]	167.5	206.3	211.5	204.7	220.1	205.2
	Males		97.0	115.6	118.1	110.9	121.8	110.6
	Females.		70.5	90.7	93.4	93.8	98.3	94.6
Other injuries and reactions	Total	N850-999	241.2	366.0	379.3	391.4	374.0	393.2
	Males		155.4	214.0	221.8	225.6	211.9	221.2
	Females.		85.8	152.1	157.5	165.8	162.1	172.0
Other causes	Total		981.3	1,343.0	1,388.5	1,428.9	1,457.9	1,550.2
	Males		415.0	569.5	582.0	602.2	628.3	666.4
	Females.		566.6	773.5	806.5	826.7	829.6	883.8

[1] Code numbers refer to the Eighth Revision (1967) of the *International Statistical Classification of Diseases, Injuries and Causes of Death.* Figures prior to 1968 are based on Seventh Revision coding adjusted to the new classification. [2] 1973 figures include head injuries (N850—N854) for Scotland.

Sources: Department of Health and Social Security; Office of Population Censuses and Surveys; Scottish Health Service

Family practioner services: general dental services

Analysis of numbers of courses of treatment and cases of emergency treatment by principal type of treatment[1]

Great Britain

TABLE 3.47

Thousands

	1966	1967	1968[2]	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Courses of treatment and cases of emergency treatment:											
Total[3]	20,182	21,007	22,016	22,069	22,653	23,959	25,519	26,938	28,064	29,432	29,865
Diagnosis:											
Examination and report	17,449	18,391	19,394	19,577	20,196	21,207	22,223	23,323	24,479	25,606	26,615
X-ray and report	2,655	2,861	3,119	3,213	3,430	3,665	3,911	4,223	4,367	4,590	4,847
Conservation:											
Scaling and gum treatment (adults)	6,716	6,907	7,211	7,123	7,442	7,917	8,258	8,733	9,301	10,010	9,892
Other periodontal treatment [4]	90	94	112	109	123	119	139	191	257	347	424
Fillings of permanent teeth	9,184	9,977	10,450	10,453	10,844	11,520	12,126	11,741	12,136	12,432	12,108
number of teeth	*29,011*	*29,027*	*30,604*	*31,083*	*32,522*	*32,718*	*32,513*	*33,027*	*33,769*	*34,062*	*34,731*
Fillings of deciduous teeth	1,073	1,148	1,263	1,333	1,408	1,451	1,578	1,586	1,585	1,662	1,467
number of teeth	*2,225*	*2,332*	*2,593*	*2,748*	*2,926*	*2,976*	*3,249*	*3,289*	*3,239*	*3,279*	*2,899*
Root treatment	259	283	326	350	397	418	446	515	585	637	735
Inlays	140	148	156	140	134	118	96	92	88	82	88
Crowning	201	251	302	325	383	422	463	548	628	731	901
Extractions:											
Permanent teeth[5]	3,832	2,930	2,742	2,577	2,562	2,803	2,894	2,942	2,876	2,822	2,622
number of teeth	*9,360*	*9,281*	*8,886*	*8,127*	*7,897*	*8,121*	*7,812*	*7,504*	*7,119*	*6,825*	*6,399*
Deciduous teeth	..	1,063	1,139	1,134	1,160	1,156	1,195	1,197	1,183	1,139	1,079
number of teeth	*1,930*	*2,068*	*2,210*	*2,198*	*2,235*	*2,246*	*2,322*	*2,291*	*2,252*	*2,176*	*2,068*
Removal of cysts, buried roots, impacted teetch, etc.	75	76	79	75	76	71	73	88	98	111	122
General anaesthetics	1,399	1,455	1,456	1,405	1,396	1,392	1,400	1,347	1,300	1,206	1,099
Dentures:											
Plastic and vulcanite											
Supply	1,788	1,837	1,916	1,827	1,737	1,929	1,643	1,699	1,713	1,774	1,806
Relining	182	186	177	170	167	177	159	155	144	148	142
Repairs and additions	1,511	1,475	1,443	1,374	1,334	1,299	1,301	1,199	1,156	1,134	1,121
Metal	38	47	55	56	65	67	73	78	77	79	89
Orthodontic treatment[6]	98	96	107	106	116	129	158	188	199	218	219
Cases of emergency treatment included in courses of treatment and cases of emergency treatment Total[7]	2,034	2,020	1,984	1,848	1,797	1,825	1,805	2,055	1,677	1,695	1,442
Extractions (deciduous and permanent teeth combined)	856	706	833	746	718	794	878	858	789	743	561
General anaesthetics	435	445	422	382	360	344	351	308	262	224	175
Denture repairs	1,118	1,094	1,081	1,030	1,006	948	977	895	862	826	813

Note: Prior to 1 April 1974 these services were the responsibility of the Executive council services.

[1] A course, or a case of emergency treatment, including more than one type of treatment is counted against each type. [2] 53 weeks in the case of England and Wales. [3] Including courses of treatment or cases of emergency treatment which may cover treatments not shown separately below. [4] Including gingivectomy and associated treatments. [5] Including treatment for deciduous teeth in 1966, after which the sub-division is shown. [6] Relates to the number of estimates including orthodontic and/or repairs to orthodontic appliances. Treatment given for orthodontic purposes but not itself proper to Item 24 of the Scale of Fees is included under its appropriate type in the Scale. [7] Cases of emergency treatment included in the courses of treatment. The Scottish component of the number of emergency denture repairs has been estimated.

Source: Department of Health and Social Security

TABLE 3.51

Notifications of infectious diseases

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976[8]
United Kingdom											
Diphtheria	20	6	21	13	22	17	4	2	3	12	2
Typhoid and paratyphoid fevers	286	266	243	378	381	245	238	278	239	301	294
Scarlet fever	23,183	21,323	17,317	18.662	14,402	13,878	12,176	13,010	11,087	10,235	10,731
Whooping cough	21,814	37,815	19,073	6,132	19,788	19,365	2,407	2,759	18,259	9.923	4,392
Smallpox	62	2	1	–	–	–	1	6	–	–	–
Dysentery	26,287	26,951	23,962	28,107	14,213	15,232	12,567	9,727	9,858	9,375	7,354
Tuberculosis: Total	17,508	15,800	15,382	14,541	14,167	13,757	13,010	12,974	12,456	12,534	11,785
Respiratory	14,717	13,194	12,695	11,689	11,377	10,799	10,275	10,220	9,577	9,579	9,148
Other	2,791	2,606	2,687	2,852	2,790	2,958	2,735	2,754	2,879	2,955	2,637
Acute poliomyelitis[1]	26	23	36	14	8	8	8	7	8	4	15
England and Wales[2]											
Diphtheria	20	6	15	13	22	17	4	2	3	11	2
Typhoid and paratyphoid fevers	242	230	207	356	361	222	206	256	206	279	283
Scarlet fever	21,226	19,302	14,897	16,091	13,135	12,485	11,201	12,034	10,401	9,487	9,712
Measles	343,525	460,236	236,075	142,020	307,318	135,216	145,708	152,482	109,602	143,024	55,498
Whooping cough	19,417	33,531	17,367	4,994	16,597	16,845	2,069	2,437	16,225	8,910	3,907
Smallpox	62	2	1	–	–	–	1	6	–	–	–
Dysentery	21,559	22,044	19,487	22,109	10,765	10,676	9,040	8,032	8,207	7,915	6,217
Food poisoning	4,531	5,018	5,955	7,338	7,566	6,720	5,484	7,059	6,225	8,863	9,050
Ophthalmia neonatorum	612	606	588	434	464	428	358	366	316	265	222
Tuberculosis[3]: Total	14,601	13,206	12,954	12,165	11,901	11,697	11,073	11,156	10,677	10,818	10,098
Respiratory	12,355	11,023	10,681	9,675	9,475	9,119	8,689	8,710	8,102	8,208	7,710
Other	2,246	2,183	2,273	2,490	2,426	2,578	2,384	2,446	2,575	2,610	2,388
Acute poliomyelitis[1]	23	19	24	10	6	7	5	5	6	3	13
Acute encephalitis (infective and post infective)	197	218	178	256	238	144	163	171	108	126	102
Acute meningitis:											
Total	. .	. .	. .	1,246	1,322	1,881	1,546	2,103	2,222	2,635	1,896
Meningococcal[4]	407	293	. .	. .	524	590	646	1,067	1,296	863	718
Scotland											
Diphtheria	–	–	6	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	–
Typhoid and paratyphoid fevers	41	35	34	20	17	23	30	22	32	15	10
Erysipelas	135	139	151	172	151	137	123	133	34	38	97
Scarlet fever	1,390	1,264	1,341	1,613	793	743	565	621	422	430	712
Whooping cough	1,864	3,642	900	474	2,715	2,075	226	131	1,691	813	371
Smallpox	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dysentery	4,274	4,523	3,736	5,310	3,032	4,135	3,188	1,557	1,454	1,206	907
Ophthalmia neonatorum	40	30	32	35	42	42	44	49	40	65	60
Pneumonia[5]	4,208	3,792	3,592	3,727	3,521	2,437	2,959	2,925	2,007	. .	. .
Puerperal fever and pyrexia	291	145	99	90	59	46	53	26	8	6	5
Tuberculosis[3] [6]: Total	2,429	2,178	2,056	2,043	1,894	1,736	1,655	1,522	1,533	1,504	1,482
Respiratory	1,994	1,834	1,739	1,725	1,602	1,416	1,349	1,268	1,276	1,200	1,265
Other	435	344	317	318	292	320	306	254	257	304	217
Acute poliomyelitis[1]	2	3	1	1	2	1	3	2	1	1	2
Northern Ireland											
Diphtheria	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Typhoid and paratyphoid fevers	3	1	2	2	3	–	2	–	1	7	1
Scarlet fever	567	757	1,079	958	464	650	410	355	264	318	307
Whooping cough[7]	533	642	806	664	476	446	112	191	343	200	114
Smallpox	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dysentery	454	384	739	688	416	421	339	138	197	254	230
Tuberculosis: Total	478	416	372	333	372	324	282	296	246	212	205
Respiratory	368	337	275	289	300	264	237	242	199	171	173
Other	110	79	97	44	72	60	45	54	47	41	32
Acute poliomyelitis[1]	1	1	11	3	–	–	–	–	1	–	–

[1] Including acute polioencephalitis. [2] The figures show the corrected number of notifications, incorporating revisions of diagnosis, either by the notifying medical practitioner or by the medical superintendent of the infectious diseases hospital. Cases notified in Port Health Districts are excluded. [3] Formal notifications of new cases only. [4] Prior to 1 October 1968, the notifiable disease was meningococcal infection. [5] Acute primary and acute influenzal. Ceased to be notifiable from 1975. [6] From 1970 onwards the returns for Tuberculosis show confirmed cases only. In previous years the figures relate to cases notified. [7] Up to end-June 1968, only the first case in a household had to be notified, unless a period of three months intervened. All cases notified from 1 July, 1968. [8] Figures for England and Wales are provisional.

Sources: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys; Common Services Agency for the Scottish Health Service; General Register Office (Northern Ireland)

Industrial diseases in Great Britain

TABLE 3.52

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976[2]
Cases reported											
Total	666	655	769	692	642	628	571	488	411	475	497
Lead poisoning	80	92	107	118	70	123	85	58	36	27	31
Other poisoning	14	27	62	55	44	29	25	21	21	42	36
Anthrax	7	13	7	4	3	—	—	1	2	1	3
Epitheliomatous ulceration	108	81	83	111	92	70	36	9	12	11	7
Chrome ulceration	133	131	146	121	89	89	130	117	71	69	65
Compressed air illness	22	9	3	2	3	13	—	2	1	16	34
Gassing	302	302	361	281	341	304	295	280	268	309	321
Deaths reported											
Total	11	18	14	17	13	13	12	6	9	6	5
Lead poisoning	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other poisoning	—	1	1	1	—	—	—	-	1	—	2
Anthrax	—	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Epitheliomatous ulceration	1	—	3	5	2	3	2	1	2	—	—
Compressed air illness	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Gassing[1]	10	16	9	10	11	10	10	5	6	6	3

[1] These casualties are also included in Table 3.53. [2] Provisional.

Source: Health and Safety Executive

Employees killed in industrial accidents in Great Britain

TABLE 3.53

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976[6]
Total employees killed[1]	1,207	1,010	1,067	992	911	839	784	826	753	730	646
Industries covered by Factories Act											
Total [1]	701	564	625	649	556	525	468	549	479	427	382
Total in factories	372	342	359	357	325	299	261	290	290	231	211
Total in other places under Factories Act	329	222	266	292	231	226	207	259	189	196	171
Docks, etc	35	23	20	22	23	23	13	23	17	11	16
Warehouses, etc	6	2	8	5	5	7	4	6	11	4	1
Building operations	213	156	172	174	138	144	132	148	113	119	116
Works of engineering construction	75	41	66	91	65	52	58	82	48	62	38
Industries covered by other Acts											
Total [1]	506	446	442	343	355	314	316	277	274	303	264
Agriculture (Safety, Health and Welfare Provisions) Act 1956[2]	73	58	63	70	41	61	46	49	33	35	41
Explosives Acts	—	1	6	—	6	6	4	6	3	6	5
Mines and Quarries Act, 1954:											
Mines producing coal	160	151	115	100	91	72	64	80	48	64	50
Mines of stratified ironstone, oil shale or fireclay	—	2	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—
Miscellaneous mines	3	5	5	3	5	6	7	8	2	2	8
Quarries[3]	28	23	38	23	27	18	15	14	16	15	16
Office, Shops and Railways Premises Act	29	16	39	20	32	35	15	15	20	16	20
Railways	72	78	62	69	67	60	48	42	38	46	46
Shipping[4]	118	94	98	52	71	42	106	51	101	106	51
Oil rigs	1	1	8	3	1	4	3	3	9	10	17
Commercial aviation[5]	22	17	8	3	13	9	8	9	4	3	10

[1] A very small number of fatal accidents may be included more than once, as the individual figures under the headings of the various Acts are not necessarily completely mutually exclusive. [2] Including casual workers. [3] Including accidents on opencast coal sites. [4] Deaths of seamen and fishermen serving in vessels registered in the United Kingdom. [5] Employees of United Kingdom corporations and other United Kingdom air transport operators or commercial aviation concerns killed in Great Britain or overseas. [6] Provisional.

Source: Health and Safety Executive; Department of the Environment; Department of Trade; Civil Aviation Authority

Stock of dwellings

TABLE 3.61

Great Britain

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Estimated annual gains and losses (Thousands)											
Gains: New construction	385.5	404.4	413.7	366.8	350.4	350.5	319.3	294.1	269.5	313.2	314.6
Other	6.6	4.3	5.0	5.8	5.8	7.6	10.3	12.2	11.8	10.2	9.4
Losses: Slum clearance	87.1	92.8	93.7	90.5	88.2	95.3	88.8	83.3	55.1	63.0	57.9
Other	32.8	35.0	31.4	28.3	24.9	27.1	27.0	20.4	14.0	17.6	12.8
Net gain	272.2	280.9	293.6	253.8	243.1	235.7	213.8	202.6	212.2	242.8	253.3
Stock at end of year [1]	17,660	17,941	18,234	18,488	18,731	18,999	19,213	19,415	19,627	19,870	20,124
Estimated tenure distribution at end of year (percentage)											
Owner occupied	*47.2*	*47.9*	*48.8*	*49.4*	*50.0*	*50.5*	*51.5*	*52.3*	*52.7*	*53.0*	*53.3*
Rented: From local authorities and new towns	*28.7*	*29.2*	*29.5*	*30.0*	*30.4*	*30.6*	*30.5*	*30.5*	*30.8*	*31.3*	*31.7*
From private owners including other tenures	*24.1*	*22.9*	*21.7*	*20.6*	*19.6*	*18.9*	*18.0*	*17.2*	*16.5*	*15.7*	*15.0*

[1] Census based estimates by the Department of the Environment, including adjustments for census deficiencies and an allowance for 'reasonably separate' dwellings. Changes in the dwellings definition used in the 1971 Census resulted in an overall increase of 32,000 dwellings.

Source: Department of the Environment

Renovation grants approved

TABLE 3.62

Number of dwellings

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Great Britain											
All grants: Total	115,289	120,449	127,895	123,889	179,957	232,511	368,068	453,618	300,360	159,790	168,780
Discretionary	46,065	52,700	58,491	63,146	109,280	170,816	305,997	407,033	274,241	148,184	157,083
Standard	69,224	67,749	69,404	60,743	70,677	61,695	62,071	46,585	26,119	11,606	11,697
For local authorities [1]:											
Total	33,720	32,487	40,939	40,436	59,468	88,882	136,679	188,071	121,142	61,722	74,661
Discretionary	17,960	24,045	30,668	33,542	50,921	85,032	132,140	183,139	118,430	61,722	74,661
Standard	15,760	8,442	10,271	6,894	8,547	3,850	4,539	4,932	2,712	—	—
For private owners and housing associations:											
Total	81,569	87,962	86,956	83,453	120,489	143,629	231,389	265,547	179,218	98,068	94,119
Discretionary	28,105	28,655	27,823	29,604	58,359	85,784	173,857	223,894	155,811	86,462	82,422
Standard [2]	53,464	59,307	59,133	53,849	62,130	57,845	57,532	41,653	23,407	11,606	11,697
England and Wales											
All grants: Total	107,720	113,142	114,216	108,938	156,557	197,481	319,169	360,954	231,918	126,888	125,631
Discretionary	39,960	46,606	46,178	49,376	87,398	137,608	260,007	316,438	207,561	115,718	114,232
Standard [1]	67,760	66,536	68,038	59,562	69,159	59,873	59,162	44,516	24,357	11,170	11,399
For local authorities:											
Total	30,239	28,808	31,031	29,369	41,960	61,138	103,998	117,927	77,333	37,106	39,001
Discretionary	14,479	20,366	20,760	22,475	33,413	57,288	99,459	112,995	74,621	37,106	39,001
Standard	15,760	8,442	10,271	6,894	8,547	3,850	4,539	4,932	2,712	—	—
For private owners and housing associations:											
Total	77,481	84,334	83,185	79,569	114,597	136,343	215,171	243,027	154,585	89,782	86,630
Discretionary	25,481	26,240	25,418	26,901	53,985	80,320	160,548	203,443	132,940	78,612	75,231
Standard [2]	52,000	58,094	57,767	52,668	60,612	56,023	54,623	39,584	21,645	11,170	11,399
Scotland											
All grants: Total	7,569	7,307	13,679	14,951	23,400	35,030	48,899	92,664	68,442	32,902	43,149
Discretionary	6,105	6,094	12,313	13,770	21,882	33,208	45,990	90,595	66,680	32,466	42,851
Standard	1,464	1,213	1,366	1,181	1,518	1,822	2,909	2,069	1,762	436	298
For local authorities [1]:											
Discretionary	3,481	3,679	9,908	11,067	17,508	27,744	32,681	70,144	43,809	24,616	35,660
For private owners and housing associations:											
Total	4,088	3,628	3,771	3,884	5,892	7,286	16,218	22,520	24,633	8,286	7,489
Discretionary	2,624	2,415	2,405	2,703	4,374	5,464	13,309	20,451	22,871	7,850	7,191
Standard	1,464	1,213	1,366	1,181	1,518	1,822	2,909	2,069	1,762	436	298

[1] Including Scottish Special Housing Association. No provision is made for standard grants to local authorities in Scotland. Standard grants were not available to local authorities in England and Wales after November 1974. [2] Including special grants to private owners in England and Wales from 1969.

Sources: Department of the Environment; Scottish Development Department

Permanent dwellings completed

TABLE **3.63**

Number

	United Kingdom				England and Wales			
	Total	For local housing authorities [1]	For private owners	Other [2]	Total	For local housing authorities [1]	For private owners	Other [2]
1956	307,674	170,710	126,431	10,533	268,724	139,977	119,585	9,162
1957	307,590	169,629	128,784	9,177	268,653	137,584	122,942	8,127
1958	278,633	143,283	130,220	5,130	241,525	113,146	124,087	4,292
1959	281,568	124,545	153,166	3,857	249,381	99,456	146,476	3,449
1960	304,255	128,216	171,405	4,634	269,226	103,235	162,100	3,891
1961	303,161	116,118	180,727	6,316	268,832	92,880	170,366	5,586
1962	313,643	128,577	178,211	6,855	278,667	105,302	167,016	6,349
1963	307,714	123,903	177,787	6,024	270,655	97,015	168,242	5,398
1964	383,192	154,754	221,264	7,174	336,505	119,468	210,432	6,605
1965	391,234	164,957	217,162	9,115	347,181	133,024	206,246	7,911
1966	396,009	176,871	208,647	10,491	349,480	142,430	197,502	9,548
1967	415,455	199,749	204,208	11,498	362,898	159,347	192,940	10,611
1968	425,835	187,984	226,068	11,783	371,726	148,049	213,273	10,404
1969	378,324	180,958	185,916	11,450	324,165	139,850	173,377	10,938
1970	362,226	176,926	174,342	10,958	307,266	134,874	162,084	10,308
1971	364,475	154,894	196,313	13,268	309,776	117,215	179,998	12,563
1972	330,936	120,431	200,755	9,750	287,294	93,635	184,622	9,037
1973	304,637	102,604	191,080	10,953	264,047	79,289	174,413	10,345
1974	279,582	121,017	145,177	13,388	241,173	99,423	129,626	12,124
1975	322,113	150,526	154,696	16,891	278,694	122,857	140,381	15,456
1976	324,142	151,655	154,785	17,702	278,660	124,152	138,477	16,031

	Scotland				Northern Ireland			
	Total	For local housing authorities [1]	For private owners	Other [2]	Total	For local housing authorities [1]	For private owners	Other [2]
1956	31,901	26,290	4,576	1,035	7,049	4,443	2,270	336
1957	32,437	28,326	3,513	598	6,500	3,719	2,329	452
1958	32,170	27,373	4,061	736	4,938	2,764	2,072	102
1959	27,293	22,709	4,232	352	4,894	2,380	2,458	56
1960	28,592	21,503	6,529	560	6,437	3,478	2,776	183
1961	27,230	19,541	7,147	542	7,099	3,697	3,214	188
1962	26,761	18,788	7,784	189	8,215	4,487	3,411	317
1963	28,217	21,164	6,622	431	8,842	5,724	2,923	195
1964	37,171	29,156	7,662	353	9,516	6,130	3,170	216
1965	35,116	26,584	7,553	979	8,937	5,349	3,363	225
1966	36,029	27,515	7,870	644	10,500	6,926	3,275	299
1967	41,458	33,222	7,498	738	11,099	7,180	3,770	149
1968	41,989	32,011	8,720	1,258	12,120	7,924	4,075	121
1969	42,628	33,932	8,326	370	11,531	7,176	4,213	142
1970	43,126	34,360	8,220	546	11,834	7,692	4,038	104
1971	40,783	28,577	11,614	592	13,916	9,102	4,701	113
1972	31,992	19,593	11,835	564	11,650	7,203	4,298	149
1973	30,033	17,349	12,215	469	10,557	5,966	4,452	139
1974	28,336	16,182	11,239	915	10,073	5,412	4,312	349
1975	34,500	22,784	10,539	1,177	8,919	4,885	3,776	258
1976	35,900	20,985	13,260	1,655	9,582	6,518	3,048	16

[1] Including the Commission for the New Towns and new towns development corporations, the Scottish Special Housing Association, the Northern Ireland Housing Trust and the Northern Ireland Housing Executive. [2] Dwellings provided or authorised by government departments for the families of police, prison staffs, the armed forces and certain other services. Including housing associations other than the Scottish Special Housing Association and the Northern Ireland Housing Trust.

Sources: Department of the Environment; Scottish Development Department; Department of the Environment (Northern Ireland)

Houses and flats completed

By number of bedrooms

TABLE 3.64

England and Wales

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
For local authorities and new towns											
Houses: total	68,798	81,751	75,680	68,408	63,013	55,475	46,253	41,532	50,475	68,319	70,034
1 bedroom	6,912	7,748	7,235	6,398	5,523	6,026	4,918	5,067	5,515	6,650	5,720
2 bedrooms	17,254	18,961	18,121	15,861	15,140	14,141	11,158	10,397	11,965	15,481	16,226
3 bedrooms	41,964	51,141	46,747	42,259	38,349	31,400	26,911	23,239	29,711	42,221	43,746
4 or more bedrooms	2,668	3,901	3,577	3,890	4,001	3,908	3,266	2,829	3,284	3,967	4,342
Flats: total	73,632	77,596	72,369	71,442	71,861	61,740	47,382	37,757	48,948	54,538	54,118
1 bedroom	30,820	33,306	31,852	30,771	32,980	30,580	24,651	21,684	28,745	32,192	33,844
2 bedrooms	32,206	32,649	28,971	28,279	26,039	20,946	15,298	11,202	14,267	16,822	15,651
3 bedrooms	10,151	11,160	11,021	11,645	11,816	9,285	6,456	4,261	4,763	4,684	3,971
4 or more bedrooms	455	481	525	747	1,026	929	977	610	1,173	840	652
For private owners											
Houses: total	179,647	178,028	198,230	160,491	147,810	166,809	170,051	159,053	115,403	122,981	123,402
1 bedroom	839	781	923	920	657	661	625	837	947	877	1,048
2 bedrooms	37,053	33,776	34,790	26,975	24,221	24,304	22,975	19,371	14,433	19,787	22,248
3 bedrooms	130,632	131,351	147,642	118,875	108,388	124,374	127,030	117,543	82,817	81,384	79,286
4 or more bedrooms	11,123	12,120	14,875	13,721	14,544	17,470	19,421	21,302	17,206	20,933	20,820
Flats: total	17,855	14,912	15,043	12,886	14,274	13,189	14,571	15,360	14,223	17,400	15,075
1 bedroom	3,128	2,756	2,754	2,612	3,044	2,867	3,812	3,692	3,542	4,297	3,944
2 bedrooms	12,321	10,233	10,368	8,870	9,413	9,105	9,277	9,960	9,069	11,388	9,793
3 bedrooms	2,241	1,773	1,860	1,294	1,730	1,138	1,259	1,624	1,479	1,572	1,294
4 or more bedrooms	165	150	61	110	87	79	223	84	133	143	44

Source: Department of the Environment

Houses demolished or closed

TABLE 3.65

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
England and Wales [1]	66,782	71,152	71,586	69,233	67,804	70,057	66,098	63,557	41,698	49,083	48,208
Unfit: In clearance areas	42,847	46,913	47,637	46,746	47,259	49,676	47,964	46,841	33,319	36,586	35,566
Other	18,706	19,635	17,711	15,834	15,266	13,871	12,656	10,818	4,825	8,039	9,246
Other: In or adjoining clearance areas	5,229	4,604	6,238	6,653	5,279	6,510	5,478	5,898	3,554	4,458	3,396
Scotland [2]	16,650	19,087	18,768	17,847	17,345	20,554	18,518	16,479	11,615	10,658	6,764
Unfit	12,766	14,447	15,479	16,696	15,325	18,819	16,151	14,872	10,271	9,964	5,407
Other	3,884	4,640	3,289	1,151	2,020	1,735	2,367	1,607	1,344	694	1,357

[1] Action under the Housing Acts and certain other powers. Unfit houses are those deemed to be so far defective in one or more of the matters specified in Section 4, Housing Act 1957 (as amended) as to be not reasonably suitable for occupation. [2] Action under the Housing Acts, Town and Country Planning Acts and other specific statutory powers and other action. Unfit houses comprise houses dealt with since 25 August 1969 as failing to meet the tolerable standard introduced by the Housing (Scotland) Act 1969 and houses dealt with under earlier statutory provisions as being unfit for human habitation.

Sources: Department of the Environment; Scottish Development Department

Occupied dwellings by household spaces in 1971 [1]

Great Britain

TABLE 3.66

Thousands

	Total occupied dwellings [1]	Occupied dwellings containing: One household space	Two	Three or more household spaces
Total	18,172.2	17,894.4	202.5	75.4
England and Wales	16,455.1	16,183.9	197.5	73.8
Scotland	1,717.1	1,710.5	5.0	1.6
Number of rooms in dwelling:				
1	293.7	293.7	–	–
2	730.9	728.2	2.7	–
3	1,721.9	1,715.2	5.5	1.2
4	4,186.0	4,169.3	13.6	3.0
5	5,362.0	5,334.2	22.9	5.0
6	4,163.2	4,105.2	49.8	8.3
7	927.7	880.0	38.5	9.3
8	419.9	374.1	33.8	12.0
9	169.4	141.9	16.2	11.3
10 or more	197.4	152.7	19.4	25.3

[1] The 1971 Census definition of a dwelling differs from that used in 1961 and 1966 Censuses and as a result some care is required in comparing the 1971 statistics with previous series. In the 1971 Census, household spaces were grouped into dwellings according to the extent that accommodation was shared between households. A full description of the 1971 definition and differences from earlier definitions is contained in *1971 Census, Great Britain, County Reports, General Explanatory Notes.*

Sources: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys; General Register Office (Scotland)

Composition of private households in 1971

Great Britain

TABLE 3.67

Based on 10% sample of household returns

Thousands

	Total number of households	Number of persons in household: One person	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10 or more
Total number of households [1]	18,317	3,320	5,771	3,458	3,148	1,515	654	252	112	48	40
Analysed by number of families [2]											
0	4,068	3,320	623	91	24	7	3	1	–	–	–
1	13,986	–	5,149	3,367	3,052	1,432	595	225	97	40	30
2	258	–	–	–	72	76	56	26	13	7	8
3 or more	5	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	1	1	2
Analysed by number of children [3]											
0	11,302	3,320	5,653	1,661	517	117	26	5	2	1	–
1	2,710	–	118	1,715	577	217	64	14	4	1	–
2	2,565	–	–	81	2,016	308	115	33	9	3	1
3	1,108	–	–	–	38	859	137	48	17	6	3
4	411	–	–	–	–	15	306	53	23	9	5
5 or more	221	–	–	–	–	–	6	99	57	29	30
Analysed by number of earners											
0	3,747	2,054	1,482	135	44	18	9	3	2	1	–
1	7,111	1,266	2,035	1,407	1,381	640	249	85	31	11	6
2	5,455	–	2,255	1,328	1,093	482	189	66	27	10	6
3	1,459	–	–	588	449	226	109	46	22	10	8
4 or more	545	–	–	–	181	148	99	52	29	17	19

[1] A 'private household' comprises any person living alone who is responsible for providing his or her own meals or a group of persons living together, partaking of meals prepared together and benefiting from a common housekeeping. [2] A 'family' is a married couple, alone, or with never-married child or children (of any age). A family may also be a lone parent with his/her never-married child or children. [3] Children, in this table, are dependent children and are defined as children in a family under the age of 15, or in full-time education under the age of 25. For further definition of terms, see *1971 Census, Great Britain, County Reports, General Explanatory Notes.*

Sources: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys; General Register Office (Scotland)

Divorce proceedings

TABLE 3.71

England and Wales[1]

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Dissolution of marriage[2]											
Petitions filed	45,610	49,969	54,036	60,134	70,575	110,017	109,822	115,048	129,993	138,048	143,698
On grounds of:											
Adultery	21,541	23,655	26,011	29,891	36,474	27,284	30,920	32,261	35,736	37,650	39,231
Desertion	10,181	10,584	11,147	11,490	12,266	11,277	8,650	7,626	6,712	5,847	5,263
Behaviour[3]	9,846	11,516	12,753	14,538	17,534	20,604	25,424	30,468	37,012	42,869	46,238
Separation (2 years and consent)						16,057	20,187	24,203	30,201	33,085	34,173
Separation (5 years)						29,911	19,270	16,593	16,445	13,987	14,572
Adultery and desertion	1,612	1,647	1,478	1,397	1,376	989	756	594	414	44	36
Adultery and cruelty[3]	1,028	1,171	1,212	1,397	1,563	1,722	1,977	2,113	2,367	2,923	2,912
Desertion and cruelty[3]	986	1,055	1,046	1,064	988	1,382	1,615	830	740	87	76
Adultery, desertion and cruelty[3]	102	91	100	92	95	148	565	104	93	13	5
Separation (consent and 5 years)						549	433	242	259	1,536	35
Other	314	250	289	265	279	94	25	14	14	7	1,157
By husbands	17,777	18,651	20,130	22,270	25,543	43,792	38,745	38,792	41,002	41,651	42,866
By wives	27,833	31,318	33,906	37,864	45,032	66,225	71,077	76,256	88,991	96,397	100,832
Suits disposed of[4]	41,951	45,990	50,787	56,464	63,490	92,013	115,292	111,741	122,782	125,149	134,262
Decees nisi granted	40,213	44,228	47,959	54,151	61,090	88,460	109,944	106,522	117,150	122,397	130,616
Decrees absolute granted	38,352	42,378	45,036	50,063	57,421	73,666	118,253	105,199	110,753	117,665	125,910
Nullity of marriage[5]											
Petitions filed	999	987	971	1,082	1,086	878	900	898	949	1,080	1,116
By husbands	503	472	466	492	494	405	385	424	382	459	479
By wives	496	515	505	590	592	473	515	474	567	621	637
Decrees nisi granted	764	764	819	843	906	822	800	759	785	831	954
Decrees absolute granted	715	715	758	1,247	818	771	772	804	685	623	772
Judicial separation											
Petitions filed	242	279	233	229	231	211	330	430	696	936	1,601
By husbands	27	15	14	19	15	10	23	20	48	52	63
By wives	215	264	219	210	216	201	307	410	648	884	1,538
Decrees granted	96	127	105	116	89	90	133	190	246	323	584

[1] Excluding proceedings for restitution of conjugal rights. From 1 January 1971 under the matrimonial Proceedings and Property Act 1970 restitution of conjugal rights is no longer a cause for action. [2] Excluding petitions in which divorce is asked for in alternative to nullity. [3] Grounds of behaviour were introduced from 1 January 1971 to replace grounds of cruelty. [4] Both in and out of Court. Nullity and judicial separation suits disposed of are included under dissolution of marriage. [5] Including cases in which dissolution is asked for in the alternative. [6] Divorce and separation.

Sources: Lord Chancellor's Department; Scottish Courts Administration; High Court of Justice (Northern Ireland)

Divorce proceedings

TABLE 3.71 *(continued)*

Scotland

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Divorce											
Actions in which final judgment given	3,696	3,101	4,953	4,421	4,809	5,041	5,796	7,475	7,550	8,677	8,971
On grounds of: Adultery	1,489	1,276	1,939	1,679	1,793	1,899	2,180	2,806	2,768	3,134	3,228
Desertion	1,172	857	1,267	1,122	1,032	999	1,098	1,332	1,243	1,380	1,290
Insanity	9	5	11	3	5	8	9	3	5	10	10
Cruelty	1,025	962	1,736	1,615	1,979	2,135	2,509	3,334	3,533	4,153	4,441
Sodomy	1	1	–	2	–	–	–	–	1	–	2
At instances of: Husbands	1,269	1,047	1,518	1,323	1,327	1,388	1,614	2,015	1,964	2,092	2,109
Wives	2,427	2,054	3,435	3,098	3,482	3,653	4,182	5,460	5,586	6,585	6,862
Divorce granted	3,546	2,963	4,766	4,215	4,589	4,785	5,501	7,104	7,173	8,298	8,662
Separation											
Actions in which final judgment given	5	2	5	4	1	4	1	2	–	1	–
Separation granted	3	2	5	3	1	4	1	2	–	1	–
Duration of marriages where divorce or separation granted											
Under 1 year	6	–	3	6	10	9	2	3	6	9	13
1- 2 years	56	49	80	92	76	92	93	142	100	278	256
2- 5 years	465	454	666	685	815	823	951	1,205	1,230	1,658	1,664
5-10 years	1,180	1,013	1,583	1,308	1,418	1,536	1,801	2,228	2,339	2,596	2,636
10-20 years	1,237	1,045	1,628	1,440	1,581	1,582	1,860	2,382	2,377	2,542	2,754
20 years and over	605	404	801	687	690	747	795	1,146	1,121	1,216	1,339
Actions [8] in which there were:											
Children of marriage	2,842	2,390	3,808	3,379	3,646	3,801	4,284	5,641	5,573	6,377	6,508
No children	859	713	1,150	1,046	1,164	1,244	1,513	1,836	1,977	2,301	2,463

Northern Ireland

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Petitions filed											
Nullity of marriage	7	9	8	5	6	8	6	6	11	9	13
Divorce	262	272	298	397	384	435	494	460	464	572	690
Judicial separation	2	–	1	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–

See footnote on page 92.

Sources: Lord Chancellor's Department; Scottish Courts Administration; High Court of Justice (Northern Ireland)

Sale and supply of intoxicating liquor

Licensed premises and registered clubs

TABLE 3.81

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
England and Wales											
Licences current at 30 June [1]:											
Total	102,134	102,545	103,327	104,268	105,436	106,044	107,536	109,782	111,533	113,954	116,167
On licences	75,544	75,843	76,421	76,834	77,526	77,878	78,728	80,072	80,977	82,310	83,572
Off licences	26,590	26,702	26,906	27,434	27,910	28,166	28,808	29,710	30,556	31,644	32,595
New licences granted during the year ended 30 June [2]:											
Total	2,779	2,530	3,198	3,284	3,755	3,699	4,476	4,981	[6]	5,140	5,177
On licences	1,990	1,673	1,980	1,796	2,117	2,248	2,736	3,002	[6]	2,908	2,956
Off licences	789	857	1,218	1,488	1,638	1,451	1,740	1,979	[6]	2,232	2,221
Registered clubs at 30 June	21,872	22,368	22,705	23,176	23,521	23,985	24,368	24,593	24,665	24,931	25,333
Scotland [3] [4]											
Applications for grant or renewal	10,957	11,006	11,112	11,259	11,641	12,003	12,188	12,600	12,283	12,641	13,385
Certificates granted or renewed:											
Full	10,281	10,524	10,688	10,734	11,046	11,231	11,242	11,634	11,486	11,782	12,333
Partial	80	70	75	63	60	29	41	47	60	61	50
Granted to:											
Hotels	2,319	2,404	2,449	2,509	2,565	2,609	2,646	2,769	2,745	2,755	2,871
Restricted certificate hotels	170	184	212	226	227	250	270	304	319	317	345
Public houses	4,222	4,230	4,198	4,111	4,190	4,176	4,064	4,086	3,923	4,002	4,132
Restaurants	201	221	274	307	358	406	431	501	540	587	670
Off licence premises	3,449	3,555	3,630	3,644	3,766	3,819	3,872	4,021	4,019	4,182	4,365
Registered clubs [5]	1,607	1,686	1,793	1,974	3,100	2,174	2,212	2,279	2,431	3,662	2,600
Northern Ireland											
Licences issued to:											
Retailers: On licences	2,369	2,451	2,372	2,234	2,348	2,336	2,135	2,270	2,277	2,285	2,292
Off licences	164	108	97	99	106	100	100	129	137	164	172
Dealers and manufacturers	183	200	215	228	214	190	183	170	175	193	197
Registered clubs (At 31 December)	173	185	206	228	250	275	296	304	341	381	423

[1] The figures exclude suspended licences and represent premises open for the sale of intoxicating liquor. [2] Excluding provisional grants. [3] In 1974, the figures do not include returns from the Airdrie and Hamilton districts of the county of Lanark. [4] The figures for Scotland for 1975 are based on returns from the new licensing courts set up on 15 May 1975, and do not in all cases include licences applied for and granted prior to that date. [5] Number of applications (including renewals) granted during the year. From 1970 includes clubs registered under the Gaming Act 1968. [6] Owing to the reorganisation of local government boundaries on 1 April 1974, data for these items was not collected in 1974.

Sources: Home Office: Scottish Courts Administration; Northern Ireland Office

Parliamentary elections

TABLE **3.91**

Thousands

	14 Nov 1935	5 July 1945	23 Feb 1950	25 Oct 1951	26 May 1955	8 Oct 1959	15 Oct 1964	31 Mar 1966	18 June 1970 [1]	28 Feb 1974	10 Oct 1974
United Kingdom											
Number of electors	31,374	33,240	34,412	34,919	34,852	35,398	35,894	35,957	39,615	39,755	40,256
Average number of electors per seat	51.0	51.9	55.1	55.9	55.3	56.2	57.0	57.1	62.9	62.6	63.4
Number of votes cast [2]	21,997	25,095	28,771	28,597	26,760	27,863	27,657	27,265	28,345	31,340	29,189
As percentage of electorate	*70.1*	*75.5*	*83.6*	*81.9*	*76.8*	*78.7*	*77.1*	*75.8*	*71.6*	*78.8*	*72.5*
England and Wales											
Number of electors	27,396	28,992	30,177	30,626	30,591	31,109	31,610	31,695	34,931	35,072	35,509
Average number of electors per seat	51.9	52.4	55.1	56.5	55.9	56.9	57.8	57.9	63.9	63.5	64.3
Number of votes cast [2]	19,195	21,950	25,483	25,356	23,570	24,619	24,384	24,116	24,877	27,735	25,729
As percentage of electorate	*70.1*	*75.7*	*84.4*	*82.8*	*77.0*	*79.1*	*77.1*	*76.1*	*71.2*	*79.1*	*72.5*
Scotland											
Number of electors	3,169	3,407	3,370	3,421	3,388	3,414	3,393	3,360	3,659	3,656	3,705
Average number of electors per seat	42.8	46.0	47.5	48.7	47.7	48.1	47.8	47.3	51.5	51.5	52.2
Number of votes cast [2]	2,351	2,423	2,727	2,778	2,543	2,668	2,635	2,553	2,688	2,887	2,758
As percentage of electorate	*74.2*	*71.1*	*80.9*	*81.2*	*75.1*	*78.1*	*77.7*	*76.0*	*73.5*	*79.0*	*74.4*
Northern Ireland											
Number of electors	809	841	865	872	873	875	891	902	1,025	1,027	1,042
Average number of electors per seat	62.2	64.7	72.1	72.7	72.8	72.9	74.2	75.2	85.4	85.6	86.8
Number of votes cast [2]	451	722	561	463	647	576	638	596	779	718	702
As percentage of electorate	*55.7*	*85.9*	*64.9*	*53.1*	*74.1*	*65.8*	*71.6*	*66.1*	*76.0*	*69.9*	*67.4*
Number of Members of Parliament elected:	615	640	625	625	630	630	630	630	630	635	635
Communist	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Conservative	430	212	297	321	344	365	303	253	330	296	276
Labour	158	393	315	295	277	258	317	363	287	301	319
Liberal	21	12	9	6	6	6	9	12	6	14	13
Other [3]	5	21	4	3	3	1	1	2	7	24	27

[1] The Representation of the People Act 1969 lowered the minimum voting age from 21 to 18 years with effect from 16 February 1970.
[2] Number of votes recorded relates only to voting for contested seats. [3] The Speaker is included in Other.

Sources: Home Office; Scottish Office

IV. Justice and Crime

There are differences in the legal and judicial systems of England and Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland which make it impossible to provide tables covering the United Kingdom as a whole in this section. These differences concern the classification of offences, the meaning of certain terms used in the statistics and the effects of the several Criminal Justice Acts.

Until 1969 a table comparing the criminal statistics of England and Wales and Scotland was included each year in the Annual Abstract. This comparison has always been regarded as somewhat hazardous because of the differences already referred to, particularly in the police systems and court procedures. From 1969, any such comparison has been almost totally invalidated as a result of the Theft Act 1968, which came into force for England and Wales on 1 January 1969. The Theft Act re-defined theft and incorporated virtually all offences of dishonesty coming within the definitions of the previous offences of larceny, breaking and entering, robbery, embezzlement and fraudulent conversion. In addition to re-defining existing indictable offences, the Act increased the number of indictable offences by the inclusion of 'taking of a motor vehicle without authority' and certain offences of stealing.

Court proceedings

The statistical basis of the tables of court proceedings is broadly similar in Scotland and in England and Wales; the tables show the number of persons found guilty, recording a person under the heading of the principal offence of which he is found guilty, excluding additional findings of guilt at the same proceedings. A person found guilty at a number of separate court proceedings is included more than once.

Part III of the Social Work (Scotland) Act 1968 came into effect on 15 April 1971 and had a major impact on criminal statistics. The Act makes provision for consequential measures other than criminal proceedings where the alleged offender is a child. There is no direct effect on crimes and offences 'known to the police' or on cases 'cleared up'. However, after the introduction of the new provisions only a minority of children have been prosecuted.

Police Forces: authorised establishment and strength

TABLE 4.1

End of year

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
England and Wales											
Regular police											
Authorised establishment [1]	104,565	107,437	108,145	107,934	108,406	109,095	110,255	112,168	114,637	116,007	116,880
Strength [1]:											
Men	82,457	86,134	86,414	87,342	89,251	91,810	94,279	94,874	96,068	99,923	101,042
Women	3,199	3,526	3,455	3,492	3,593	3,831	4,129	4,337	4,706	5,773	6,997
Seconded [2]:											
Men	916	1,043	970	1,042	1,065	1,174	1,205	1,333	1,263	1,375	1,368
Women						44	58	67	65	67	69
Additional constables [3]:											
Men	316	351	349	342	371	378	330	259	281	300	249
Women	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	5	6
Special constables											
Enrolled strength											
Men	40,241	38,088	35,262	32,404	30,819	28,080	25,602	23,443	22,050	20,743	19,046
Women	1,632	1,839	1,968	1,927	1,994	1,912	1,838	1,889	2,118	2,268	2,370
Scotland											
Regular police [4]											
Authorised establishment:											
Men	10,646	10,690	10,674	10,702	10,716	10,906	11,436	11,690	12,400	12,564	13,163
Women	414	417	417	419	434	453	525	543	577	581	
Strength [5]											
Men	9,729	9,774	9,842	9,852	10,006	10,356	10,733	10,920	11,143	11,656	11,442
Women	367	382	384	385	382	412	453	488	532	676	737
Central service [5] [6]:											
Men	41	44	41	44	45	44	46	47	49	53	55
Women	1	1	1	1	1	2	3	4	3	3	2
Seconded [5] [7]:											
Men	26	19	28	109	135	115	135	125	124	85	99
Women	2	1	1	4	5	4	5	8	5	3	7
Additional regular police											
Authorised establishment [4]	103	99	78	78	78	44	44	44	44	44	157
Strength	100	91	70	71	71	43	44	44	44	44	138
Part-time auxiliaries [8]											
Strength											
Men	5,213	5,029	4,713	4,542	4,363	4,221	4,030	3,909	3,810	3,563	3,266
Women	124	110	116	108	113	123	137	140	153	161	158
Northern Ireland											
Royal Ulster Constabulary											
Strength:											
Men	2,934	2,984	2,981	2,985	3,711	3,961	4,078	4,172	4,283	4,549	4,811
Women	57	59	50	59	98	142	179	219	282	353	442
Royal Ulster Constabulary Reserve											
Strength:											
Men	–	–	–	–	578	1,284	2,134	2,299	3,392	4,089	3,964
Women	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	215	468	730	733
Ulster Special Constabulary											
Strength:											
Whole-time	105	105	97	90	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Part-time [9]	10,777	10,342	8,774	8,100	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

[1] Total of establishments of individual forces plus the Metropolitan Regional Crime Squad and additional constables in the Metropolitan Police. [2] Regional Crime Squads, other inter-force units and officers on central service. [3] Excluding additional constables in the Metropolitan Police Force. [4] From 1976, officers employed at ports, airports and oil related industries are no longer included in 'Regular police' but included in 'Additional regular police'. [5] 'Strength' includes central service and seconded police. [6] Instructors at Training Establishments, etc. formerly shown as secondments. [7] Scottish Crime Squad, Officers on courses, etc. [8] Including special constables (enrolled strength). [9] Including members mobilised for whole-time duty with the Royal Ulster Constabulary.

Sources: Home Office; Scottish Home and Health Department; Northern Ireland Office

Indictable offences recorded as known to the police

TABLE 4.2

England and Wales

Thousands

	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total	1,498.7	1,568.4	1,665.7	1,690.2	1,657.7	1,963.4	2,105.6	2,135.7
Violence against the person	37.8	41.1	47.0	52.4	61.3	63.8	71.0	77.7
Sexual offences	23.5	24.2	23.6	23.5	25.7	24.7	23.7	22.2
Burglary	420.8	431.5	451.5	438.7	393.2	483.8	521.9	515.5
Robbery	6.0	6.3	7.5	8.9	7.3	8.7	11.3	11.6
Theft and handling stolen goods [1]	911.5	952.7	1,003.6	1,009.5	998.8	1,189.9	1,267.7	1,285.7
Fraud and forgery	78.8	89.5	99.8	108.4	110.7	117.2	123.1	119.9
Malicious and criminal damage [2]	14.7	17.9	27.0	41.9	52.8	67.1	78.5	93.0
Other offences	5.5	5.4	5.6	6.9	7.8	8.2	8.4	10.1

[1] Thefts under £5 are included throughout. [2] The figures for criminal damage have been adjusted in 1969, 1970 and 1971 to include offences of malicious damage valued at over £20 but under £100 for comparability with 1972 onwards.

Source: Home Office

Persons found guilty: by offence group

Magistrates' courts and the Crown Court [1]

TABLE 4.3

England and Wales

Thousands

	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Persons of all ages found guilty								
Indictable offences [2]	304.1	322.9	321.8	340.0	337.4	374.9	402.5	415.5
Violence against the person:								
Murder	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Manslaughter	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3
Wounding	19.6	22.0	24.7	26.7	31.2	31.4	34.5	36.5
Other offences of violence against the person	1.1	1.1	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.5
Sexual offences	6.5	6.7	6.8	6.4	7.1	7.2	6.8	6.6
Burglary	66.9	68.0	65.4	60.9	54.4	64.1	69.3	67.8
Robbery	2.5	2.6	3.0	3.4	3.2	2.8	3.5	3.6
Theft and handling stolen goods	186.8	199.2	193.5	189.0	180.9	204.0	218.7	225.9
Fraud and forgery	14.5	15.9	16.6	17.5	16.1	17.7	19.6	21.4
Criminal damage [2]	1.4	1.7	3.9	26.8	33.2	36.2	38.5	40.8
Other indictable offences	4.5	5.4	6.3	7.7	9.5	9.7	9.8	11.0
Non-indictable offences [2]	1,302.7	1,351.1	1,366.1	1,486.2	1,591.2	1,558.7	1,586.2	1,657.1
Assaults	12.0	11.8	11.8	12.2	12.0	11.7	11.8	12.4
Betting and gaming	2.4	1.9	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.7	2.0
Breach of local or other regulations	14.5	14.5	14.5	13.6	14.7	13.4	13.7	16.0
Intoxicating Liquor Laws:								
Drunkenness	77.0	78.7	83.0	88.2	96.8	97.9	99.7	103.2
Other offences	7.8	8.0	9.8	8.0	8.4	10.0	9.9	8.7
Education Acts	3.1	3.1	2.5	2.2	2.3	2.5	3.6	4.0
Game Laws	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.6	1.8	1.8	2.2
Labour Laws	1.6	1.6	1.4	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.0	0.7
Malicious damage [2]	17.9	19.8	19.8	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Offences by prostitutes	2.3	2.3	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.2	3.8
Railway offences	16.7	17.4	15.9	14.3	11.4	12.9	12.9	13.3
Revenue Laws	81.4	91.4	89.3	96.9	93.0	89.7	99.0	111.1
Traffic offences	967.8	991.2	1,010.2	1,113.8	1,214.3	1,194.7	1,205.1	1,253.9
Vagrancy Acts	4.8	5.2	5.6	5.2	4.7	5.0	5.4	5.8
Wireless Telegraphy Acts	37.7	40.3	27.5	47.0	42.7	33.6	33.4	35.1
Other non-indictable offences	54.2	62.6	68.9	77.0	83.1	79.3	83.9	84.8
Persons aged under 17 found guilty [3]								
Indictable offences [2]	72.4	74.4	68.9	76.0	79.1	92.9	91.1	90.7
Violence against the person	2.2	2.8	3.6	4.6	5.3	5.2	5.0	5.3
Sexual offences	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.8	0.8	1.0	0.7
Burglary	25.0	25.9	24.5	23.9	23.4	29.8	30.1	28.4
Robbery	1.3	0.7	0.9	1.3	1.3	1.0	1.0	1.0
Theft and handling stolen goods	41.6	42.6	37.2	36.8	37.5	44.7	43.4	44.6
Fraud and forgery	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.9	1.0	1.0
Criminal damage [2]	0.6	0.7	1.0	7.7	9.7	10.1	9.3	9.4
Other indictable offences	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3
Non-indictable offences [2]	47.5	48.8	49.2	39.5	38.6	35.3	35.7	38.9
Highway Acts and motoring offences:								
Offences with pedal cycles	1.9	1.6	1.7	1.4	1.5	1.3	1.5	2.3
Other	27.4	27.0	25.7	20.6	18.8	17.5	18.9	21.0
Breach of local or other regulations	1.8	1.7	1.5	1.7	1.5	1.1	1.0	1.1
Malicious damage [2]	4.9	5.7	5.7	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1
Railway offences	2.4	2.1	2.6	2.3	2.1	2.5	2.2	1.8
Other non-indictable offences	9.1	10.7	12.0	13.3	14.5	12.7	12.0	12.6

[1] On 1 January 1972 assizes and quarter sessions were replaced by the Crown Court. [2] On 14 October 1971 as a result of the Criminal Damage Act, 1971, most non-indictable offences of malicious damage became indictable offences of criminal damage. [3] Figures for persons aged under 17 are included in the totals for all persons above.

Source: Home Office

Persons cautioned: by offence group

TABLE **4.4**

England and Wales

Thousands

	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Persons of all ages cautioned								
Indictable offences [1]	47.7	55.7	74.4	86.5	90.8	105.1	102.2	97.7
Violence against the person	1.4	1.6	2.3	2.8	3.8	3.5	3.6	4.1
Sexual offences	3.6	3.5	3.9	4.0	4.4	3.9	3.5	3.5
Burglary	7.2	8.4	12.4	12.8	12.3	15.4	14.1	12.0
Robbery	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2
Theft and handling stolen goods	34.2	40.7	53.5	59.9	62.4	73.4	72.0	68.9
Fraud and forgery	0.7	0.8	1.0	1.2	1.1	1.3	1.3	1.3
Criminal damage [1]	0.3	0.3	0.8	5.2	6.2	7.1	7.1	7.3
Other indictable offences	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Non-indictable offences [1]	26.5	29.8	34.6	33.7	33.1	31.4	34.1	37.7
Assaults	—	—	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Betting and gaming	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Breach of local or other regulations	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.2	1.1	1.2
Intoxicating Liquor Laws:								
Drunkenness	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Other Offences	1.2	1.4	1.8	1.8	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.4
Education Acts	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Game Laws	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2
Labour Laws	0.1	—	0.1	0.1	—	0.1	0.1	—
Malicious damage [1]	2.0	2.4	2.9	—	—	—	—	—
Offences by prostitutes	3.7	4.2	4.2	4.1	3.4	3.4	3.7	4.1
Railway offences	—	—	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2
Revenue Laws	1.4	1.3	1.6	2.1	2.2	1.9	2.6	2.6
Traffic offences	6.1	6.1	6.7	6.8	6.4	6.1	7.6	9.5
Vagrancy Acts	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3
Wireless Telegraphy Acts	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other non-indictable offences	10.3	12.4	15.1	16.4	16.5	15.4	15.6	16.4
Persons aged under 17 cautioned [2]								
Indictable offences [1]	37.0	44.5	61.9	72.8	77.3	91.6	88.3	82.9
Violence against the person	0.7	0.8	1.4	1.7	2.3	2.1	2.2	2.5
Sexual offences	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.6	2.0	1.8	1.5	1.6
Burglary	6.9	8.1	12.0	12.4	11.9	15.0	13.7	11.6
Robbery	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2
Theft and handling stolen goods	27.4	33.5	45.4	51.3	54.5	65.1	63.3	59.6
Fraud and forgery	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.6	0.8	0.8	0.8
Criminal damage [1]	0.3	0.3	0.7	4.7	5.6	6.5	6.5	6.5
Other indictable offences	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Non-indictable offences [1]	8.0	9.0	11.1	9.3	9.9	9.6	10.1	12.2
Highway Acts offences:								
Offences with pedal cycles	2.2	2.3	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.3	2.8	4.4
Other	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.8
Breach of local or other regulations	0.5	0.5	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.7
Malicious damage [1]	1.7	2.1	2.5	—	—	—	—	—
Railway offences	—	—	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2
Other non-indictable offences	2.9	3.4	4.4	5.1	5.8	5.7	5.8	6.1

[1] On 14 October 1971, as a result of the Criminal Damage Act 1971, most non-indictable offences of malicious damage became indictable offences of criminal damage. [2] Figures for persons aged under 17 are included in the figures for all persons above.

Source: Home Office

Persons found guilty of offences: by sex and age

Magistrates' courts and the Crown Court [1]

England and Wales

TABLE 4.5

Thousands

	1969	1970	1971 [2]	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Males								
Indictable offences:								
All ages	264.5	280.2	277.3	293.4	292.3	321.6	342.1	350.2
Under 14 years	22.2	21.4	18.0	19.3	19.8	23.0	21.4	20.1
14 and under 17 years	42.8	45.2	44.1	49.8	52.1	60.9	60.2	60.7
17 and under 21 years	65.9	69.6	71.2	75.0	75.9	82.4	90.6	91.6
21 years and over	133.6	144.0	144.0	149.3	144.5	155.3	169.9	177.8
Non-indictable offences:								
All ages	1,203.7	1,244.8	1,260.7	1,367.9	1,465.4	1,437.2	1,456.8	1,516.6
Under 14 years	4.3	4.4	4.4	2.7	3.1	2.9	2.7	2.8
14 and under 17 years	41.0	42.1	42.3	34.6	33.3	30.1	30.7	33.7
17 and under 21 years	164.7	165.6	168.2	166.8	173.5	169.1	174.3	187.5
21 years and over	993.7	1,032.7	1,045.8	1,163.8	1,255.5	1,235.1	1,249.1	1,292.6
Females								
Indictable offences:								
All ages	39.6	42.7	44.5	46.6	45.2	53.4	60.4	65.2
Under 14 years	2.5	2.5	1.7	1.9	1.9	2.4	2.4	2.4
14 and under 17 years	5.0	5.3	5.1	5.0	5.3	6.7	7.2	7.4
17 and under 21 years	6.4	7.3	8.1	8.4	8.4	9.9	11.2	11.6
21 years and over	25.7	27.6	29.6	31.3	29.6	34.4	39.6	43.8
Non-indictable offences:								
All ages	98.9	106.3	105.5	118.3	125.8	121.5	129.5	140.5
Under 14 years	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
14 and under 17 years	1.9	2.1	2.3	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.3
17 and under 21 years	7.9	8.3	8.9	9.3	9.8	9.7	10.2	11.6
21 years and over	88.9	95.7	94.1	106.8	113.7	109.5	117.0	126.4
Companies, etc. [3]								
Indictable offences:								0.03
Non-indictable offences:								20.7

[1] On 1 January 1972 assizes and quarter sessions were replaced by the Crown Court. [2] On 14 October 1971 as a result of the Criminal Damage Act, 1971, most non-indictable offences of malicious damage became indictable offences of criminal damage. [3] Figures for companies, etc. were included in the totals for males prior to 1976.

Source: Home Office

Persons cautioned by the police: by sex and age

TABLE **4.6**

England and Wales

Thousands

	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Males								
Indictable offences								
All ages	37.6	43.5	57.7	65.8	69.3	79.3	76.3	72.6
Under 14 years	18.5	21.8	28.5	33.0	34.5	39.3	37.0	34.9
14 and under 17 years	12.0	14.4	20.7	23.8	25.7	31.2	30.2	28.5
17 and under 21 years	3.2	3.3	3.7	3.7	3.9	3.5	3.5	3.3
21 years and over	3.9	4.0	4.8	5.3	5.2	5.3	5.6	5.9
Non-indictable offences								
All ages	19.8	22.6	27.0	25.9	25.8	24.5	26.7	29.3
Under 14 years	2.8	3.0	3.7	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.7	3.2
14 and under 17 years	4.6	5.3	6.4	5.9	6.4	6.2	6.5	7.9
17 and under 21 years	1.9	2.1	2.4	2.2	2.2	2.0	2.2	2.8
21 years and over	10.5	12.2	14.5	15.4	14.7	13.8	15.3	15.4
Females								
Indictable offences								
All ages	10.0	12.2	16.7	20.6	21.5	25.8	25.9	25.3
Under 14 years	3.7	4.8	6.9	9.0	9.8	11.9	11.7	10.5
14 and under 17 years	2.8	3.5	5.8	7.0	7.3	9.2	9.3	9.0
17 and under 21 years	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7
21 years and over	3.0	3.3	3.5	4.0	3.8	4.0	4.2	4.8
Non-indictable offences								
All ages	6.7	7.1	7.6	7.7	7.3	6.9	7.4	8.3
Under 14 years	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
14 and under 17 years	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8
17 and under 21 years	1.5	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.8	2.1
21 years and over	4.6	4.7	5.0	5.0	4.6	4.3	4.7	5.2
Companies, etc. [1]								
Indictable offences	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	—
Non-indictable offences	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	0.1

[1] Figures for companies, etc. were included in the totals for males prior to 1976.

Source: Home Office

Sentence or order of persons sentenced for indictable offences: by sex[1]

Magistrates' courts and the Crown Court[2]

TABLE 4.7

England and Wales

Percentages

	1969	1970	1971[3]	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Sentence or order								
Males								
Total number (thousands) = 100%	265.7	281.8	279.0	294.4	293.4	323.7	342.1	349.7
Absolute discharge	1.1	0.9	0.9	1.0	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.7
Conditional discharge	11.2	10.4	10.4	10.6	10.6	11.1	11.3	11.4
Probation order	13.4	12.3	6.9	6.7	5.9	5.5	5.2	4.7
Supervision order	—	—	4.9	4.6	4.8	5.0	4.3	3.9
Fine	44.4	45.5	46.9	48.7	51.4	51.3	50.9	49.9
Attendance centre order	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.2	2.3	2.5	2.4	2.5
Detention centre order	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.6	2.7	2.9	2.9
Care order	—	—	2.1	1.9	2.0	2.0	1.8	1.5
Borstal training	2.3	2.6	2.6	2.4	2.2	2.4	2.3	2.3
Suspended sentence	9.1	8.9	8.2	7.9	6.6	6.8	7.3	7.4
Imprisonment (immediate)	10.3	11.0	10.8	9.8	8.8	8.3	8.9	9.5
Other sentence or order[4]	3.3	3.4	1.4	1.3	1.9	1.5	1.9	3.3
Females								
Total number (thousands) = 100%	39.6	42.7	44.6	46.7	45.2	53.4	60.3	65.2
Absolute discharge	1.7	1.5	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.1
Conditional discharge	21.4	20.0	20.2	19.4	19.5	20.0	21.0	21.5
Probation order	21.5	20.1	14.9	14.6	14.1	13.5	12.3	11.6
Supervision order	—	—	4.3	4.3	4.5	4.7	4.3	3.7
Fine	47.3	49.6	50.7	51.9	51.5	52.3	52.2	52.4
Attendance centre order	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Detention centre order	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Care order	—	—	1.4	1.4	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.4
Borstal training	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.5
Suspended sentence	3.9	4.2	3.8	4.0	3.6	3.5	3.6	4.3
Imprisonment (immediate)	1.7	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.7	1.9	2.1
Other sentence or order[4]	2.0	2.1	0.7	0.7	1.3	0.9	1.1	1.4

[1] Those committed for sentence include some convicted of non-indictable offences. Some people (having been convicted of more than one offence) may appear both among those found guilty and among those sentenced after committal. [2] On 1 January 1972, assizes and quarter sessions were replaced by the Crown Court. [3] On 14 October 1971, as a result of the Criminal Damage Act, 1971, most non-indictable offences of malicious damage became indictable offences of criminal damage. [4] Includes Community Service Orders introduced in 1973.

Source: Home Office

Receptions into prison [1] : by number of previous custodial sentences

England and Wales

TABLE 4.8

Number of receptions

	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
Number of previous custodial sentences [2] :											
Males: Total	32,030	35,632	33,779	26,384	29,669	33,672	32,001	29,845	26,071	27,138	30,664
None	8,744	10,196	9,330	5,058	6,865	7,195	7,895	7,267	6,102	5,888	7,097
1 sentence	5,065	5,634	5,320	3,726	4,382	4,424	4,867	4,642	3,786	4,030	4,090
2 sentences	4,020	4,390	4,080	3,250	3,800	3,859	4,261	3,967	3,292	3,369	3,495
3 sentences	3,037	3,410	3,262	2,917	3,070	3,069	3,215	2,998	2,570	2,551	2,828
4–5 sentences	4,077	4,637	4,456	4,052	4,276	3,870	3,844	3,545	3,129	3,144	3,928
6–10 sentences	4,097	4,706	4,723	4,347	4,405	3,844	3,599	3,363	2,817	2,937	3,718
11 or more sentences	1,894	2,232	2,291	2,273	2,414	1,746	1,748	1,710	1,573	1,582	1,868
Previous conviction information not available	1,096	427	317	761	457	5,665	2,572	2,353	2,802	3,637	3,640
Females: Total	1,380	1,516	1,340	916	1,037	1,220	1,222	1,201	1,136	1,112	1,351
None	608	524	590	313	441	385	500	508	344	297	539
1 sentence	172	209	230	145	171	172	178	141	113	108	132
2 sentences	108	109	143	113	104	72	98	85	71	52	69
3 sentences	67	59	78	54	70	46	51	46	36	31	31
4–5 sentences	86	82	82	79	66	64	58	44	32	37	41
6–10 sentences	76	72	75	67	57	34	41	27	21	23	27
11 or more sentences	52	39	94	73	49	17	20	17	11	6	12
Previous conviction information not available	211	422	48	72	79	430	276	333	508	558	500

[1] Receptions into Prison Department custody under sentence of imprisonment without the option of a fine. [2] Sentences to Imprisonment, Borstal Training, Detention Centre or (before 1971) Approved School.

Source: Home Office

Receptions and average population in custody

TABLE 4.9

England and Wales

Number

	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
Receptions:											
Type of inmate											
Untried	28,621	29,313	36,640	37,177	40,258	43,042	47,731	44,501	46,144	51,422	52,967
Convicted, unsentenced	21,444	24,459	24,818	22,453	25,865	27,671	27,729	23,917	23,770	23,683	24,936
Remanded for medical examination [1]	4,003	3,562	3,622	3,326	4,019	4,183	4,022	3,217	2,959	2,782	3,210
Others	17,441	20,897	21,196	19,127	21,846	23,488	23,707	20,700	20,811	20,901	21,726
Sentenced	56,516	62,526	60,982	49,258	54,823	62,020	60,429	57,739	51,777	56,478	64,313
Immediate Imprisonment											
Up to 18 months [2]	33,611	37,321	35,487	27,655	31,042	35,278	25,625	23,143	19,642	20,677	23,387
Over 18 months up to 4 years							6,509	6,766	6,391	6.440	7,344
Over 4 years (including life)							1,120	1,152	1,174	1,133	1,287
Imprisoned in default of payment of a fine	12,030	12,884	13,115	8,720	9,382	10,122	10,871	10,980	10,406	12,622	14,417
Borstal training	4,048	5,061	5,160	5,154	6,043	7,476	7,158	6,491	6,054	6,455	7,675
Detention centre	6,827	7,260	7,220	7,729	8,356	9,144	9,146	9,207	8,110	9,151	10,203
Non-criminal prisoners	7,997	7,728	7,853	7,148	7,532	8,263	6 596	5,739	5,550	4,812	5,423
Immigration Act 1971							. .	. .	1,521	846	715
Others [3]	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	4,029	3 966	4,708
Average daily population											
Grand Total	30,421	33,046	35,009	32,461	34,667	39,028	39,708	38,328	36,774	36,867	39,820
Untried	1,399	1,600	1,586	1,750	2,225	2,671	2,749	2,858	2,792	3,213	3,573
Convicted, unsentenced	1,176	1,458	1,480	1,405	1,656	1,867	1,847	1,839	1,821	1,868	2,036
Remanded for medical examination [1]	206	209	206	185	221	242	238	198	196	181	224
Others	970	1,249	1,274	1,220	1,435	1,625	1,609	1,641	1,625	1,687	1,812
Sentenced	27,384	29,487	31,490	28,829	30,301	33,910	34,576	33,134	31,665	31,396	33,733
Imprisonment											
Up to 18 months [2] . . .[4]	9,493	10,522	12,418	9,941	10,787	12,009	12,173	11,334	10,235	9,873	11,164
Over 18 months up to 4 years [5]	6,867	7,371	6,488	6,178	6,611	7,799	8,213	10,100	9,986	9,564	9,816
Over 4 years (including life) [6]	4,346	4,407	4,921	5,306	5,406	5,862	6,389	4,453	4,610	4,837	4,897
Borstal Training	5,156	5,560	6,055	5,826	5,935	6,478	6,071	5,509	5,307	5,409	6,006
Detention Centre	1,522	1,627	1,608	1,578	1,562	1,762	1,730	1,738	1,527	1,713	1,850
Non-criminal prisoners	462	501	453	477	485	580	536	497	496	390	478
Immigration Act 1971							. .	. .	160	77	96
Others [3]	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	336	313	382

[1] Under Sec 26, Magistrates Court Act 1932. [2] Including persons awaiting removal to Approved Schools (up to 1970). [3] Mainly persons failing to comply with money orders. [4] 1965–1971: Less than 18 months. [5] 1965–1971: 18 months or over, up to 3 years. [6] 1965–1971: Over 3 years.

Source: Home Office

Prison population serving sentences: analysis by age and offence

TABLE **4.10**

At 30 June 1975

	Total	Age in years							
		14–16	17–20	21–24	25–29	30–39	40–49	50–59	60 and over
Offence									
Males									
Total	33,421	1,588	8,130	6,625	6,157	6,462	2,955	1,190	314
Violence against the person	5,436	119	1,148	1,193	1,160	1,174	462	146	34
Sexual offences	1,561	15	194	216	231	419	290	147	49
Burglary	9,511	784	2,871	1,939	1,672	1,465	542	204	34
Robbery	1,936	45	473	405	430	422	138	22	1
Theft, handling, fraud and forgery	10,795	521	2,611	1,993	1,823	2,127	1,092	499	129
Other offences	3,432	55	615	721	722	754	373	152	40
Courts martial prisoners	4	–	2	–	2	–	–	–	–
Offence not known	746	49	216	158	117	101	58	20	27
Females									
Total	958	35	257	180	162	177	98	40	9
Violence against the person	166	6	45	43	24	24	13	9	2
Sexual offences	6	–	–	1	–	4	1	–	–
Burglary	104	10	50	16	12	10	5	–	1
Robbery	32	4	7	5	8	5	3	–	–
Theft, handling, fraud and forgery	472	11	114	77	85	96	59	25	5
Other offences	178	4	41	38	33	38	17	6	1
Courts martial prisoners	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

Source: Home Office

Expenditure on prisons

England and Wales

TABLE **4.11**

Years ended 31 March

£ thousand

	1964/65	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74 [1]
Current expenditure										
Total gross current expenditure	25,567	29,342	31,450	36,549	42,533	49,126	58,589	73,394	80,813	92,256
Central charges and cost of staff in establishments	16,756	19,889	21,466	25,394	30,324	35,361	41,833	51,406	57,823	65,498
Inmate maintenance	3,230	3,339	3,657	3,932	4,163	4,853	5,505	6,766	6,909	8,522
Materials, etc., for production and training	1,979	2,212	2,627	2,888	3,118	3,217	4,158	5,601	5,408	6,216
Building maintenance, etc	1,302	1,429	1,413	1,657	1,842	2,087	2,583	3,568	4,061	4,498
Miscellaneous	2,300	2,473	2,287	2,678	3,086	3,608	4,510	6,053	6,612	7,522
Current receipts										
Proceeds from sale of manufactures, surplus stocks, etc	2,066	2,391	2,888	3,217	3,536	3,740	4,332	5,899	6,689	7,160
Total net current expenditure	23,501	26,951	28,562	33,332	38,997	45,386	54,257	67,495	74,124	85,096
Capital expenditure										
New buildings, plant, etc	5,256	4,439	4,386	5,543	7,088	8,738	8,291	10,730	14,326	18,675
Total net expenditure	28,757	31,390	32,948	38,875	46,085	54,124	62,548	78,225	88,450	103,771

[1] In 1974 the basis for accounting for expenditure on prisons changed, with the result that a comparable analysis can not be given for the financial year 1974/75. To facilitate some comparison, the analyses for the years 1971/72, 1972/73 and 1973/74 given below have been reworked to correspond with the analysis for 1974/75. In 1974 it was decided that an amount would be included for Home Office administration; figures for previous years are not available.

Years ended 31 March

£ thousand

	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76
Current expenditure					
Total gross current expenditure	69,826	76,752	87,758	126,160	174,087
Central charges and cost of staff in establishments	52,017	58,556	66,490	88,684	124,924
General supplies and operations	9,487	9,797	11,869	16,191	21,574
Prison industries	5,601	5,408	6,216	9,387	10,695
Prisoners' welfare	1,833	2,058	2,215	4,027	6,177
Prisoners' earnings	888	933	968	1,180	1,671
Home Office administration	–	–	–	6,691	9,046
Current receipts					
Proceeds from sale of manufactures, surplus stocks, etc.	5,899	6,689	7,160	8,753	10,480
Total net current expenditure	63,927	70,063	80,598	117,407	163,607
Capital expenditure					
New buildings, plant, etc	10,730	14,326	18,675	22,013	31,791
Maintenance, repairs, rentals, etc	3,568	4,061	4,498	5,322	7,449
Total capital expenditure	14,298	18,387	23,173	27,335	39,240
Total net expenditure	78,225	88,450	103,771	144,742	202,847

Source: Home Office

Crimes and offences known to police, proceedings taken and results of proceedings [1]

TABLE **4.21**

Scotland

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971 [2]	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Crimes											
Crimes made known to police [3]	147,749	153,213	152,242	155,970	167,223	180,723	178,384	168,015	192,233	232,482	264,615
Persons proceeded against ...	37,550	39,005	39,096	41,775	45,697	39,695	33,919	32,641	35,823	38,584	40,600
Disposed of summarily ...	34,841	36,112	36,439	39,132	42,686	36,555	30,967	30,092	33,032	35,481	37,351
Disposed of after full committal	2,709	2,893	2,657	2,643	3,011	3,140	2,952	2,549	2,791	3,103	3,249
Results of proceedings:											
Charge proved without conviction or finding of guilt	5,281	5,221	4,902	5,196	5,454	3,570	2,188	2,004	1,996	1,912	1,864
Convicted or found guilty .	29,053	30,671	31,183	33,305	36,566	32,536	28,977	27,456	30,365	32,837	34,624
Sentenced to:											
Imprisonment	4,204	4,396	4,383	4,429	5,002	5,347	4,902	3,802	4,229	4,371	4,292
Young offenders' institutions	816	921	1,062	1,201	1,326	1,424	1,400	1,117	1,175	1,256	1,210
Borstal training	588	543	682	606	695	757	697	527	554	656	671
Fined	15,868	17,133	17,655	18,561	19,714	17,711	17,272	17,376	19,428	21,483	22,948
Committed to approved schools	974	932	1,016	974	1,012	368	–	–	–	–	–
Admonished, placed on probation or otherwise disposed of	6,603	6,746	6,385	7,534	8,817	6,929	4,706	4,634	4,979	5,071	5,503
Miscellaneous offences											
Miscellaneous offences made known to police	241,511	249,217	244,151	254,128	263,813	286,304	302,843	337,684	346,558	344,354	336,651
Persons proceeded against	168,566	176,247	166,376	173,006	177,068	185,591	181,779	202,160	205,323	198,663	183,646
Disposed of summarily ...	168,039	175,715	166,054	172,734	176,779	185,218	181,480	201,769	204,957	198,173	183,134
Disposed of after full committal	527	532	322	272	289	373	299	391	366	490	512
Results of proceedings:											
Charge proved without conviction or finding of guilt	2,533	2,701	2,632	2,642	2,797	2,408	2,243	2,450	2,351	2,282	2,175
Convicted or found guilty .	153,778	162,287	153,108	160,035	164,528	173,205	170,540	187,878	109,190	182,980	168,740
Sentenced to:											
Imprisonment	2,872	2,877	3,423	3,569	3,755	3,856	3,372	3,101	3,367	2,900	2,473
Young offenders' institutions	286	403	480	493	571	615	669	672	655	676	522
Borstal training	163	146	181	155	207	216	196	238	245	225	235
Fined	136,716	144,696	134,785	141,190	145,252	152,858	150,687	166,740	167,802	161,151	147,711
Committed to approved schools	108	103	195	153	160	54	–	–	–	–	–
Admonished, placed on probation or otherwise disposed of	13,633	14,062	14,044	14,475	14,583	15,606	15,616	17,127	18,121	18,028	17,799

Note: This table has been adjusted to show separately the number of persons sentenced to detention in a young offenders' institution. In terms of Section 2 of the Criminal Justice (Scotland) Act 1963, the first of this new type of establishment was opened in January 1965 to accept persons aged over 17 but under 21 years of age who would otherwise have been sentenced to imprisonment. The small number of persons sentenced to preventive detention and corrective training, sentences which in practice are no longer imposed by Scottish courts, have been included with 'otherwise disposed of'.

[1] See notes on page 96. [2] There is a break in comparability in proceedings at 1971. See notes on page 96. [3] Due to change in recording practice, the figure for 1975 and subsequent figures are not comparable with previous years; for such comparison the 1975 figure is 212,540.

Source: Scottish Home and Health Department

Persons convicted or found guilty: analysis by type of crime or offence

TABLE **4.22**

Scotland

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971 [1]	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
All crimes and offences	182,831	192,958	184,291	193,340	201,094	205,741	199,519	215,334	220,555	215,817	203,386
Crimes	29,053	30,671	31,183	33,305	36,566	32,536	28,979	27,456	30,365	32,837	34,645
Fraud and false pretences[2]	1,232	1,220	1,130	1,284	1,369	1,503	1,757	1,858	2,087	2,403	2,885
Housebreaking	8,669	9,176	9,016	9,628	10,938	9,125	7,193	5,800	6,481	7,011	7,341
Malicious injuries to property	394	405	390	583	625	546	480	723	937	978	1,166
Reset (Receiving)	747	766	685	770	892	886	816	675	789	749	826
Sexual offences[3]	686	798	891	855	845	786	754	757	731	731	636
Theft[4]	14,255	14,992	15,491	16,738	18,118	15,504	13,723	13,165	15,022	16,715	17,935
Violence against the person:											
Total	2,187	2,284	2,405	2,106	2,094	2,239	2,341	2,542	2,437	2,325	2,302
Murder	23	26	25	22	25	40	33	33	35	37	41
Culpable homicide	28	27	19	36	42	14	31	37	34	26	42
Assaults	977	1,136	1,141	951	910	1,044	1,114	1,041	964	997	945
Other crimes against the person	1,159	1,095	1,220	1,097	1,117	1,141	1,163	1,431	1,404	1,265	1,274
Other crimes	883	1,030	1,175	1,341	1,685	1,947	1,915	1,936	1,881	1,925	1,554
Miscellaneous offences	153,778	162,287	153,108	160,035	164,528	173,205	170,540	187,878	190,190	182,980	168,741
Betting and gaming	208	154	137	168	150	114	67	99	73	94	124
Breach of the peace	32,480	34,350	36,954	37,276	39,421	38,388	38,745	45,177	47,064	46,020	44,131
Intoxicating Liquor Laws:											
Drunkenness[5]	10,620	10,490	10,937	10,327	10,594	10,898	11,664	13,516	14,683	14,999	14,156
Other offences	950	1,008	1,266	1,376	1,373	1,557	1,569	1,817	1,930	1,457	1,232
Education Acts	1,783	1,545	1,291	1,151	1,358	1,328	1,091	1,302	1,521	943	790
Game Laws	237	252	204	189	183	158	199	203	213	171	187
Labour Laws	655	1,038	348	204	343	349	424	267	194	196	172
Malicious mischief	2,024	2,192	2,198	2,266	2,228	1,888	1,849	2,147	2,295	2,042	1,812
Police Regulations	8,055	8,121	8,165	7,791	8,573	8,066	7,200	7,237	6,136	5,783	6,314
Prostitution	383	356	311	314	345	407	385	327	277	267	304
Railway offences	345	262	239	266	206	134	68	109	104	138	394
Revenue Laws	2,758	3,242	4,017	5,750	5,230	5,819	4,803	4,419	4,304	3,657	3,859
Road Acts[6] [7] [8]	79,911	85,521	73,634	76,666	76,140	84,022	81,233	88,869	88,967	86,590	75,431
Motor vehicle–drunk offences	5,007	5,375	5,608	7,044	8,422	9,799	10,170	11,580	12,216	11,706	9,644
Vagrancy Acts	660	768	795	789	770	873	838	803	875	796	916
Other offences	7,702	7,613	7,004	8,458	9,192	9,405	10,235	10,006	9,338	8,121	9,275

[1] There is a break in comparability at 1971, see notes on page 92. [2] Including offences in connection with bankruptcy. [3] Including indecent exposure. [4] Including embezzlement. [5] Including 'drunk and incapable' and 'drunk and disorderly' but excluding 'drunk in charge' under the Road Traffic Act. [6] Including Motor vehicle parking offences. [7] Including cases of 'furious and reckless driving'. [8] Excluding Motor vehicle – drunk offences.

Source: Scottish Home and Health Department

Disposal of persons aged 17 or over sentenced for crimes

TABLE 4.23

Scotland

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
	Number									
Sentence or order										
Total against whom charge proved	23,698	24,264	25,193	27,986	27,686	27,117	25,129	27,725	30,107	31,883
Absolute discharge	194	196	183	206	249	256	232	233	210	212
Admonished	1,889	1,679	1,935	2,337	2,435	2,535	2,447	2,696	2,786	3,286
Probation	1,424	1,341	1,378	1,482	1,532	1,451	1,331	1,281	1,266	1,269
Fine	13,869	14,537	15,100	16,355	15,644	15,609	15,504	17,338	19,274	20,769
Detention centre	470	507	455	531	502	464	349	384	428	381
Borstal training	416	439	416	486	503	485	334	361	427	413
Young offenders' Institution	907	1,049	1,173	1,327	1,460	1,278	1,017	1,081	1,170	1,112
Imprisonment	4,396	4,384	4,427	5,120	5,196	4,902	3,802	4,229	4,371	4,292
Otherwise dealt with	133	132	126	142	165	137	113	122	175	149
	Percentage									
Sentence or order										
Total against whom charge proved	*100.0*	*100.0*	*100.0*	*100.0*	*100.0*	*100.0*	*100.0*	*100.0*	*100.0*	*100.0*
Absolute discharge	*0.8*	*0.8*	*0.7*	*0.7*	*0.9*	*0.9*	*0.9*	*0.8*	*0.7*	*0.7*
Admonished	*8.0*	*6.9*	*7.7*	*8.4*	*8.8*	*9.3*	*9.8*	*9.7*	*9.3*	*10.3*
Probation	*6.0*	*5.5*	*5.5*	*5.3*	*5.5*	*5.4*	*5.3*	*4.6*	*4.2*	*4.0*
Fine	*58.5*	*59.9*	*59.9*	*58.4*	*56.5*	*57.6*	*61.7*	*62.5*	*64.0*	*65.1*
Detention centre	*2.0*	*2.1*	*1.8*	*1.9*	*1.8*	*1.7*	*1.4*	*1.4*	*1.4*	*1.2*
Borstal training	*1.8*	*1.8*	*1.7*	*1.7*	*1.8*	*1.8*	*1.3*	*1.3*	*1.4*	*1.3*
Young offenders' Institution	*3.8*	*4.3*	*4.7*	*4.7*	*5.3*	*4.7*	*4.0*	*3.9*	*3.9*	*3.5*
Imprisonment	*18.5*	*18.1*	*17.6*	*18.3*	*18.8*	*18.1*	*15.1*	*15.3*	*14.5*	*13.5*
Otherwise dealt with	*0.6*	*0.5*	*0.5*	*0.5*	*0.6*	*0.5*	*0.5*	*0.4*	*0.6*	*0.4*

Source: Scottish Home and Health Department

Persons convicted or found guilty of crimes and offences: analysis by sex and age

TABLE **4.24**

Scotland

Thousands

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Males											
All crimes and offences											
Total 17 and over	150.9	159.6	152.5	158.4	163.4	173.5	170.5	183.2	188.1	183.2	172.2
17 and under 21 years	33.1	34.6	34.8	34.6	35.9	36.4	35.7	39.1	40.8	41.3	41.2
21 and under 30 years	43.3	46.5	45.4	47.5	49.2	52.2	51.4	54.6	55.4	53.7	50.4
30 years and over	74.5	78.5	72.3	76.3	78.3	84.9	83.4	89.4	91.9	88.3	80.6
Crimes											
Total 17 and over	18.4	19.8	20.6	21.0	23.2	22.7	22.1	20.2	22.5	24.1	25.7
17 and under 21 years	5.8	6.2	6.5	6.7	7.6	7.3	7.2	6.7	7.5	8.2	8.8
21 and under 30 years	6.1	6.7	7.0	7.1	8.1	7.8	7.5	6.8	7.3	7.9	8.1
30 years and over	6.5	6.9	7.1	7.2	7.5	7.6	7.4	6.7	7.6	8.0	8.8
Miscellaneous offences											
Total 17 and over	132.5	139.8	131.9	137.4	140.2	150.7	148.4	162.9	165.7	159.2	146.5
17 and under 21 years	27.3	28.4	28.3	27.9	28.3	29.0	28.4	32.4	33.3	33.0	32.4
21 and under 30 years	37.7	39.8	38.4	40.4	40.0	44.5	43.9	47.8	48.0	45.8	42.3
30 years and over	67.5	71.6	65.2	69.1	71.9	77.2	76.1	82.6	84.3	80.3	71.8
Females											
All crimes and offences											
Total 17 and over	13.2	14.0	12.7	14.6	15.5	17.3	18.0	19.5	19.9	21.0	19.8
17 and under 21 years	1.6	1.8	1.7	1.8	2.1	2.3	2.2	2.7	3.0	3.1	2.9
21 and under 30 years	3.2	3.3	3.0	3.5	3.7	4.2	4.7	4.9	4.8	5.2	5.2
30 years and over	8.4	8.9	8.0	9.3	9.7	10.8	11.1	11.9	12.1	12.8	11.7
Crimes											
Total 17 and over	2.2	2.4	2.2	2.7	2.9	3.2	3.4	3.4	3.8	4.6	4.8
17 and under 21 years	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.7	0.8	0.9	0.8
21 and under 30 years	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.7	1.0	0.9	0.9	1.2	1.3
30 years and over	1.3	1.4	1.1	1.5	1.7	1.9	1.9	1.8	2.1	2.5	2.7
Miscellaneous offences											
Total 17 and over	11.0	11.6	10.5	11.9	12.6	14.1	14.6	16.1	16.0	16.4	15.0
17 and under 21 years	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.5	1.7	1.7	2.0	2.2	2.2	2.1
21 and under 30 years	2.7	2.8	2.4	2.7	3.1	3.4	3.7	4.0	3.9	4.0	3.9
30 years and over	7.1	7.5	6.9	7.9	8.0	9.0	9.2	10.1	10.0	10.2	9.0

Source: Scottish Home and Health Department

Convicted persons with previous sentences

TABLE **4.25**

Scotland

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Convicted persons admitted to prison [1]:											
Total	15,383	17,755	19,201	19,620	20,351	22,025	21,139	18,419	19,353	19,674	18,106
Males	14,733	17,020	18,484	18,786	19,573	21,194	20,167	17,660	18,544	18,773	17,197
Females	650	735	717	834	778	831	972	759	809	901	909
Number admitted with known previous sentences of imprisonment:											
Total	8,652	9,971	9,989	9,642	10,343	11,470	11,660	10,445	10,506	10,243	9,364
1 sentence	2,036	2,510	2,420	2,406	2.598	2,991	2,999	2,482	2,250	2,216	1,932
2 sentences	1,171	1,449	1,507	1,417	1,593	1,825	1,878	1,510	1,447	1,450	1,336
3 sentences	878	1,046	1,066	1,059	1,209	1,290	1,306	1,171	1,155	1,135	991
4-10 sentences	3,233	3,682	3,665	3,457	3,545	3,744	3,834	3,695	4,055	3,850	3,626
Over 10 sentences	1,334	1,284	1,331	1,303	1,398	1,620	1,643	1,587	1,599	1,592	1,479
Males	8,366	9,582	9,722	9,304	9,950	11,066	11,198	10,091	10,128	9,895	8,981
1 sentence	1,951	2,412	2,353	2,320	2,521	2,892	2,853	2,383	2,179	2,127	1,839
2 sentences	1,140	1,389	1,463	1,379	1,537	1,776	1,828	1,466	1,379	1,399	1,287
3 sentences	853	1,012	1,040	1,016	1,172	1,262	1,270	1,132	1,120	1,105	953
4-10 sentences	3,140	3,580	3,600	3,377	3,419	3,659	3,726	3,612	3,964	3,768	3,512
Over 10 sentences	1,282	1,189	1,266	1,212	1,301	1,477	1,521	1,498	1,486	1,496	1,390
Females	286	389	267	338	393	404	462	354	378	348	383
1 sentence	85	98	67	86	77	99	146	99	71	89	93
2 sentences	31	60	44	38	56	49	50	44	68	51	49
3 sentences	25	34	26	43	37	28	36	39	35	30	38
4-10 sentences	93	102	65	80	126	85	108	83	91	82	114
Over 10 sentences	52	95	65	91	97	143	122	89	113	96	89

[1] Including borstal institutions, detention centres and young offenders' institutions.

Source: Scottish Home and Health Department

Prisons, young offenders' and borstal institutions: receptions and average population

Scotland

TABLE 4.26

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976 [4]
Receptions under sentence											
Imprisonment[1] :											
Total	11,949	13,937	14,718	14,828	15,340	16,374	15,624	13,591	14,523	14,360	13,275
Under 3 years	11,793	13,769	14,497	14,621	15,157	16,132	15,429	13,403	14,338	14,091	13,010
3 years and over	156	168	221	207	183	242	195	188	185	269	265
Detention in young offenders' institution[2] [3]	1,981	2,397	2,793	2,918	2,954	3,474	3,493	3,026	3,152	3,433	3,164
Corrective training	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Preventive detention	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Borstal training	738	699	864	761	917	978	903	794	708	828	810
Detention centre	723	735	830	1,103	1,132	1,171	1,083	975	963	1,043	837
Other	11	3	10	10	5	13	6	23	37	17	20
Committals by civil process	10	15	10	5	23	30	17	13	16	16	26
Daily average population											
Total	3,858	4,238	4,536	4,834	5,003	5,338	5,221	4,809	4,689	4,951	4,884
Males	3,744	4,105	4,411	4,679	4,857	5,186	5,054	4,656	4,539	4,783	4,709
Females	114	133	125	155	146	152	167	153	150	168	175
Analysis by type of prisoner:											
Untried	422	462	531	544	628	701	638	595	645	740	746
Sentences of imprisonment[1]:											
Total	2,139	2,443	2,521	2,697	2,816	2,955	2,925	2,691	2,604	2,682	2,648
Under 3 years	1,717	1,963	1,963	2,095	2,211	2,314	2,246	1,931	1,848	1,901	1,803
3 years and over	422	480	558	602	605	641	679	760	756	781	845
Detention in young offenders' institution[2] [3]	394	492	506	639	623	725	778	677	641	673	668
Corrective training	5	4	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Preventive detention	3	2	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Borstal training	650	669	748	715	749	758	682	674	632	658	664
Detention centre	216	145	199	199	180	190	187	164	157	171	138
Other	14	10	4	2	7	9	11	8	10	27	20

[1] Including sentences by courts-martial. [2] Sentence of detention in a young offenders' institution was introduced 18 January 1965. [3] Including in 1966 5 cases recalled to young offenders' institution, 94 cases recalled from borstal supervision and 5 sentenced by courts-martial. [4] Provisional.

Source: Scottish Home and Health Department

Expenditure on penal establishments

Scotland

TABLE 4.27

Years ended 31 March

£ thousand

	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77 [1]
Gross expenditure	3,451	3,706	4,027	4,857	5,312	5,891	7,880	8,358	10,743	13,519	16,771	19,973
Superintendence and staff	1,828	1,949	2,176	2,705	3,132	3,661	4,389	4,987	5,652	7,460	10,378	12,319
Maintenance and supplies	320	375	427	419	480	544	647	661	815	948	1,481	2,574
New buildings and plant	862	897	780	1,061	957	868	1,590	1,543	2,808	3,325	2,951	2,796
Materials and tools for manufactures	285	287	412	435	476	533	889	831	962	1,365	1,552	1,584
Other expenditure	156	198	232	237	267	285	365	336	506	421	409	700
Met from:												
Parliamentary grant	3,182	3,423	3,690	4,427	4,867	5,366	7,328	7,846	9,921	12,522	15,433	18,120
Proceeds of sale of manufactures, surplus stores, etc.	269	283	337	430	445	525	552	512	822	997	1,338	1,853

[1] Provisional.

Source: Scottish Home and Health Department

Offences known to police, proceedings taken and results of proceedings

TABLE 4.31

Northern Ireland

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Indictable offences											
Offences known to police	14,673	15,404	16,294	20,303	24,810	30,828	35,884	32,057	33,314	37,239	39,914
Persons proceeded against	4,173	4,513	4,787	4,623	4,303	4,576	3,299	3,772	5,037	5,005	5,397
Tried in Courts of Summary Jurisdiction	3,678	3,950	4,185	4,024	3,715	3,822	2,454	2,663	3,072	3,169	3,670
Tried at Assizes or County Courts	560	581	696	669	800	833	1,348	1,109	1,965	1,836	1,727
Results of proceedings:											
Found guilty	3,989	4,224	4,592	4,405	4,195	4,265	3,182	3,528	4,524	4,665	4,974
Absolute discharge	120	232	261	164	170	128	71	96	118	78	81
Probation order	407	401	482	358	378	380	194	265	335	386	472
Conditional discharge	695	585	932	594	449	542	318	443	728	724	704
Committed to training schools	257	211	249	232	236	141	149	149	181	161	218
Fine	1,425	1,468	1,516	1,498	1,049	1,092	788	764	1,111	924	1,152
Sentenced to:											
Borstal training	89	80	65	61	117	87	62	50	76	106	121
Imprisonment[1]	893	1,109	917	1,238	1,718	663	836	1,041	1,351	1,324	1,322
Suspended Sentence	—	—	..	..	..	813	557	603	601	850	783
Otherwise dealt with	103	138	170	260	78	419	207	117	23	112	121
Non-indictable offences											
Persons proceeded against	39,000	39,601	41,061	34,915	41,017	39,343	29,109	33,672	35,023	38,094	41,500
Tried in Courts of Summary Jurisdiction	38,924	39,506	40,880	34,648	40,968	39,166	28,989	33,672	35,023	38,094	41,500
Results of proceedings:											
Found guilty	36,326	36,783	38,317	32,007	37,796	35,433	26,089	30,994	32,215	35,328	38,719
Absolute discharge	924	895	1,452	815	917	1,020	791	860	977	956	1,343
Probation order	86	152	119	124	167	546	210	208	231	248	255
Conditional discharge	584	661	846	971	742	1,001	1,042	1,145	1,383	1,456	1,557
Committed to training schools	29	33	36	42	76	101	53	105	48	60	121
Fine	33,602	33,999	34,758	28,558	34,213	30,427	22,764	27,408	28,543	31,389	34,083
Sentenced to:											
Borstal training	9	5	12	30	16	7	13	7	9	23	21
Imprisonment [2]	800	870	773	1,067	1,299	1,515	1,096	1,110	917	1,151	1,138
Otherwise dealt with	292	168	321	400	366	816	120	151	107	45	201

[1] From 1968 to 1970 includes those awarded suspended sentences. [2] From 1968 includes those awarded suspended sentences.

Source: Northern Ireland Office

Persons found guilty: analysis by type of offence

TABLE 4.32 — Northern Ireland — Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
All offences	40,315	41,007	42,909	36,412	41,991	39,698	29,271	34,522	36,739	39,993	43,693
Indictable offences	3,989	4,224	4,592	4,405	4,195	4,265	3,182	3,528	4,524	4,665	4,974
Burglary and Robbery	1,228	1,243	1,224	1,250	1,380	1,271	819	791	1,376	1,400	1,756
Fraud[1]	158	243	251	227	366	221	191	169	161	244	250
Theft and unauthorised taking	1,767	1,936	2,098	1,945	1,655	1,680	1,040	1,072	1,274	1,326	1,511
Handling stolen goods	196	195	201	218	77	255	180	215	197	203	179
Sexual offences	110	129	178	124	121	84	73	84	115	118	96
Offences against the person:											
Total	255	249	303	258	217	265	282	355	516	618	557
Murder	5	4	1	4	—	4	9	18	26	73	83
Manslaughter	5	—	4	4	3	6	8	11	9	13	18
Wounding	200	192	239	193	159	206	106	122	456	430	430
Other offences against the person	45	53	59	57	55	49	159	204	25	102	26
Other offences	275	229	337	383	379	489	597	842	885	756	625
Non-indictable offences	36,326	36,783	38,317	32,007	37,796	35,433	26,089	30,994	32,215	35,328	38,719
Assaults	951	963	1,081	1,002	990	955	825	903	996	1,225	1,374
Betting and gaming[2]	18	76	61	10	32	11	20	52	6	10	6
Local and Police Regulations	2,670	2,829	3,517	3,955	4,289	3,250	2,426	2,659	2,571	3,079	3,273
Intoxicating Liquor Laws:											
Drunkenness[3]	1,371	1,368	1,275	743	1,305	815	216	241	250	308	385
Other offences	687	752	728	382	601	582	299	754	480	674	683
Education Acts	887	884	894	537	374	335	184	330	246	333	313
Game Laws	39	63	70	32	37	8	9	7	4	4	4
Labour Laws	412	340	348	427	1,500	841	431	290	245	253	202
Malicious damage	603	646	654	501	549	597	539	490	627	598	706
Offences by prostitutes	5	13	6	12	8	17	1	4	—	—	3
Railway offences	8	25	3	8	49	39	37	14	6	3	10
Revenue Laws	1,367	1,294	2,005	2,166	1,601	2,062	1,825	1,554	2,340	2,001	2,040
Stealing	17	10	28	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Traffic offences	22,851	23,357	23,689	18,253	21,816	22,187	16,477	21,831	22,577	24,568	27,433
Vagrancy Acts[4]	138	138	166	119	132	79	68	22	24	23	14
Wireless Telegraphy Acts	1,148	1,183	802	1,238	902	604	658	225	103	157	268
Other offences	3,154	2,842	2,990	2,614	3,611	3,051	2,074	1,618	1,740	2,092	2,005

[1] Including offences in connection with bankruptcy. [2] Including gaming offences under the Vagrancy Acts. [3] Excluding 'driving under the influence of drink' under the Highways Act. [4] Excluding gaming offences under the Vagrancy Acts.

Source: Northern Ireland Office

Juveniles found guilty of offences [1]

TABLE 4.33

Northern Ireland

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Juveniles found guilty											
All offences	2,382	2,372	2,414	2,101	1,991	2,188	1,702	2,210	2,505	2,562	2,722
Indictable offences	1,202	1,121	1,298	989	967	964	571	702	988	971	1,055
Theft and unauthorised taking	447	467	507	378	285	280	165	150	233	258	275
Burglary and robbery	599	511	562	473	556	522	277	381	593	537	611
Handling stolen goods	62	27	59	29	24	35	21	38	23	25	26
Sexual offences	11	12	20	18	16	20	–	9	4	3	6
Fraud	4	6	6	6	6	11	5	5	2	10	10
Offences against the person	19	23	43	22	17	22	15	6	31	45	34
Other offences	60	75	101	63	63	74	88	113	102	93	93
Non-indictable offences	1,180	1,251	1,116	1,112	1,024	1,224	1,131	1,508	1,517	1,591	1,667
Assaults	58	64	58	58	67	67	88	123	108	138	150
Offences against the Education Act	5	11	1	1	–	19	33	102	113	140	167
Offences connected with motor vehicles	543	573	597	719	590	591	464	503	638	666	653
Malicious damage	157	196	136	92	88	98	89	150	153	221	203
Disorderly behaviour	239	169	135	129	144	354	341	451	409	322	332
Other offences	178	238	189	113	135	95	116	179	96	104	162
Disposal by Courts											
Total dealt with	2,382	2,372	2,414	2,101	1,991	2,188	1,702	2,210	2,505	2,562	2,722
Absolute discharge	115	166	181	130	143	189	75	155	134	161	169
Conditional discharge	377	386	417	329	313	414	350	569	819	853	822
Placed on probation	349	412	432	314	319	396	287	284	341	430	406
Fine	1,188	1,033	1,032	905	714	834	716	870	956	786	821
Remand home order	122	90	115	103	123	80	53	70	23	17	44
Training school order	164	154	155	171	189	162	145	182	175	192	267
Borstal training	24	73	60	72	89	68	62	55	29	42	38
Otherwise dealt with	43	58	22	77	101	45	14	25	28	81	155

[1] Persons under 17 years of age.

Source: Northern Ireland Office

Prisons and borstal institutions: receptions and average population

TABLE **4.34**

Northern Ireland

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Receptions											
Total [1]	2,499	2,887	2,524	2,833	3,681	4,491	4,063	3,832	3,564	3,384	3,399
Males	2,391	2,774	2,450	2,783	3,580	4,398	3,975	3,702	3,402	3,245	3,275
Females	108	113	74	50	101	93	88	130	162	139	124
Committals on remand or for trial [2]	462	491	448	579	1,328	1,412	1,352	1,463	1,455	1,424	1,554
Committals by civil process	190	123	117	128	93	103	107	105	100	149	137
Committals in default of payment of fines	541	492	342	379	223	193	153	261	205	263	277
Sentences of imprisonment without the option of a fine	1,212	1,696	1,539	1,662	1,919	1,972	1,821	1,638	1,731	1,692	1,670
Sentences of borstal training	81	76	76	69	99	72	66	61	86	109	130
Persons detained or interned						766	656	511	313	11	–
Other committals [3]	13	9	2	16	19	10	7	9	15	–	2
Daily average population											
Total	567	686	727	721	920	1,109	1,606	2,067	2,602	2,687	2,530
Unconvicted [4]	22	26	28	35	61	39	147	373	498	402	664
Internees and detainees						124	606	527	568	264	–
Convicted	545	660	699	686	859	946	853	1,167	1,536	2,021	1,866

[1] The total number of types of committal is greater than the total number of receptions because of those persons sentenced to imprisonment who were received on remand in the previous year. [2] Not followed by return to prison on conviction in the same year. [3] Including sentences of preventive detention and corrective training (up to 1968), contempt of court and aliens. [4] Prisoners on remand or awaiting trial and prisoners committed by civil process.

Source: Northern Ireland Office

Expenditure on prisons and borstals

Northern Ireland

TABLE **4.35**

Years ended 31 March

£ thousand

	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77
Gross expenditure	559	596	653	743	1,053	2,372	4,482	9,681	14,021	30,773	32,707
Superintendence and staff	349	371	429	512	662	1,109	2,628	4,157	7,986	14,781	16,633
Maintenance	101	116	123	133	195	406	639	635	2,762	3,049	2,226
New buildings	48	42	30	22	84	655	815	3,995	1,680	10,505	11,045
Materials and tools for manufactures	30	29	31	31	53	72	55	24	22	38	73
Other expenditure	31	38	40	45	59	130	345	870	1,571	2,400	2,730
Met from:											
Parliamentary grant	535	569	624	712	1,016	2,331	4,453	9,654	13,998	30,715	32,596
Proceeds of sale of manufactures, etc.	24	27	29	31	37	41	29	27	23	58	111

Source: Northern Ireland Office

V. Education

Schools

The following notes explain some of the terms in commor use in the series of tables on schools:

Under the provisions of the Education Acts, education is divided into three stages:

Primary education (up to the age of about 11)

Secondary education (from about 11 until the pupil leaves school)

Further education (all education and training provided after full-time schooling ends).

In England and Wales, primary schools consist mainly of infants' schools for children aged 5–7, junior schools for those aged 7–11 and junior and infant schools for both age groups. In addition, first schools cater for the ages 5–7, 8, 9, or 10. Middle schools take pupils from first schools, catering for children in the age ranges 8–12, 9–12, 9–13, 10–13 and 10–14. Pupils from them generally go on to comprehensive schools. Middle schools are 'deemed' to be either primary or secondary and in the tables they have been included in the primary or secondary sections as appropriate. Secondary education is provided mainly in three types of school – the secondary modern, the secondary grammar and the comprehensive school. A school is classified as comprehensive when its admission arrangements are without reference to ability and aptitude. There are also a few technical schools and some other schools which do not fall into any of these categories.

'Grant-aided' schools in England and Wales fall into two categories:

those maintained by local education authorities who meet their expenditure partly from local rates and partly from general grants made by the Department of the Environment;

and 'direct grant' schools which are assisted by grants paid by the Department of Education and Science or the Welsh Education Office direct to the governors or managers of the schools.

Independent schools 'recognised as efficient' are schools in England and Wales which are not grant-aided, but which have sought and obtained recognition by the Department of Education and Science or the Welsh Education Office after inspection by Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools.

In Scotland the norm is 7 years of primary education as against 6 years in England and Wales and Northern Ireland. The distinction between infant and primary schools is not generally made. Secondary schools are classified into 4 types – 3/4 year selective, 6 year selective, all-through comprehensive and part-comprehensive/part selective. Those in the last mentioned group are comprehensive in intake and and selective as regards range of courses offered.

The term 'grant-aided' is applied only to those schools which receive grants direct from the Education Department. Schools under the management of education authorities are termed 'education authority' schools.

In Northern Ireland, from 1 April 1948 to June 1974 the three types of secondary schools were secondary (intermediate), technical (intermediate) and grammar schools.

From June 1974 there are two types, secondary (intermediate) and grammar schools.

Nursery schools provide education primarily for children below compulsory school age, i.e. under 5. Many primary schools also provide nursery classes for children under 5. Attendance at nursery schools and classes may be either full-time or part-time.

Special schools, either day or residential, provide education exclusively for children who are so severely handicapped physically or mentally as to prevent their profiting fully from education in normal primary and secondary schools. Most special schools are maintained by local education authorities; the others are run by voluntary bodies who receive grants from Education Departments.

Educational building

The method of calculating the number of new places provided differs in England and Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland.

In England and Wales (Table 5.5) the figures refer to the number of pupils for which new school accommodation is designed.

In Scotland (Table 5.14) the figures refer to the sum of the approved capacities of all the teaching rooms whether classrooms or practical rooms. For primary schools this is assumed to be the number of pupils for whom the new accommodation is designed; for secondary schools and further education colleges, however, this sum normally, in the interests of flexibility for timetabling, exceeds the number of pupils, in many cases by as much as 50 per cent.

In Northern Ireland (Table 5.23) the figures shown refer to the maximum intended number of pupils' places.

Number of schools, pupils and teachers

England and Wales

TABLE 5.1

At January in each year

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974[1]	1975	1976
Total child population (Thousands) [2]											
Aged 2–4	2,446	2,506	2,527	2,524	2,476	2,427	2,356	2,310	2,283	2,217	2,114
Aged 5–14	6,846	6,966	7,116	7,295	7,484	7,666	7,805	7,848	7,895	7,920	7,981
Aged 15–19	3,740	3,641	3,472	3,379	3,339	3,312	3,397	3,425	3,476	3,545	3,642
All schools											
Schools or departments	33,582	33,390	33,183	33,077	32,900	32,714	33,196	33,129	33,100	33,085	33,100
Teachers [3] [4]	358,437	366,619	375,379	387,697	400,637	412,079	435,668	455,271	477,161	492,303	502,468
Full-time pupils											
In all schools:											
Total	7,844,648	7,980,940	8,183,237	8,391,756	8,597,451	8,800,843	9,032,999	9,190,030	9,560,015	9,617,474	9,669,239
Aged 2–4	237,907	237,502	247,101	256,231	263,771	278,545	299,200	327,987	337,536	341,324	357,524
Aged 5–14	6,824,714	6,953,060	7,112,722	7,277,265	7,457,993	7,632,691	7,800,860	7,897,613	7,958,502	7,988,725	7,977,219
Aged 15 and over [1]	782,027	790,378	823,414	858,260	875,687	889,607	932,939	964,430	1,263,977	1,287,425	1,334,496
In maintained schools (other than nursery and special):											
Total	7,183,165	7,328,110	7,541,969	7,753,002	7,960,194	8,167,009	8,366,333	8,513,728	8,872,567	8,926,279	8,983,870
Aged 15 and over [1]	641,279	653,105	687,131	721,912	740,647	755,439	793,171	821,399	1,115,603	1,137,393	1,182,491
In maintained nursery schools	19,417	19,039	17,957	17,170	16,441	15,596	15,443	15,450	15,431	15,365	15,219
In all special schools:											
Total	76,466	78,256	81,678	84,812	86,847	90,361	122,283	127,804	130,677	131,940	133,609
Aged 15 and over [1]	9,725	9,729	10,314	10,751	10,595	10,945	15,922	17,517	19,761	20,290	21,274
In direct grant schools: (other than special):											
Total	116,776	118,027	119,346	119,523	120,181	119,483	119,865	121,384	122,193	122,092	121,785
Aged 15 and over [1]	41,792	42,420	43,259	43,598	44,032	43,975	44,671	45,415	46,041	45,985	46,314
In independent schools recognised as efficient:											
Total	308,834	305,421	299,883	301,166	303,977	305,533	311,116	315,391	324,326	328,521	324,011
Aged 15 and over [1]	76,621	74,282	73,363	73,287	72,978	72,961	73,295	74,103	76,055	77,327	77,868
In other independent schools:											
Total	139,990	132,087	122,404	116,083	109,811	102,861	97,959	96,273	94,821	93,137	90,597
Aged 15 and over [1]	12,610	10,842	9,347	8,712	7,435	6,287	5,880	5,996	6,517	6,430	6,549
In independent nursery education establishments recognised as efficient	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	140	148
Part-time pupils											
In all schools	32,761	37,096	44,411	53,468	60,707	72,392	86,441	101,065	122,326	140,988	164,364
In maintained primary schools	11,382	13,876	16,857	22,778	28,520	37,547	48,257	59,660	77,972	94,712	116,763
In maintained nursery schools	9,044	10,385	12,716	15,070	17,779	20,718	23,998	26,947	30,401	32,752	34,949
In all special schools	..	..	..	..	48	70	341	315	354	488	630
In direct grant schools	434	484	535	610	664	620	611	418	398	358	332
In independent schools recognised as efficient	2,743	2,703	3,634	3,957	3,797	3,854	4,076	4,396	4,400	3,671	3,620
In other independent schools	9,158	9,648	10,669	11,053	9,899	9,583	9,158	9,329	8,801	8,574	7,656
In independent nursery education establishments recognised as efficient	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	433	414
Percentage of age group attending grant-aided schools:											
Aged 2–4 [5]	*9.8*	*9.7*	*10.3*	*11.0*	*11.9*	*13.2*	*15.1*	*17.2*	*18.8*	*20.4*	*23.3*
Aged 5–14	*94.7*	*95.0*	*95.4*	*95.4*	*95.4*	*95.5*	*95.9*	*96.6*	*96.8*	*96.8*	*96.0*
Aged 15 and over [1] [6]	*18.5*	*19.4*	*21.3*	*23.0*	*23.8*	*24.5*	*25.1*	*25.8*	*34.0*	*34.0*	*34.3*

[1] The minimum school leaving age was raised to 16 years from 1 September, 1972. The first effects of this change are reflected in the 1974 figures. [2] Estimates provided by the Registrar General. [3] Full-time teachers and the full-time equivalent of part-time teachers. [4] Due to the inclusion of qualified teachers only in respect of maintained schools, the figures from 1971 are not comparable with earlier years. [5] Counting both full-time and part-time pupils. [6] As a percentage of the age group 15-19.

Source: Department of Education and Science

Pupils in schools: maintained primary [1], middle and secondary schools

England and Wales

TABLE 5.2

At January in each year

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974[2]	1975	1976
All schools or departments											
Full-time pupils on registers [2]	7,183,165	7,328,110	7,541,969	7,753,002	7,960,194	8,167,009	8,366,333	8,513,728	8,872,567	8,926,279	8,983,870
Part-time pupils on registers	11,382	13,876	16,857	22,778	28,520	37,547	48,257	59,660	77,972	94,712	116,763
Full-time teachers[3]	291,000	297,051	303,527	313,072	326,151	341,294	359,852	378,567	399,379	412,834	424,426
Full-time equivalent of part-time teachers[3]	18,262	20,456	23,320	25,597	25,200	21,509	22,053	21,703	22,561	22,812	20,388
Pupils per teacher[3] [4]	23.2	23.1	23.1	22.9	22.7	22.6	22.0	21.3	21.1	20.6	20.3
Primary schools:											
Full-time pupils on registers	4,366,372	4,495,259	4,646,582	4,788,591	4,904,528	4,986,855	5,068,330	5,068,833	4,974,272	4,899,452	4,828,476
Part-time pupils on registers	11,382	13,876	16,857	22,778	28,520	37,547	48,257	59,660	77,972	94,712	116,763
Full-time teachers[3]	147,373	151,555	155,555	161,249	168,151	175,317	183,727	188,974	190,096	193,087	194,080
Full-time equivalent of part-time teachers[3]	8,571	9,968	11,328	12,226	11,447	10,808	11,268	11,175	11,240	11,170	10,053
Pupils per teacher[3] [4]	28.0	27.9	27.9	27.7	27.4	26.9	26.1	25.5	24.9	24.2	23.9
Classes [5] : Total	133,996	137,699	141,717	146,219	151,165	157,496	162,642	165,352	165,651	166,947	167,597
1–30 pupils	45,448	45,669	45,207	46,276	49,086	55,321	62,587	69,478	76,790	85,394	91,896
31–40 pupils	72,916	76,534	81,271	85,996	92,034	96,960	95,970	92,704	86,399	79,532	74,142
41–50 pupils	15,561	15,427	15,175	13,856	9,903	5,040	3,806	2,749	2,058	1,592	1,192
51 or more pupils	71	69	64	91	142	175	279	421	404	429	367
Middle schools:											
Pupils on registers[2]	. .	. .	. .	4,750	46,241	91,561	121,509	205,606	347,697	407,525	442,975
Full-time teachers[3]	. .	. .	. .	205	1,951	3,686	5,000	8,735	14,807	17,795	19,479
Full-time equivalent of part-time teachers[3]	. .	. .	. .	5	166	251	339	465	821	968	945
Pupils per teacher[3] [4]	. .	. .	. .	22.6	21.8	23.3	22.8	22.3	22.2	21.7	21.7
Classes [5] : Total	. .	. .	. .	164	1,634	3,105	4,165	7,117	11,961	14,532	15,850
1–30 pupils	. .	. .	. .	109	992	1,668	2,280	4,025	6,791	8,988	10,106
31–40 pupils	. .	. .	. .	55	603	1,361	1,764	2,868	4,782	5,149	5,292
41–50 pupils	. .	. .	. .	–	22	28	38	67	104	98	92
51 or more pupils	. .	. .	. .	–	17	48	83	157	284	297	360
Secondary schools:											
Pupils on registers[2]	2,816,793	2,832,851	2,895,387	2,959,661	3,009,425	3,088,593	3,176,494	3,239,289	3,550,598	3,619,302	3,712,419
Full-time teachers[3]	143,627	145,496	147,972	151,618	156,049	162,291	171,125	180,858	194,476	201,952	210,867
Full-time equivalent of part-time teachers[3]	9,691	10,488	11,992	13,366	13,587	10,450	10,446	10,063	10,500	10,674	9,390
Pupils per teacher[3] [4]	18.4	18.2	18.1	17.9	17.7	17.9	17.5	17.0	17.3	17.0	16.9
Classes [5] : Total	117,155	119,675	123,093	125,990	128,207	132,265	137,284	141,903	152,372	157,427	162,630
1–30 pupils	85,671	89,273	92,398	95,503	98,120	102,764	108,807	115,127	124,961	131,736	137,601
31–40 pupils	29,976	28,826	28,945	28,469	28,160	27,448	26,411	24,588	24,638	23,119	22,476
41–50 pupils	843	791	900	744	669	591	599	493	642	534	542
51 or more pupils	665	785	850	1,274	1,258	1,462	1,467	1,695	2,131	2,038	2,011

[1] Including immigrant centres. [2] See footnote [1] to Table 5.1. [3] Due to the inclusion of qualified teachers only, the figures from 1971 are not comparable with earlier years. [4] Taking account of the full-time equivalent of part-time teachers and counting each part-time pupil as 0.5 pupil. [5] In primary schools classes are as registered. In middle schools classes are as registered in 1969, and as taught for 1970 and later years. In secondary schools classes are as taught.

Source: Department of Education and Science

Further education: courses of adult education provided by responsible bodies[1]

England and Wales

TABLE 5.3

Years ended 31 July

Number

	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76[2]
Courses											
Total	10,153	10,615	10,882	11,445	11,649	12,250	13,042	13,583	13,641	14,125	14,262
Tutorial classes	716	720	735	691	694	686	637	586	571	536	555
Sessional courses	2,586	2,725	2,934	3,140	3,199	3,300	3,219	3,483	3,541	3,676	3,794
Terminal courses	2,719	2,728	2,920	3,133	3,266	3,529	3,583	3,859	3,920	4,034	4,093
Training courses	16	23	25	25	28	34	..	..	..	..	..
Day release courses[3]	..	..	..	..	..	..	395	474	595	645	740
Residential courses	642	662	654	696	684	733	730	784	847	773	682
Other courses[4]	3,474	3,757	3,614	3,760	3,778	3,968	4,478	4,397	4,167	4,461	4,398
Registered students											
Total	223,518	236,330	240,306	247,309	249,136	254,730	271,145	267,299	269,374	275,054	285,902
Tutorial classes	12,315	12,750	12,942	12,424	12,843	12,393	11,567	10,197	9,879	9,459	9,932
Sessional courses	47,200	50,307	54,227	58,173	59,186	60,890	59,349	61,757	63,202	65,855	69,003
Terminal courses	48,963	50,094	54,046	59,402	59,418	63,310	62,882	64,998	66,921	66,751	71,226
Training courses	496	721	663	486	950	918	..	..	..	..	..
Day release courses[3]	..	..	..	..	..	..	5,984	6,913	8,452	9,345	11,464
Residential courses	17,865	18,466	19,109	18,999	17,785	19,327	19,571	21,676	23,692	22,304	20,515
Other courses[4]	96,679	103,992	99,319	97,825	98,954	97,892	111,792	101,758	97,228	101,340	103,762

[1] The responsible bodies are the extra-mural departments of universities, the headquarters and seventeen districts of the Workers' Educational Association and the Welsh National Council of Young Men's Christian Associations. [2] Provisional. [3] Including tutorial and sessional courses provided for day release students. [4] Including courses for the training of tutors or lecturers in adult education.

Source: Department of Education and Science

Further education: further education establishments [1]

England and Wales

TABLE 5.4

Autumn term of academic years

	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76
Number of establishments										
Total	8,398	8,177	7,968	7,593	7,174	7,192	6,986	7,424	7,106	7,835
Polytechnics [2]	–	–	–	8	26	30	30	30	30	30
Regional colleges	25	25	25	20	–	–	–	–	–	–
National colleges	6	5	5	4	3	–	–	–	–	–
Art establishments	150	145	143	125	112	636	595	579	565	545
Agricultural establishments	45	45	48	45	46					
Other major establishments	510	518	512	496	485					
Evening institutes	7,662	7,439	7,235	6,895	6,502	6,526	6,361	6,812	6,511	7,260
Number of students (Thousands)										
Full-time: Total	181.7	197.0	214.3	227.7	237.8	248.6	262.1	262.3	291.9	351.2
Aged 15-17 [3]	86.4	90.5	96.9	104.1	106.6	109.6	114.6	100.2	117.4	140.7
Aged 18-20	57.5	63.1	66.8	70.3	74.2	78.5	81.6	83.6	88.4	104.3
Advanced courses (all ages) [4]	37.3	45.1	51.8	54.8	57.1	61.2	62.6	66.5	70.5	88.9
Students on first year of advanced courses	20.4	24.9	28.0	28.5	29.9	32.7	32.2	34.8	37.9	46.6
Sandwich: Total	20.7	24.8	29.6	33.5	36.5	40.2	42.0	41.8	43.3	46.7
Aged 15-17 [3]	1.1	1.2	1.8	1.9	1.9	2.9	3.2	2.7	2.6	2.9
Aged 18-20	10.8	12.9	14.1	16.4	17.6	19.2	20.0	19.9	20.1	21.5
Advanced courses (all ages)	17.2	20.9	24.6	28.1	30.6	32.7	33.7	33.6	35.2	37.9
Students on first year of advanced courses	7.0	8.5	9.8	10.7	11.1	11.9	11.9	11.6	12.7	14.4
Part-time day: Total [5]	711.9	740.8	749.7	756.1	748.7	718.0	709.8	700.2	726.9	743.3
Aged 15-17 [3]	277.6	274.7	271.2	271.0	257.5	234.9	223.9	204.7	209.3	183.2
Aged 18-20	253.3	257.7	253.5	251.3	240.5	232.9	225.5	219.0	219.0	233.0
Advanced courses (all ages)	61.4	68.4	68.8	72.1	69.1	69.8	70.6	72.6	80.3	85.2
Students on first year of advanced courses	36.0	39.3	41.5	42.9	40.9	41.2	42.9	45.1	50.5	52.6
Evening:										
Major establishments: Total	802.5	811.3	756.6	712.7	736.4	745.9	767.0	783.3	785.1	801.6
Aged 15-17 [3]	119.6	109.4	100.2	94.3	90.0	90.0	89.3	80.8	76.7	73.2
Aged 18-20	143.1	132.5	113.2	99.6	94.1	93.4	95.5	95.4	92.4	94.7
Advanced courses (all ages)	45.6	46.4	42.7	42.6	40.4	37.5	36.6	35.7	35.9	37.7
Students on first year of advanced courses	28.0	29.3	27.5	28.0	26.4	24.1	24.0	24.1	24.8	27.1
Evening institutes: Total	1,374.1	1,419.8	1,394.7	1,352.6	1,421.8	1,519.3	1,590.1	1,730.1	1,840.6	1,981.7
Aged 15-17 [6]	267.4	259.0	245.5	226.9	228.3	249.0	267.2	275.5	285.3	297.7
Aged 18-20	127.7	123.5	104.7	89.8	89.8	93.1	90.1	101.5	100.4	123.0
Advanced courses (all ages)	0.9	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3
Number of students										
Students aged 15-17 as percentage of 15-17 age group: [7]										
Full-time	*4.25*	*4.54*	*4.90*	*5.27*	*5.44*	*5.36*	*5.55*	*7.15*	*8.13*	*9.56*
Sandwich	*0.06*	*0.06*	*0.09*	*0.10*	*0.10*	*0.14*	*0.16*	*0.19*	*0.18*	*0.20*
Part-time day	*13.67*	*13.79*	*13.72*	*13.72*	*13.14*	*11.49*	*10.85*	*14.62*	*14.50*	*12.45*
Evening only (major establishments)	*5.89*	*5.49*	*5.07*	*4.77*	*4.59*	*4.40*	*4.33*	*5.77*	*5.31*	*4.97*
Evening institutes [8]	*10.06*	*10.04*	*9.32*	*8.39*	*8.28*	*8.45*	*8.66*	*8.15*	*8.19*	*8.36*
Students aged 18-20 as percentage of 18-20 age group:										
Full-time	*2.37*	*2.71*	*3.08*	*3.39*	*3.66*	*3.88*	*4.00*	*4.11*	*4.33*	*5.00*
Sandwich	*0.44*	*0.55*	*0.65*	*0.79*	*0.87*	*0.95*	*0.98*	*0.98*	*0.99*	*1.03*
Part-time day	*10.43*	*11.08*	*11.69*	*12.10*	*11.87*	*11.50*	*11.07*	*10.76*	*10.72*	*11.17*
Evening only (major establishments)	*5.89*	*5.70*	*5.22*	*4.79*	*4.65*	*4.61*	*4.69*	*4.69*	*4.52*	*4.54*
Evening institutes	*5.26*	*5.31*	*4.82*	*4.32*	*4.44*	*4.60*	*4.42*	*4.99*	*4.91*	*5.90*
Students taking advanced courses (Thousands)										
Total	162.38	180.88	188.01	197.53	197.27	201.27	203.48	208.32	221.89	249.69
University first degree	12.98	13.78	14.21	13.49	14.49	13.61	11.75	8.58	5.77	3.68
CNAA First degree/Diploma in Technology [9]	6.89	10.16	13.98	18.31	21.38	25.94	31.30	37.22	53.33	62.88
University and CNAA higher degree	0.44	1.06	1.23	1.30	1.76	2.10	2.32	2.44	2.84	3.33
Postgraduate and research	5.70	6.35	7.06	7.81	7.90	7.94	8.11	8.20	7.85	9.01
Higher National Diploma/Higher National Certificate	61.33	60.23	58.50	58.76	57.72	57.68	55.13	52.79	52.46	55.59
National Diploma in Design/Diploma in Art and Design	5.95	6.20	6.62	6.93	7.32	7.10	7.64	8.22	–	–
Art Teachers Diploma/Certificate	0.47	0.48	0.49	0.58	0.60	0.62	0.61	0.63	0.48	0.55
Other advanced [4]	68.63	82.61	85.91	90.34	86.10	86.26	86.62	90.25	99.16	114.65

[1] Maintained or assisted by local education authorities or in receipt of direct grant from the Department of Education and Science. [2] In 1971/72 includes two polytechnics not formally designated at the date of census. [3] From 1973/74 students aged 16–17. [4] Including from 1974 full-time students on initial teacher training courses. [5] Including students released by employers during working hours. In the autumn term of the academic year 1975/76 these numbered 442,505 male and 100,775 female students. [6] Including students aged under 15 years. [7] Excluding students aged under 15, for the years 1966/67 to 1972/73 and students aged under 16 years from 1973/74. [8] From 1973/74 students aged 16–17 as a percentage of 16–17 age group. [9] From 1974/75 includes students on courses leading to the former Diploma in Art and Design.

Source: Department of Education and Science

Educational building [1]

TABLE **5.5**

England and Wales

	1945 to 1976	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
New school places										
Number of new places brought into use by new construction:										
Total	7,828,347	364,734	367,636	333,050	391,540	399,033	435,368	417,587	315,765	241,404
Primary	4,083,889	254,224	233,506	198,691	231,751	221,751	198,294	188,019	145,097	101,806
Middle	139,080	. .	. .	. .	. .	20,465	31,150	38,906	27,737	20,822
Secondary [2]	3,605,378	110,510	134,130	134,359	159,789	156,817	205,924	190,662	142,931	118,776
Starts and progress (£ thousand)										
Value of projects started [3]	3,742,706	155,925	145,134	172,186	242,544	268,691	297,642	208,632	252,854	227,880
Primary and secondary [4]	2,950,220	119,869	103,149	139,190	193,996	229,292	245,255	178,512	199,637	172,030
Further education (including Youth Service)	526,507	24,457	31,260	21,396	35,108	28,055	34,498	10,584	27,999	36,265
Training of teachers [5]	115,950	6,800	3,951	5,239	5,753	3,788	4,384	1,568	1,061	1,985
Special schools and school health [4]	150,029	4,799	6,774	6,361	7,687	7,556	13,505	17,968	24,157	17,600
Value of projects under construction (end of period)	374,703	226,479	209,914	224,086	290,408	368,984	419,613	380,732	376,750	374,703
Value of projects completed	3,364,351	153,121	161,699	158,013	172,569	190,115	247,013	247,513	256,837	229,927

[1] Excluding building work wholly financed from private sources. [2] The cumulative total includes hutting operation for the raising of the school leaving age (HORSA) which provided 167,880 places from 1 April 1945 to 1 February 1952. [3] Including projects not requiring the specific approval of the Secretary of State for Education and Science. [4] As from 1 April 1960 the cost of school meals projects has not been separately recorded. The value of such projects has been included as appropriate under 'Primary and secondary' or 'Special schools and school health'. [5] The cumulative total includes work on Emergency Training Colleges, estimated to cost £1,132,000. This work was started mainly in 1946 without formal approval of estimates.

Source: Department of Education and Science

School health service in maintained schools

Pupils inspected and treated

England and Wales

TABLE **5.6**

Thousands

	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
Medical inspection and treatment:											
Pupils inspected in routine medical inspections [1]	1,887	1,892	1,870	1,803	1,797	1,786	1,746	1,632	1,537	1,466	1,469
Special inspections and re-inspections [2]	1,478	1,393	1,364	1,291	1,215	1,179	1,245	1,177	1,143	980	987
Defects treated or under treatment:											
Defective vision and squint [3]	502	491	487	469	434	435	406	408	389	350	319
Defects of ear, nose and throat [3]	125	117	117	110	104	102	99	95	90	81	73
Orthopaedic and postural defects [3]	94	89	85	79	79	71	70	69	79	78	66
Child guidance treatment	54	57	62	64	66	69	69	75	79	. .	. .
Speech therapy [3]	62	65	68	81	82	88	94	104	109	135	125
Minor ailments [3]	312	306	334	320	313	287	282	291	287	358	311
Dental inspection and treatment:											
Pupils inspected [1]	4,047	4,140	4,271	4,354	4,447	4,578	4,771	4,962	5,107	4,950	4,989
Pupils found to require treatment	2,367	2,363	2,417	2,431	2,497	2,557	2,667	2,719	2,742	2,574	2,565
Pupils treated	1,260	1,279	1,287	1,294	1,312	1,314	1,385	1,431	1,443	1,419	1,411

[1] No child is included more than once in the figures for any one year. [2] The same child may be included more than once in any one year. [3] Figures for England only in 1975.

Sources: Department of Education and Science (until 31 March 1974); Department of Health and Social Security

School meals and milk

England and Wales

TABLE 5.7

On a selected day in autumn each year

Thousands

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Meals[1]											
Day pupils present[2]	6,810	6,974	7,160	7,378	7,587	7,788	7,929	8,198	8,240	8,405	8,440
Day pupils taking dinners	4,655	4,847	5,020	5,167	5,148	4,659	5,076	5,416	5,773	5,893	5,836
Percentage taking dinners	*68.4*	*69.5*	*70.1*	*70.0*	*67.9*	*59.8*	*64.0*	*66.1*	*70.1*	*70.1*	*69.1*
Milk[3]											
Day pupils and boarders present	7,383	7,536	4,575	4,666	4,806	2,075	2,095	2,075	2,084	2,134	2,094
Day pupils and boarders taking milk	5,912	5,969	4,182	4,265	4,383	1,962	1,985	1,966	1,976	1,994	1,959
Percentage taking milk	*80.1*	*79.2*	*91.4*	*91.4*	*91.2*	*94.6*	*94.7*	*94.8*	*94.8*	*93.4*	*93.6*

[1] Maintained primary and secondary schools, nursery schools and day special schools. [2] Including pupils present at any school for which dinners are not provided. [3] Up to 1967 milk was supplied to all pupils in maintained nursery, primary, secondary and day special schools, and direct grant schools and independent schools in the 'Milk in Schools Scheme'. From 1968 secondary schools (other than secondary special schools) were not supplied with free milk. From September 1971 free milk was limited to pupils in nursery and primary schools up to the end of the summer term after they reach the age of 7 and to all pupils in special schools. (In addition, pupils between the ages of 7 and 12 in primary and middle schools can be granted free milk on health grounds, but these pupils are not included in the numbers in this table). There is therefore a lack of comparability in the percentages between 1968-70 and previous years; and between 1971 and previous years.

Source: Department of Education and Science

School meals: gross cost per meal

England and Wales

TABLE 5.8

Years ended 31 March

	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76
Dinners served (millions)	881.3	915.4	1,020.9	1,020.0	1,019.6	1,044.0	942.7	1,025.7	1,079.0	1,151.1	1,203.3
Gross cost per meal (new pence):											
Total	11.4	12.0	12.3	13.0	14.1	15.4	19.2	21.13	25.28	31.77	39.14
Food	4.5	4.8	4.9	5.0	5.2	5.6	6.4	7.09	8.93	10.51	13.03
Overheads:											
Total	6.9	7.3	7.4	8.1	8.8	9.8	12.8	14.04	16.35	21.26	26.11
Salaries and wages	4.8	5.0	5.2	5.8	6.4	7.1	9.5	10.66	12.87	17.26	21.89
Other	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.5	2.7	3.3	3.38	3.48	4.00	4.22

Source: Department of Education and Science

Schools: summary table

Scotland

TABLE **5.11**

At January until 1973/74 and September from 1974/75

Number

	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76
Pupils on registers of education authority and grant-aided schools:											
Total	902,779	912,641	929,831	951,195	971,045	988,753	1,007,738	1,025,311	1,060,439	1,075,229	1,076,178
Aged 2–4 [1]	7,494	7,830	8,648	10,627	11,740	13,864	21,230	23,507	26,637	26,985	30,533
Aged 5–14 [1]	826,901	835,202	846,222	860,755	874,790	886,092	893,636	897,662	899,361	897,109	893,753
Aged 15–18 [1]	68,384	69,609	74,961	79,813	84,515	88,797	92,872	104,142	134,441	151,135	151,892
Percentage of children attending education authority and grant-aided schools:											
Aged 2–4	*2.6*	*2.7*	*3.0*	*3.7*	*4.2*	*5.1*	*7.9*	*9.1*	*10.5*	*11.1*	*13.2*
Aged 5–14	*96.4*	*96.2*	*96.2*	*96.5*	*96.5*	*96.7*	*97.1*	*98.4*	*98.6*	*98.8*	*99.2*
Aged 15–18	*19.7*	*21.4*	*23.6*	*25.5*	*27.0*	*28.1*	*28.9*	*31.5*	*39.8*	*44.0*	*45.2*
Education authority and grant-aided primary and secondary schools or departments (including nursery, but excluding special schools):											
Schools	3,450	3,447	3,411	3,369	3,311	3,272	3,271	3,259	3,303	3,334	3,376
Pupils on registers	891,505	901,000	918,011	939,122	958,855	976,303	995,131	1,012,646	1,047,713	1,062,611	1,063,114
Full-time teachers [2] [3]	40,498	41,401	41,346	42,553	42,431	44,422	46,434	49,303	51,794	51,424	53,673
Education authority and grant-aided special schools and classes [4]:											
Schools	194	204	207	211	222	223	230	236	238	240	264
Pupils	11,274	11,641	11,820	12,073	12,190	12,450	12,607	12,665	12,726	12,618	13,064

[1] Age at 1 January of session. [2] At December from 1965/66 to 1973/74; September onwards. [3] For sessions up to 1967/68, certificated and uncertificated; for sessions 1968/69 to 1973/74, qualified and unqualified (registration with the General Teaching Council for Scotland is the mark of the qualified teacher); from 1974/75 all teachers employed in education authority and grant-aided schools are qualified. [4] For the purpose of this table special classes attached to ordinary schools are treated as departments.

Source: Scottish Education Department

Pupils on registers of education authority and grant-aided schools

Scotland

TABLE **5.12**

At January until 1973/74 and September from 1974/75

Number

	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76
In education authority schools:											
Total	880,468	890,222	907,088	928,661	948,485	966,255	985,178	1,002,344	1,037,183	1,052,205	1,054,104
Nursery	6,558	6,690	7,425	9,128	10,489	12,381	14,617	16,558	19,629	20,462	22,668
Primary [1]	592,289	597,247	605,845	613,883	622,490	627,700	634,295	635,786	634,677	626,836	621,070
Secondary [2]:											
Pupils taking non-certificate courses	122,563	106,385	282,718								
Pupils taking certificate courses	148,472	168,975		294,321	304,032	314,442	324,385	338,051	370,864	392,991	397,997
Special	10,586	10,925	11,100	11,329	11,474	11,732	11,881	11,949	12,013	11,916	12,369
In grant-aided schools:											
Total	22,311	22,419	22,743	22,534	22,560	22,498	22,560	22,967	23,256	23,024	22,074
Nursery	169	174	181	162	158	158	201	193	203	98	82
Primary [1]	8,897	8,835	8,935	8,764	8,691	8,550	8,483	8,566	8,418	8,175	7,652
Secondary [2]:											
Pupils taking non-certificate courses	322	278	12,907								
Pupils taking certificate courses	12,235	12,416		12,864	12,995	13,072	13,150	13,492	13,922	14,049	13,645
Special	688	716	720	744	716	718	726	716	713	702	695

[1] Including primary departments of secondary schools. [2] Excluding pupils in primary departments of secondary schools.

Source: Scottish Education Department

Education authority and grant-aided primary and secondary schools [1]

Scotland

TABLE 5.13

At January until 1973/74 and September from 1974/75

Number

	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76
Primary [2] (including nursery):											
Schools or departments	2,773	2,782	2,771	2,753	2,738	2,731	2,755	2,767	2,825	2,862	2,909
Pupils on registers	607,913	612,946	622,386	631,937	641,828	648,789	657,596	661,103	662,927	655,571	651,472
Full-time teachers [3] [4]	20,824	21,420	21,348	21,833	22,005	23,168	24,114	25,526	26,392	26,134	27,127
Pupils per full-time teacher	29.2	28.6	29.2	28.9	29.2	28.0	27.3	25.9	25.1	25.1	24.0
Classes: Total (excluding nursery)	18,235	18,447	18,747	18,993	19,289	19,829	20,475	21,109	21,525	21,960	22,823
1-30 pupils	6,390	6,519	6,632	6,647	6,826	7,481	8,342	9,546	10,639	12,088	15,298
31-40 pupils	8,286	8,455	8,781	9,047	9,375	10,019	10,389	10,631	10,189	9,619	7,417
41-45 pupils	2,692	2,722	2,662	2,758	2,504	1,949	1,547	879	632	188	56
46-50 pupils	769	648	608	487	513	355	189	46	54	30	26
51 and over	98	103	64	54	71	25	8	7	11	35	26
Secondary [5]:											
Schools	680	665	640	616	573	541	516	492	478	472	467
Pupils on registers	283,592	288,054	295,625	307,185	317,027	327,514	337,535	361,543	384,786	407,040	411,642
Full-time teachers [3] [4]	19,674	19,981	19,998	20,720	20,426	21,254	22,320	23,777	25,402	25,290	26,546
Pupils per full-time teacher	14.4	14.4	14.8	14.8	15.5	15.4	15.1	14.8	15.1	16.1	15.5
Classes: Total [6]	8,526	9,170	9,364	15,489	15,569	16,027	16,679	17,591	19,473	20,277	20,944
1-30 pupils	6,460	6,991	6,978	12,627	12,627	12,922	13,482	14,544	16,192	17,261	18,776
31-40 pupils	1,906	2,006	2,202	2,622	2,711	2,817	2,947	2,860	3,090	2,941	2,125
41-45 pupils	146	153	160	222	199	251	212	152	159	40	20
46-50 pupils	10	13	16	10	24	27	20	20	17	11	6
51 and over	4	7	8	8	8	10	18	15	15	24	17

[1] Including nursery but excluding special schools. [2] Including primary departments of secondary schools. [3] At December from 1965/66 to 1973/74; September onwards. [4] For sessions up to 1967/68 certificated and uncertificated; for sessions 1968/69 to 1973/74, qualified and unqualified (registration with the General Teaching Council for Scotland is the mark of the qualified teacher); from 1974/75 all teachers employed in education authority and grant-aided schools are qualified. [5] Excluding pupils and teachers in primary departments of secondary schools. [6] In sessions 1965/66 to 1967/68, practical classes were excluded; from 1968/69, practical classes are included.

Source: Scottish Education Department

Educational building [1]

TABLE 5.14

Scotland

	1946 to 1976	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
New places									
Number of new places brought into use [2]:									
Total	1,357,798	74,699	74,265	69,345	62,432	69,342	66,611	65,925	55,332
Primary	661,423	36,035	22,540	19,990	22,597	36,552	37,187	30,259	29,369
Secondary	696,375	38,664	51,725	49,355	39,835	32,790	29,424	35,666	25,963
Approvals and progress (£ thousand)									
Value of projects approved [3] [4]	767,311	26,767	29,780	38,341	62,355	48,097	61,578	85,356	60,454
Primary and secondary [5]	600,279	20,279	17,242	28,293	49,011	37,203	49,406	73,731	45,550
Further education [4]	120,355	4,625	8,389	7,526	7,820	8,211	10,052	8,876	9,177
Training of teachers	23,452	1,494	3,449	712	1,534	584	197	847	1,836
Special schools	23,225	369	700	1,810	3,990	2,099	1,923	1,902	3,891
Contracts under construction (end of period) [4] [6]	144,204	91,527	82,635	77,478	107,548	105,941	121,835	130,633	144,204
Contracts completed [4] [6]	622,475	35,836	38,086	44,956	36,343	47,690	46,338	52,893	71,871

[1] Excluding building wholly financed from private sources. [2] Figures refer to the sum of the approved capacities of all the teaching rooms whether classrooms or practical rooms. (See introductory note on page 117.) [3] Figures refer to approval at the sketch plans stage, except those for period from 1954 to 1959, which refer to tenders accepted for approved projects. [4] For the period 1946 to 1968, values of libraries are included; thereafter are excluded. [5] Including school meals. [6] Valued at tender cost.

Source: Scottish Education Department

Further education [1]

Scotland

TABLE 5.15

Years ended 31 July

	1965/66 [3]	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74 [4]	1974/75 [6]	1975/76 [6]
Number of establishments											
Total	1,101	1,378	1,329	1,225	1,164	1,280	1,209	1,205	1,141	211	221
Central institutions	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	14	14
Further education centres:											
Day	92	103	88	86	82	91	83	89	82	74	75
Evening	996	1,262	1,228	1,126	1,069	1,176	1,113	1,103	1,046	123	132
Number of students											
Total	308,177	340,789	341,970	353,144	357,144	367,660	355,434	373,001	407,749	164,369	172,845
Central institutions	14,077	14,113	14,102	13,174	13,217	13,342	14,147	14,340	14,999	12,769	12,628
Further Education centres	294,100	326,676	327,868	339,970	343,927	354,318	341,287	358,661	392,750	151,600	160,217
Full-time students: Total	17,709	18,523	20,808	22,923	24,728	25,426	27,296	30,106	29,003	35,075	41,001
Students aged 15 and under 18 years as percentage of that age group [2] [3]	*3.7*	*3.7*	*3.9*	*4.3*	*4.2*	*3.8*	*4.0*	*5.9*	*3.3*	*5.2*	*7.0*
Central institutions:											
All students	6,112	6,546	6,897	7,217	7,494	8,074	8,679	9,219	9,679	10,409	10,371
Students aged 15 and under 18 years	654	624	608	557	533	517	618	623	534	683	686
Further education centres:											
All students	11,597	11,977	13,911	15,711	17,234	17,352	18,617	20,887	19,324	24,666	30,630
Students aged 15 and under 18 years	8,513	8,282	8,600	9,495	9,335	8,661	9,051	9,108	6,120	8,248	11,327
Part-time students [4]: Total	290,468	322,266	321,162	330,216	332,416	342,234	328,138	342,895	378,746	129,294	131,844
Students aged 15 and under 18 years as percentage of that age group [2] [3].	*27.5*	*26.6*	*26.9*	*26.8*	*27.6*	*26.3*	*24.1*	*35.2*	*30.2*	*27.6*	*25.8*
Central institutions:											
All students	7,965	7,567	7,205	5,957	5,723	5,268	5,468	5,121	5,320	2,360	2,257
Students aged 15 and under 18 years [5]	630	495	373	343	260	244	230	203	202	100	100
Further education centres:											
All students	282,503	314,699	313,957	324,259	326,693	336,966	322,670	337,774	373,426	126,934	129,587
Students aged 15 and under 18 years [5]	68,510	63,540	62,927	62,167	64,833	62,632	58,611	57,632	50,962	47,624	44,449

[1] Establishments managed or assisted by education authorities in receipt of direct grant from the Scottish Education Department. [2] Consequent upon the raising of the school leaving age, the student figures from 1972/73 relate mainly to those aged 16 and 17, but include small numbers of 15 year olds (released from school to attend further education); the population to which these figures are linked is however an amalgam of the 16 and 17 year old groups. [3] Percentages revised from 1972/73. [4] Including students released to employers during working hours. [5] From 1965/66 until 1973/74 these totals consist of the actual vocational figures together with estimates on non-vocational students. Statistics of non-vocational students by age have not been available since 1964/65 [6] Excluding establishments and students in respect of non-vocational courses.

Source: Scottish Education Department

School meals and milk [1]

Scotland

TABLE 5.16

Thousands

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Pupils present	742	821	777	854	850	875	865	895	931	934	911
Day pupils taking mid-day meals	330	387	378	403	375	362	362	393	430	467	465
Percentage of pupils taking mid-day meals	*44.5*	*47.2*	*48.7*	*47.2*	*44.1*	*41.3*	*41.9*	*43.9*	*46.2*	*50.0*	*51.0*
Pupils taking milk (day pupils and boarders)	653	714	682	550	547	559	272	290	298	300	288
Percentage of pupils taking milk	*87.8*	*86.7*	*87.6*	*93.8*	*94.0*	*94.0*	*46.5*	*48.4*	*48.4*	*48.9*	*49.0*

[1] The census of school meals and milk is taken on a day in January. The milk figures for 1969 to 1971 relate only to pupils receiving primary or special education; those from 1972 relate only to primary pupils who were provided with milk up to 1 August following their seventh birthday, older primary pupils receiving milk on medical grounds and pupils receiving special education.

Source: Scottish Education Department

Pupils on registers of grant-aided schools

Northern Ireland

TABLE 5.21

At January in each year

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Pupils on registers of primary, nursery, secondary [1] and special schools:											
Aged 2–4	10,668	12,153	13,131	15,077	15,935	17,709	19,511	20,417	21,044	21,306	22,601
Aged 5–14	271,857	276,901	282,962	288,996	294,668	300,077	302,003	301,892	302,703	302,543	302,096
Aged 15–18 [2]	23,400	25,097	29,907	31,834	33,007	34,193	35,479	36,165	45,493	46,524	48,459
Pupils on registers of:											
Primary schools	191,589	194,791	198,768	203,808	208,002	212,059	214,271	213,827	213,790	212,510	211,360
Nursery schools	642	630	687	781	861	992	1,038	1,097	1,145	1,192	1,770
Secondary schools [1]	111,812	116,755	124,457	129,204	132,599	136,669	139,404	141,259	151,966	154,322	157,507
Special schools	1,882	1,975	2,088	2,114	2,148	2,259	2,280	2,291	2,339	2,349	2,519

[1] Secondary (intermediate), technical intermediate and grammar schools including preparatory departments. [2] Including a small number aged 19 and over attending secondary schools.

Source: Department of Education.

Primary and secondary schools

Northern Ireland

At January in each year

TABLE 5.22

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Primary, nursery and special:											
Schools	1,443	1,411	1,376	1,335	1,302	1,266	1,250	1,209	1,190	1,176	1,176
Pupils on registers	194,113	197,396	201,543	206,703	211,011	215,310	217,589	217,215	217,274	216,051	215,649
Teachers	6,673	6,856	7,054	7,188	7,363	7,565	7,807	7,946	8,059	8,186	8,328
Pupils per teacher	29.1	28.8	28.6	28.8	28.7	28.5	27.9	27.3	27.0	26.4	25.9
Classes:											
Total	6,371	6,505	6,648	6,811	6,977	7,159	7,333	7,419	7,600	7,610	7,676
1-30 pupils	2,842	2,887	2,928	2,951	3,015	3,185	3,455	3,740	4,018	4,232	4,455
31-40 pupils	2,830	3,105	3,364	3,519	3,620	3,730	3,684	3,540	3,491	3,313	3,167
41-50 pupils	671	492	346	336	336	241	192	137	91	64	54
51 and over	28	21	10	5	6	3	2	2	–	1	–
Secondary [1]:											
Schools	250	256	260	264	266	265	261	259	259	261	262
Pupils on registers	111,812	116,755	124,457	129,204	132,599	136,669	139,404	141,259	151,966	154,322	157,507
Teachers [2]	5,408	5,788	6,061	6,483	6,800	7,192	7,487	7,805	8,492	8,683	8,999

[1] Intermediate, technical intermediate and grammar schools including preparatory departments. [2] Excluding teachers in technical intermediate schools.

Source: Department of Education

Educational building

TABLE 5.23

Northern Ireland

	1 April 1948 to 31 December 1975	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
Number of new places brought into use:										
Total	356,253	19,777	23,059	19,507	20,605	16,681	21,745	25,013	13,341	15,946
Primary	185,040	12,832	12,525	14,783	13,583	8,751	11,376	14,442	6,591	8,488
Secondary	171,213	6,945	10,534	4,724	7,022	7,930	10,369	10,571	6,750	7,458
Total cost of building works in connection with all types of schools and institutions (£ thousand)	132,215	6,731	9,859	6,736	8,765	6,437	12,004	10,137	7,522	13,339

Source: Department of Education

Further education

Northern Ireland
Years ended 31 July

TABLE 5.24

Number

	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76
Vocational and non-vocational courses											
Students enrolled[1] in:											
Grant aided institutions of further education: Total	56,766	61,962	64,878	61,845	62,394	67,474	56,838	55,567	56,580	61,041	70,789
Men	28,018	29,265	31,508	31,493	31,685	33,519	27,722	25,797	25,038	26,736	29,639
Women	28,748	32,697	33,370	30,352	30,709	33,955	29,116	29,770	31,542	34,305	41,150
Ulster College: Total	–	–	–	–	–	–	1,248	3,469	4,204	4,902	5,168
Men	–	–	–	–	–	–	840	2,773	3,291	3,781	3,824
Women	–	–		–	–	–	408	696	913	1,121	1,344
Courses of adult education provided by Queen's University, Belfast, Department of Extra-Mural Studies[2] New University of Ulster, Institute of Continuing Education[3] and Workers' Educational Association											
Three-year tutorial classes:											
Courses	35	–	5	5	11	17	27	38	11	59	8
Students[4] [5]	726	–	197	119	266	242	431	566	165	662	147
One-year courses:											
Courses	36	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Students[4]	914	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–
Short courses:											
Courses	78	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Students[4]	2,586	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sessional courses:											
Courses	–	65	78	77	94	98	88	92	127	80	158
Effective students[5]	–	1,437	2,116	1,783	1,798	1,551	1,229	1,165	1,490	1,051	1,754
Terminal courses:											
Courses	–	49	39	45	101	115	123	197	334	290	251
Effective students[5]	–	1,256	966	1,359	2,286	2,202	2,143	2,819	4,672	3,994	3,717
Other courses:											
Courses	–	4	–		7	4	1	3	–	35	52
Effective students[5]	–	82	–	–	133	71	54	81	–	524	786

[1] Excluding students attending technical intermediate (formerly junior technical) schools. [2] Prior to 1968/69 these courses were conducted by Queen's University Joint Committee for Adult Education; this committee was dissolved under new arrangements on 31 August 1968. [3] From 1970. [4] In 1965/66, those who completed one-third of the possible number of attendances. [5] From 1966/67 onwards, those who have attended at least two-thirds of the number of meetings and who have done such written work and private study as the tutor has required.

Source: Department of Education

School meals and milk [1]

Northern Ireland

TABLE 5.25

On a selected day in October each year

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
All schools											
Day pupils present [2]	299,035	311,072	318,303	326,155	332,199	339,209	332,824	346,938	345,107	352,349	353,212
Day pupils taking meals	154,343	165,185	179,201	172,648	162,075	151,130	162,782	184,377	198,246	204,368	207,599
Percentage of day pupils taking meals	*51.6*	*53.1*	*56.3*	*52.9*	*48.8*	*44.6*	*48.9*	*53.1*	*57.4*	*58.0*	*58.8*
Pupils present [2] [3] [4] and eligible to receive milk	303,485	315,426	198,480	202,481	206,211	107,246	103,001	101,683	98,775	98,521	94,630
Pupils taking milk (day pupils and boarders)	275,665	285,978	188,003	192,651	195,760	104,427	100,772	99,494	96,672	96,011	92,653
Percentage of pupils taking milk	*90.8*	*90.7*	*94.7*	*95.1*	*94.9*	*97.3*	*97.8*	*97.8*	*97.9*	*97.5*	*97.9*
Primary, special and independent schools											
Day pupils present [2]	183,013	187,994	192,625	196,695	200,439	203,835	197,962	202,374	199,540	201,664	198,431
Day pupils taking meals	86,195	91,794	100,811	96,571	90,496	84,553	92,495	104,959	113,719	116,571	118,881
Percentage of day pupils taking meals	*47.1*	*48.9*	*52.3*	*49.1*	*45.1*	*41.5*	*46.7*	*51.9*	*57.0*	*57.8*	*59.9*
Pupils present [2] [3] [4] and eligible to receive milk	183,430	188,341	192,987	197,049	200,815	104,882	101,069	99,688	96,781	96,573	93,031
Pupils taking milk (day pupils and boarders)	174,722	180,275	183,271	187,940	191,097	102,304	98,906	97,774	94,933	94,347	91,073
Percentage of pupils taking milk	*95.3*	*95.7*	*95.0*	*95.4*	*95.2*	*97.5*	*97.9*	*98.1*	*98.1*	*97.7*	*97.9*
Secondary schools [5]											
Day pupils present [2]	116,022	123,078	125,678	129,460	131,760	135,374	134,862	144,564	145,567	150,685	154,781
Day pupils taking meals	68,148	73,391	78,390	76,077	71,579	66,577	70,287	79,418	84,527	87,797	88,718
Percentage of day pupils taking meals	*58.7*	*59.6*	*62.4*	*58.8*	*54.3*	*49.2*	*52.1*	*54.9*	*58.1*	*58.3*	*57.3*
Pupils present [2] [3] [4] and eligible to receive milk	120,055	127,085	5,493	5,432	5,396	2,364	1,932	1,995	1,994	1,948	1,599
Pupils taking milk (day pupils and boarders)	100,943	105,703	4,732	4,711	4,663	2,123	1,866	1,720	1,739	1,664	1,580
Percentage of pupils taking milk	*84.1*	*83.2*	*86.2*	*86.7*	*86.4*	*89.8*	*96.6*	*86.2*	*87.2*	*85.4*	*98.8*

[1] From 1 September 1968 free milk ceased to be provided for pupils in secondary schools except for pupils in the preparatory departments of grammar schools: from 1 September 1971, with certain exceptions, free milk ceased to be provided for pupils over 7 years of age in primary schools and the preparatory departments of grammar schools. [2] The number of pupils present refers to those present at all schools which have milk/meals schemes in operation. [3] Includes boarders. [4] 1971 figure is estimated. [5] Includes technical intermediate schools and institutions of further education providing full-time day courses for pupils under 18 years of age.

Source: Department of Education

School-leavers by selected qualifications

Northern Ireland

TABLE 5.26

School years

Number

	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76
Boys with at least:											
1 'O' level [1]	2,854	3,088	3,401	3,904	3,872	4,226	4,443	4,589	5,371	5,218	5,447
As percentage of all leavers	*23.9*	*26.2*	*28.4*	*31.2*	*30.7*	*33.7*	*34.2*	*61.3*	*43.8*	*42.5*	*42.8*
5 'O' levels and/or 1 'A' level [1]	2,185	2,418	2,527	2,900	2,827	3,086	3,207	3,091	3,379	3,206	3,178
As percentage of all leavers	*18.3*	*20.5*	*21.1*	*23.2*	*22.4*	*24.6*	*24.7*	*41.3*	*27.5*	*26.1*	*24.9*
2 'A' levels	1,220	1,454	1,564	1,804	1,748	1,922	1,908	1,814	1,963	1,874	1,894
As percentage of all leavers	*10.2*	*12.3*	*13.0*	*14.4*	*13.8*	*15.3*	*14.7*	*24.2*	*16.0*	*15.3*	*14.9*
Girls with at least:											
1 'O' level [1]	2,416	2,636	2,851	3,465	3,846	4,135	4,531	4,760	5,596	5,758	5,802
As percentage of all leavers	*21.7*	*24.3*	*26.6*	*30.4*	*32.6*	*34.9*	*36.5*	*62.2*	*50.1*	*48.0*	*47.8*
5 'O' levels and/or 1 'A' level [1]	1,937	2,120	2,234	2,605	2,823	3,128	3,242	3,299	3,429	3,456	3,404
As percentage of all leavers	*17.4*	*19.5*	*20.8*	*22.9*	*23.9*	*26.4*	*26.1*	*43.1*	*30.7*	*28.8*	*28.1*
2 'A' levels	769	947	1,120	1,362	1,524	1,715	1,691	1,754	1,758	1,839	1,923
As percentage of all leavers	*6.9*	*8.7*	*10.4*	*12.0*	*12.9*	*14.5*	*13.6*	*22.9*	*15.7*	*15.3*	*15.8*

[1] Includes 'O' level passes on 'A' level papers, and from 1972/73 Grade 1 results in the CSE examination.

Source: Department of Education

Teacher training: students in initial training courses

Northern Ireland
At 31 December

TABLE 5.27

Number

	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
Queen's University Belfast, Department of Education: Men	57	62	73	76	69	68	74	76	62	64	66
Women	57	63	62	84	97	100	92	94	106	107	115
New University of Ulster											
Men				15	27	37	68	88	85	90	166
Women				56	101	139	246	237	279	323	421
Stranmillis College: Men	307	308	342	366	380	339	368	364	356	309	326
Women	760	839	853	842	792	847	886	906	921	936	943
St. Joseph's College of Education: Men	306	328	334	377	399	424	458	467	464	453	457
St. Mary's College of Education: Women	420	437	461	485	514	500	545	566	554	549	544
Ulster College, Faculty of Education: [1]											
Physical Education:											
Diploma: Men	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	6	18
Women	62	78	95	115	116	116	115	113	106	89	67
Degree: Men									8	12	17
Women									6	20	31
Domestic science: Women	149	161	160	168	167	163	164	158	152	139	149
Education of retarded children: Men	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	1	7	8	8
Women	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	29	53	75	74
Communications studies: Men									5	5	8
Women									5	6	14
Art: Men	–	3	7	10	7	6	12	11	11	12	17
Women	8	5	7	12	12	15	22	24	15	18	21
Craft subjects: Men				22	24	24	22	22	21	25	27
Music: Men											4
Women											6
Londonderry Technical College: Men	–	–	2	4	–	3	3	3	–	6	2
Women	–	–	8	20	21	23	18	18	17	11	18
Total Men	670	701	758	870	906	901	1,005	1,032	1,019	990	1,116
Total Women	1,456	1,583	1,646	1,782	1,820	1,903	2,088	2,145	2,214	2,273	2,403
Total	2,126	2,284	2,404	2,652	2,726	2,804	3,093	3,177	3,233	3,263	3,519

[1] From 1971 the former Colleges of Domestic Science, Physical Education and Art and Design were amalgamated in the Ulster College. The one-year courses of training in the Belfast College of Technology for teachers of craft subjects were also transferred to it.

Source: Department of Education

TABLE 5.31

Pupils in schools: all schools [1]

Number and percentage of the population 1966–1976

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974 [2] [3]	1975	1976
Age at the beginning of January											
Number (thousands)											
Boys and girls											
2-4	263.3	277.6	292.5	307.8	320.0	343.6	379.0	417.1	508.6	531.6	576.0
5-10	4,890.5	5,032.0	5,173.0	5,307.4	5,436.5	5,544.1	5,623.2	5,639.6	5,614.4	5,549.3	5,453.0
11	762.7	758.3	791.5	818.0	835.9	843.5	881.7	902.1	928.1	942.2	964.6
12-14	2,281.7	2,286.6	2,288.8	2,312.8	2,366.4	2,442.3	2,504.1	2,567.8	2,631.0	2,710.0	2,768.0
Total 2–14	8,198.2	8,354.7	8,545.8	8,745.9	8,958.8	9,173.4	9,388.0	9,526.6	9,682.1	9,733.0	9,761.7
15	475.2	478.8	502.1	522.8	526.1	533.6	566.5	599.2	831.9	840.7	876.0
16	226.3	229.8	242.4	256.6	268.4	272.5	281.9	292.0	399.9	429.0	432.3
17	127.6	131.3	136.6	143.0	150.8	156.9	161.0	162.8	162.5	166.5	175.3
18 and over	48.7	48.9	50.9	51.3	51.4	53.2	55.5	54.7	53.7	53.1	55.6
Total	9,076.0	9,243.5	9,477.8	9,719.4	9,955.6	10,189.7	10,452.9	10,635.2	11,130.1	11,222.3	11,300.8
Boys											
14	386.1	385.7	393.8	390.5	388.1	404.3	420.3	429.6	434.7	451.9	461.7
15	244.0	246.1	257.2	268.9	270.2	274.4	291.2	307.8	425.9	431.6	448.8
16	120.4	121.4	127.7	133.6	140.1	141.8	146.4	150.6	204.7	218.7	221.6
17	71.9	73.0	74.8	77.5	80.5	83.7	85.3	85.9	84.8	86.3	91.0
18 and over	31.6	31.6	32.2	31.9	31.6	32.1	33.3	32.3	31.2	30.6	31.9
Girls											
14	369.3	370.6	374.6	371.9	369.6	386.1	398.9	409.1	412.0	430.2	439.2
15	231.2	232.6	244.9	253.9	255.9	259.3	275.4	291.4	406.0	409.1	427.2
16	105.9	108.4	114.7	122.9	128.3	130.7	135.5	141.4	195.2	210.3	210.7
17	55.7	58.4	61.7	65.5	70.4	73.1	75.7	76.9	77.7	80.2	84.3
18 and over	17.1	17.3	18.6	19.4	19.8	21.1	22.2	22.4	22.5	22.5	23.7
As a percentage of population [4]											
Boys and girls											
2-4	*9.31*	*9.59*	*10.04*	*10.60*	*11.23*	*12.29*	*13.93*	*15.66*	*19.37*	*20.87*	*23.69*
5-10	*99.14*	*98.98*	*98.99*	*98.80*	*98.79*	*98.83*	*100.04*	*100.69*	*100.91*	*100.90*	*99.98*
11	*100.25*	*100.70*	*101.09*	*100.62*	*100.35*	*100.18*	*99.85*	*99.90*	*100.66*	*100.55*	*100.06*
12-14	*100.14*	*100.47*	*100.78*	*100.82*	*100.78*	*100.51*	*99.09*	*100.07*	*100.15*	*100.44*	*99.96*
15	*60.94*	*63.00*	*66.50*	*68.25*	*69.04*	*70.58*	*70.20*	*73.07*	*98.68*	*98.67*	*99.55*
16	*27.73*	*29.39*	*31.77*	*33.85*	*34.86*	*35.62*	*35.91*	*36.55*	*48.53*	*50.77*	*50.62*
17	*14.75*	*16.03*	*17.38*	*18.72*	*19.76*	*20.32*	*20.75*	*20.98*	*20.31*	*20.18*	*20.72*
18 and over [5]	*5.09*	*5.63*	*6.18*	*6.53*	*6.68*	*6.95*	*7.11*	*7.02*	*6.92*	*6.62*	*6.72*
Boys											
14	*99.54*	*100.44*	*100.97*	*100.39*	*100.28*	*100.57*	*99.13*	*99.68*	*99.47*	*100.42*	*99.94*
15	*61.00*	*63.43*	*66.63*	*68.60*	*69.46*	*70.90*	*70.34*	*73.11*	*98.36*	*98.54*	*99.51*
16	*28.74*	*30.35*	*32.66*	*34.61*	*35.65*	*36.27*	*36.33*	*36.64*	*48.39*	*50.39*	*50.48*
17	*16.19*	*17.38*	*18.61*	*19.92*	*20.75*	*21.30*	*21.38*	*21.48*	*20.63*	*20.40*	*20.97*
18 and over [5]	*6.44*	*7.12*	*7.65*	*7.99*	*8.08*	*8.25*	*8.26*	*8.05*	*7.80*	*7.43*	*7.52*
Girls											
14	*99.84*	*100.43*	*100.70*	*100.51*	*100.43*	*101.07*	*99.48*	*100.02*	*99.76*	*101.46*	*100.05*
15	*60.87*	*62.86*	*66.37*	*67.89*	*68.79*	*70.27*	*70.08*	*73.03*	*99.02*	*98.82*	*99.58*
16	*26.68*	*28.38*	*30.75*	*33.04*	*34.03*	*34.95*	*35.47*	*36.44*	*48.68*	*51.17*	*50.77*
17	*13.23*	*14.60*	*16.07*	*17.51*	*18.82*	*19.29*	*20.08*	*20.45*	*19.97*	*19.95*	*20.46*
18 and over [5]	*3.67*	*4.08*	*4.63*	*5.01*	*5.22*	*5.60*	*5.87*	*5.93*	*5.98*	*5.77*	*5.88*

[1] As at January. The Scotland component for the figures from 1975 onwards is at previous September. [2] From 1974 onwards, part-time pupils (aged 2–4) in England and Wales and in Scotland have each been counted as one pupil; in earlier years they are included as 0.5 pupil. [3] The minimum school leaving age was raised to 16 on 1 September 1972. The figures for 1974 are the first to reflect this change. [4] The Registrars General estimates of total population have sometimes been slightly below the number of children found to have attended school, or are less than the estimated number expected to attend school. [5] As a percentage of the 18 years age-group.

Sources: Department of Education and Science; Scottish Education Department; Department of Education (Northern Ireland)

Pupils in schools: public sector schools[1]

Numbers and percentage of the population 1966–1976

TABLE 5.32

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974 [2] [3]	1975	1976
Age at the beginning of January											
Number (thousands)											
Boys and girls											
2-4	240 4	249.1	264.9	280.6	293 2	317.7	352.9	390.1	475.3	499.2	544.9
5-10	4,664.3	4,808.7	4,956 0	5,093.4	5,223.7	5,335.1	5,415.8	5,432.7	5,405.1	5,343.6	5,257.2
11	706.3	702.6	736.2	762 4	780.2	788.7	826.2	846.1	870.5	883.7	906.6
12-14	2,091.4	2,098.4	2,104.1	2,129.2	2,183.2	2,258.0	2,319.4	2,380.6	2,441.3	2,515.6	2,572.6
Total 2-14	7,702.4	7,858.8	8,061 3	8,265 6	8,480.3	8,699.5	8,914.2	9,049.5	9,192.3	9,242.1	9,281.2
15	414.1	419.5	443 1	463 7	468 3	476.3	508.8	540.3	771.0	779.6	813.3
16	177.5	182.2	195.4	209.4	221.1	226.1	235.6	245.0	351.2	379.8	383.6
17	94.8	98.9	103.9	110.1	117.4	123.1	127.3	128.6	128.2	131.4	140.0
18 and over	37.0	37.2	39.0	39 3	40.0	41.7	43.8	43.3	42.3	41.6	43.9
Total	8,425.9	8,596.6	8,842 7	9,088.2	9,327 1	9,566 6	9,829.7	10,006.7	10,485.1	10,574.5	10,662.1
Boys											
14	353.9	353.5	361.5	358.9	356.8	372.5	388.1	397.4	402.0	418.5	427.5
15	212.7	215.4	226 9	237.9	239 9	244.0	260.7	276.7	394.0	399.1	415.4
16	93.8	95 4	101.9	107.8	113 9	116.2	120 7	124 6	178.0	191.5	194.3
17	52.3	54.0	55.8	58.5	61.4	64.5	66.1	66.5	65.2	66.5	70.7
18 and over	23.7	23.9	24.6	24.3	24 4	25.0	26.2	25.4	24.4	23.8	24.9
Girls											
14	338.5	339.6	344.7	342.6	340.8	357.2	370.0	379.7	382.9	400.0	409.6
15	201.4	204.1	216 2	225.8	228 4	232.3	248.1	263.5	377.0	380.5	397.9
16	83.7	86.7	93 6	101.6	107.2	109.8	114.8	120.4	173.2	188.2	189.3
17	42.5	44.9	48.1	51.6	56 0	58.8	61.3	62.1	63.0	64.9	69.2
18 and over	13.3	13.3	14.4	15.1	15 6	16.7	17.7	17.9	17.9	17.8	19.0
As a percentage of population											
Boys and girls											
2-4	*8.50*	*8.60*	*9.09*	*9.66*	*10.29*	*11.36*	*12.97*	*14.65*	*18.10*	*19.60*	*22.41*
5-10	*94.53*	*94.58*	*94.83*	*94.81*	*94.92*	*95.10*	*96.35*	*97.00*	*97.14*	*97.16*	*96.39*
11	*92.81*	*93.31*	*94.02*	*93.78*	*93.66*	*93.67*	*93.57*	*93.70*	*94.41*	*94.31*	*94.05*
12-14	*91.77*	*92.20*	*92.65*	*92.82*	*92.98*	*92.92*	*91.78*	*92.77*	*92.93*	*93.24*	*92.91*
15	*53.09*	*55.20*	*58.69*	*60.54*	*61.46*	*63.00*	*63.05*	*65.89*	*91.46*	*91.50*	*92.42*
16	*21.75*	*23.30*	*25.61*	*27.63*	*28.71*	*29.56*	*30.01*	*30.66*	*42.62*	*44.95*	*44.92*
17	*10.96*	*12.08*	*13.22*	*14.41*	*15.37*	*15.95*	*16.40*	*16.57*	*16.03*	*15.93*	*16.55*
18 and over [4]	*3.87*	*4.29*	*4.74*	*5.00*	*5.19*	*5.44*	*5.61*	*5.56*	*5.45*	*5.19*	*5.31*
Boys											
14	*91.21*	*92.06*	*92.69*	*92.26*	*92.20*	*92.66*	*91.53*	*92.20*	*91.99*	*93.00*	*92.53*
15	*53.18*	*55.52*	*58.78*	*60.69*	*61.67*	*63.05*	*62.97*	*65.72*	*90.99*	*91.12*	*92.11*
16	*22.39*	*23.85*	*26 06*	*27.93*	*28.98*	*29.72*	*29.95*	*30.32*	*42.08*	*44.12*	*44.26*
17	*11.78*	*12.86*	*13.88*	*15.04*	*15.82*	*16.41*	*16.57*	*16.63*	*15.86*	*15.72*	*16.29*
18 and over [4]	*4.83*	*5.38*	*5.84*	*6.09*	*6.24*	*6.43*	*6.50*	*6.33*	*6.10*	*5.78*	*5.87*
Girls											
14	*91.49*	*92.03*	*92.66*	*92.59*	*92.61*	*93.51*	*92.27*	*92.84*	*92.71*	*94.34*	*93.30*
15	*53.00*	*55.16*	*58.59*	*60 37*	*61.40*	*62.95*	*63.13*	*66.04*	*91.95*	*91.91*	*92.75*
16	*21.08*	*22.70*	*25.09*	*27.31*	*28.44*	*29.36*	*30.05*	*31.03*	*43.19*	*45.79*	*45.61*
17	*10.10*	*11.23*	*12.53*	*13.80*	*14.97*	*15.51*	*16.26*	*16.52*	*16.20*	*16.14*	*16.80*
18 and over [4]	*2.85*	*3.14*	*3.58*	*3.90*	*4.12*	*4.43*	*4.68*	*4.74*	*4.76*	*4.56*	*4.71*

[1] As at January. The Scotland component for the figures from 1975 onwards is at previous September. [2] From 1974 onwards, part-time pupils (aged 2–4) in England and Wales and in Scotland have each been counted as one pupil; in earlier years they are included as 0.5 pupil. [3] The minimum school leaving age was raised to 16 on 1 September 1972. The figures for 1974 are the first to reflect this change. [4] As a percentage of the 18 years age-group.

Sources: Department of Education and Science; Scottish Education Department, Department of Education (Northern Ireland)

Percentage of pupils remaining at school beyond the statutory leaving age[1] [2]

TABLE 5.33

At January

	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975 [3]
Public sector schools United Kingdom											
Boys and girls											
15[4]	39.8	42.4	45.7	49.9	52.7	54.2	55.2	56.8	58.5	–	–
16	22.2	24.0	25.7	28.2	30.3	31.5	32.4	33.8	33.5	25.7	26.0
17	11.3	12.2	13.5	14.8	16.0	17.1	17.7	18.3	18.6	17.7	17.4
18 and over	4.1	4.2	4.8	5.3	5.6	5.8	6.1	6.2	6.2	6.1	5.7
Boys											
15 [4]	40.0	42.6	46.0	50.1	52.8	54.2	55.2	57.0	58.6	–	–
16	23.2	24.8	26.3	28.8	30.6	31.7	32.5	33.8	33.4	24.9	25.2
17	12.4	13.2	14.4	15.5	16.7	17.6	18.1	18.6	18.8	17.7	17.3
18 and over	5.3	5.2	6.0	6.6	6.8	7.0	7.2	7.3	7.1	6.8	6.4
Girls											
15 [4]	39.6	42.2	45.4	49.6	52.5	54.3	55.1	56.5	58.5	–	–
16	21.2	23.2	25.1	27.6	29.9	31.2	32.2	33.7	33.6	26.5	26.8
17	10.1	11.2	12.5	14.0	15.4	16.6	17.2	18.0	18.4	17.8	17.6
18 and over	3.0	3.1	3.5	4.0	4.4	4.6	5.0	5.1	5.2	5.2	4.9
All schools United Kingdom											
Boys and girls											
15 [4]	43.8	46.4	49.4	53.2	55.7	57.3	58.1	59.5	61.3	–	–
16	26.3	28.1	29.7	32.1	34.0	35.1	35.9	37.2	36.9	29.2	29.5
17	13.9	15.1	16.4	17.8	19.1	20.2	20.7	21.3	21.7	20.7	20.5
18 and over	5.0	5.1	5.8	6.4	6.7	6.9	7.1	7.2	7.2	7.1	6.7
Boys											
15 [4]	44.0	46.7	49.8	53.5	56.1	57.4	58.3	59.9	61.4	–	–
16	27.7	29.2	30.7	33.1	34.8	35.8	36.5	37.8	37.3	29.0	29.3
17	15.6	16.7	17.9	19.1	20.2	21.1	21.6	22.1	22.4	21.2	20.7
18 and over	6.4	6.4	7.3	7.9	8.1	8.3	8.4	8.5	8.3	8.1	7.6
Girls											
15 [4]	43.5	46.1	49.0	52.9	55.4	57.1	57.9	59.1	61.2	–	–
16	24.9	26.8	28.7	31.0	33.2	34.3	35.3	36.7	36.6	29.5	29.7
17	12.2	13.5	14.9	16.4	17.8	19.1	19.7	20.5	20.9	20.3	20.2
18 and over	3.6	3.6	4.2	4.8	5.2	5.4	5.7	5.9	6.0	6.1	5.8
England and Wales											
Boys and girls											
15 [4]	44.3	47.1	50.2	53.6	56.2	57.7	59.1	60.6	61.3	–	–
16	26.8	28.6	30.3	32.6	34.5	35.5	36.2	37.5	37.2	26.8	27.0
17	13.9	15.1	16.5	17.9	19.1	20.1	20.6	21.2	21.6	20.8	20.7
18 and over	5.3	5.4	6.0	6.6	6.9	7.1	7.4	7.5	7.5	7.4	7.1
Scotland											
Boys and girls											
15 [4]	37.0	38.9	41.4	45.1	47.6	49.2	51.9	52.8	–	–	–
16	23.1	24.6	25.5	28.4	30.7	32.5	34.3	35.6	35.6	37.6	37.5
17	13.5	14.2	15.2	16.4	18.0	19.4	20.5	21.1	21.3	19.5	18.1
18 and over	2.9	2.8	2.9	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.2	2.9	2.2
Northern Ireland [5]											
Boys and girls											
15 [4]	40.7	41.8	45.0	57.6	58.9	59.2	60.9	62.5	62.6	–	–
16	23.0	25.0	26.1	29.3	31.5	33.0	33.5	34.9	34.6	44.5	47.7
17	15.5	16.8	18.8	20.5	22.2	23.5	23.8	24.0	24.1	22.2	21.9
18 and over	6.5	7.4	8.7	10.1	11.5	11.9	12.6	12.1	11.6	11.5	10.5

[1] All schools excluding special schools. [2] The number of pupils aged 15, 16, 17, 18 and over expressed as a percentage of the 13 year-old pupils 2, 3, 4 and 5 years earlier, respectively. [3] Based on the equivalent 14 year-old age groups for England, Wales and Northern Ireland, but on 13 year-olds for Scotland. [4] Since January 1965, 15-year-olds in England and Wales have been over school-leaving age only if born between January and August, as the Christmas leaving date was abolished. For the 15-year-old age group, therefore, the figures for England and Wales (and for the England and Wales constituent of the United Kingdom figures) for 1965 to 1973 are restricted to those born between January and August. Similar restrictions apply to the 16 year-olds from 1974. In Scotland, the figure of fifteen-year olds (and 16 year-olds from 1974) has been adjusted to include only those voluntarily staying on at school; except in 1973 where it is not appropriate to isolate 15-year-old pupils remaining at school beyond the statutory school leaving age since the raising of the school leaving age affected the numbers at January 1973. In Northern Ireland, where the December leaving date was abolished in 1967, the whole age group is regarded as above school-leaving age. [5] Excluding independent schools.

Sources: Department of Education and Science; Scottish Education Department; Department of Education (Northern Ireland)

Students at all grant-aided establishments of further education [1] [2]

TABLE 5.34

Autumn term

Thousands

	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
Type of course											
Full-time and sandwich	211	229	250	276	295	308	325	342	340	376	491
Day release and block release	663	693	712	722	727	706	661	636	613	625	691
Other courses	2,214	2,349	2,412	2,335	2,256	2,357	2,466	2,569	2,747	2,870	3,127
Total	3,088	3,270	3,374	3,332	3,278	3,371	3,452	3,547	3,700	3,871	4,309

[1] Excluding students at Colleges of Advanced Technology. [2] Excluding students in Scotland and Northern Ireland on non-vocational courses.

Sources: Department of Education and Science; Scottish Education Department; Department of Education (Northern Ireland)

Further education

TABLE 5.35

Autumn term 1975

	All courses[1]			Full-time courses		Sandwich courses		Other courses[1]	
	Total	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women
Number of students									
Total[2]	4,116,621	1,765,291	2,351,330	196,476	195,833	43,047	8,705	1,525,768	2,146,792
Aged under 18[2]	761,095	424,419	336,676	68,313	90,612	2,292	1,085	353,814	244,979
Aged 18–20	636,428	405,162	231,266	62,279	53,804	19,702	4,795	323,181	172,667
Aged 21 and over	2,719,098	935,710	1,783,388	65,884	51,417	21,053	2,825	848,773	1,729,146
Number of day release students included above [3]									
Total	*615,721*	*506,054*	*109,667*	..	..	..	..	*506,054*	*109,667*
Under 18	*195,675*	*155,217*	*40,458*	..	..	..	..	*155,217*	*40,458*
18 and over	*420,046*	*350,837*	*69,209*	..	...	..	..	*350,837*	*69,209*
Students following courses leading to recognised qualifications[4] [5]	1,400,452	943,259	457,193	181,941	159,783	41,947	8,373	719,371	289,037
All advanced courses	280,888	210,666	70,222	60,152	42,549	35,002	6,337	115,512	21,336
University degrees [7]	9,511	5,496	4,015	3,921	3,530	209	17	1,366	468
C N A A degrees [8]	69,495	49,646	19,849	25,474	15,651	19,843	3,214	4,329	984
Higher National Diploma	22,630	18,002	4,628	6,614	2,356	11,371	2,271	17	1
Higher National Certificate	40,867	35,204	5,663	19	1	37	8	35,148	5,654
Other advanced courses [5] [6]	138,385	102,318	36,067	24,124	21,011	3,542	827	74,652	14,229
All non-advanced courses	1,119,564	732,593	386,971	121,789	117,234	6,945	2,036	603,859	267,701
Ordinary National Diploma	27,544	18,769	8,775	15,392	8,264	3,375	509	2	2
Ordinary National Certificate	71,496	55,144	16,352	304	10	1.416	5	53,424	16,337
City and Guilds courses	488,828	418,973	69,855	35,605	17,866	1,509	194	381,859	51,795
GCE 'O' level and SCE 'O' grade	357,689	162,843	194,846	48,655	42,691	3	37	114,183	152,118
GCE 'A' level and SCE 'H' grade						2	–		
Other non-advanced courses[5]	174,007	76,864	97,143	21,833	48,403	640	1,291	54,391	47,449
Full-time and sandwich course students from outside the United Kingdom included above									
All courses	*44,038*	*34,112*	*9,926*						
Advanced courses	*16,518*	*13,663*	*2,855*						
Non-advanced courses	*27,520*	*20,449*	*7,071*						

[1] Students on non-vocational courses in Scotland and Northern Ireland are not included. [2] Includes boys and girls, in England and Wales, aged under fifteen years, attending evening institutes. [3] Including block release students. [4] For Northern Ireland full time courses include sandwich courses. [5] In Scotland figures include students on courses not leading to recognised qualifications. [6] In England and Wales full time courses include students on initial teacher training courses. [7] Including first and higher degrees and associateships and diplomas of Scottish Central Institutions. [8] Including first and higher degrees.

Sources: Department of Education and Science; Scottish Education Department; Department of Education (Northern Ireland)

Numbers continuing education aged 16 and over

Men and women

TABLE 5.36

1974/75[1]

Thousands

	Age on 31 December 1974									
	Total 16 and over	Total 16-17	16	17	Total 18-20	18	19	20	21-24	25 and over
Number										
Total population[2]		1,670.0	845.0	825.0	2,360.0	802.0	778.0	780.0	3,120.0	
Full-time and sandwich students:										
Schools	648.5[3]	595.0	429.0	166.5	53.1	48.9	4.2	–		
Further education										
Non-advanced[4]	251.5	130.7	64.5	66.2	68.2	37.2	19.7	11.4	27.0	25.5
Advanced	121.5	1.2	–	1.2	54.2	12.2	20.3	21.8	43.6	22.4
Colleges of education[5]	119.8	–	–	–	63.8	13.5	23.4	26.8	32.9	23.0
Universities	257.7	2.2	–	2.2	131.6	31.0	49.4	51.3	85.2	38.6
of which										
Undergraduates	209.1	2.2	–	2.2	131.4	31.0	49.4	51.1	61.9	13.4
Postgraduates	48.6	–	–	–	0.2	–	–	0.2	23.3	25.2
Total full-time and sandwich students	1,399.0	729.1	493.5	236.2	371.0	142.7	117.1	111.3	188.8	109.5
Part-time students in further education[6] [7]										
Part-time day	812.4	246.1	105.0	141.1	249.0	114.8	82.4	51.8	317.2	
Evening	2,514.1	205.4	108.4	97.0	204.2	81.6	63.1	59.4	2,104.5	
Total part-time students	3,326.5	451.6	213.4	238.2	453.2	196.5	145.5	111.2	2,421.7	
As percentage of population										
Full-time and sandwich students:										
Schools		*35.7*	*50.8*	*20.2*	*2.2*	*6.1*	*0.5*	–		
Further education										
Non-advanced		*7.8*	*7.6*	*8.0*	*2.9*	*4.6*	*2.5*	*1.5*	*0.9*	
Advanced		*0.1*	–	*0.1*	*2.3*	*1.5*	*2.6*	*2.8*	*1.4*	
Colleges of education		–	–	–	*2.7*	*1.7*	*3.0*	*3.4*	*1.1*	
Universities		*0.1*	–	*0.3*	*5.6*	*3.9*	*6.3*	*6.6*	*2.7*	
of which										
Undergraduates		*0.1*	–	*0.3*	*5.6*	*3.9*	*6.3*	*6.6*	*2.0*	
Postgraduates		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	*0.7*	
Total full-time and sandwich students		*43.7*	*58.4*	*28.6*	*15.7*	*17.8*	*15.1*	*14.3*	*6.1*	
Part-time students in further education:										
Part-time day		*14.7*	*12.4*	*17.1*	*10.6*	*14.3*	*10.6*	*6.6*	..	
Evening		*12.3*	*12.8*	*11.8*	*8.7*	*10.2*	*8.1*	*7.6*	..	
Total part-time students		*27.0*	*25.3*	*28.9*	*19.2*	*24.5*	*18.7*	*14.3*	..	

[1] Schools at January 1975 for England, Wales and Northern Ireland and September 1974 for Scotland; other establishments at Autumn 1974. [2] Registrars General estimate for 1 January 1975. [3] Including 235.0 thousand pupils in England and Wales aged 16 but under school leaving age (27.8% of the 16 year old age group in the United Kingdom and 14.1% of the 16–17 year old age group). [4] Including full-time and sandwich students on advanced courses not leading to a recognised qualification in England, Wales and Scotland. The number in Scotland was 212; the number in England and Wales cannot be quantified. [5] Excluding departments of education in polytechnics. [6] Excluding students on non-vocational courses in Scotland, the number cannot be quantified. [7] Excluding 39,000 students in Northern Ireland on non-vocational courses, some of which are provided by Responsible Bodies, for whom no age analysis is available. The table also excludes 324,800 students in England and Wales taking courses of adult education provided by Responsible Bodies or at centres of adult education.

Source: Department of Education and Science; Scottish Education Department; Department of Education (Northern Ireland)

Number of students in higher education[1]

TABLE **5.37**

Thousands

		1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76
All students:	Total . . .	432.7	483.8	530.4	563.7	589.9	601.3	615.8	622.1	638.7	651.6	677.7
	Men	306.0	338.0	364.5	382.7	399.2	401.5	408.4	407.3	411.8	418.8	435.7
	Women. .	126.6	145.7	166.0	181.0	190.6	199.8	207.4	214.8	226.9	232.7	242.0
Universities[2]	Total . . .	186.4	206.8	224.1	239.2	250.7	258.7	266.1	270.4	275.6	283.1	295.0
Full time:	Total . . .	173.3	189.3	205.2	217.4	226.1	235.3	242.6	246.8	251.2	257.7	268.7
Undergraduate level:	Total . . .	144.5	156.8	169.6	178.9	186.2	192.4	197.3	199.9	203.6	209.1	218.1
	Men	104.6	112.4	121.0	127.1	131.2	133.9	135.3	134.7	135.0	136.3	140.8
	Women. .	39.9	44.4	48.6	51.9	55.0	58.6	62.0	65.2	68.6	72.8	77.3
Postgraduate level:	Total . . .	28.8	32.4	35.6	38.4	39.9	42.8	45.3	46.9	47.6	48.6	50.6
	Men	22.9	25.8	27.9	30.0	31.1	33.1	35.0	35.8	35.8	36.1	37.3
	Women. .	6.0	6.7	7.7	8.4	8.8	9.7	10.3	11.1	11.8	12.5	13.4
Part-time:	Total . . .	13.1	17.5	18.9	21.8	24.6	23.4	23.5	23.6	24.4	25.4	26.3
Undergraduate level:	Total . . .	4.8	4.4	4.6	5.0	5.1	5.3	3.7	3.4	3.5	3.4	3.8
	Men	3.5	2.9	3.0	3.0	2.9	3.0	2.3	2.1	2.0	1.8	2.0
	Women. .	1.3	1.4	1.5	2.0	2.2	2.3	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.8
Postgraduate level:	Total . . .	8.3	13.1	14.4	16.8	19.5	18.1	19.8	20.1	20.9	22.0	22.5
	Men	6.9	11.3	12.2	14.3	16.4	14.9	16.1	16.2	16.5	17.1	17.3
	Women. .	1.3	1.8	2.1	2.5	3.1	3.2	3.7	4.0	4.4	4.9	5.2
Colleges of education[3] [4]												
Full time:	Total . . .	85.2	98.2	108.8	118.6	119.7	123.8	126.2	127.2	130.3	118.4	382.7
Advanced courses in further education establishments[5]	Total . . .	161.1	178.8	197.5	205.9	219.5	218.8	223.4	224.5	232.8	250.1	
Full time[6]	Total . . .	50.9	60.5	72.0	83.5	91.8	97.5	104.7	107.9	114.0	121.5	246.1
	Men	39.1	47.2	55.1	63.3	68.9	72.7	77.4	78.1	80.6	84.1	123.1
	Women. .	11.8	13.3	17.0	20.2	22.9	24.8	27.3	29.9	33.4	37.4	123.1
Part-time:	Total . . .	60.0	66.1	74.3	75.9	80.0	76.5	77.0	77.2	80.3	89.4	95.7
	Men	56.9	62.1	69.3	70.3	73.5	69.8	69.4	68.5	69.7	76.5	80.2
	Women. .	3.1	4.0	5.0	5.6	6.5	6.7	7.6	8.7	10.6	12.9	15.4
Evening only:	Total . . .	50.2	52.2	51.2	46.5	47.7	44.8	41.7	39.4	38.5	39.2	40.9
	Men	47.9	48.5	46.3	42.1	42.9	39.8	37.0	34.5	33.4	33.7	35.0
	Women. .	2.3	3.7	4.9	4.4	4.7	5.0	4.7	4.9	5.1	5.4	5.8

[1] Including overseas students. [2] Including from 1971/72 students at universities on courses 'not of university standard'. [3] Excluding departments of education in polytechnics, but prior to 1973/74 Northern Ireland students in teacher training courses at the Ulster College (the Northern Ireland polytechnic) are included. [4] Because of a reorganisation of teacher training institutions in England and Wales it would be misleading from 1975/76 to continue to show separate figures for colleges of education for the United Kingdom, even though colleges of education in Scotland and Northern Ireland remain as before. From 1975/76 figures for students in colleges of education have therefore been amalgamated with those on full-time courses in establishments of further education. [5] Public sector and assisted only. Excluding students on courses not leading to a recognised qualification, but including in 1975/76 52 such students in Northern Ireland. In 1975/76 the number in Scotland was 602. [6] Including sandwich courses.

Source: Department of Education and Science; Scottish Education Department; Department of Education (Northern Ireland)

Full-time teachers in all grant-aided schools and establishments [1]

TABLE **5.38**

Number

	1972/73			1973/74[2]			1974/75[3]		
	Graduates	Non-graduates	Total	Graduates	Non-graduates	Total	Graduates	Non-graduates	Total
Men and women									
Maintained primary and secondary:									
Primary [4]	16,317	204,082	220,399	18,621	208,914	227,535	21,488	213,609	235,097
Secondary	90,857	132,976	223,833	100,748	139,386	240,134	107,129	140,313	247,442
Total	107,174	337,058	444,232	119,369	348,300	467,669	128,617	353,922	482,539
Other grant-aided schools and establishments:									
Special	1,355	11,955	13,310	1,575	13,071	14,646	1,860	13,854	15,714
Colleges of education	7,217	5,293	12,510	7,398	5,304	12,702	7,336	5,084	12,420
Further education	23,217	40,758	63,975	24,512	41,669	66,181	26,302	43,716	70,018
Direct grant—grammar	6,930	3,458	10,388	6,945	3,438	10,383	7,010	3,505	10,515
Miscellaneous	592	2,638	3,230	736	2,738	3,474	961	3,579	4,540
Total	39,311	64,102	103,413	41,166	66,220	107,386	43,469	69,738	113,207
Men									
Maintained primary and secondary:									
Primary [4]	6,170	43,796	49,966	6,853	43,824	50,677	7,505	43,831	51,336
Secondary	56,296	70,604	126,900	62,228	72,561	134,789	66,227	73,227	139,454
Total	62,466	114,400	176,866	69,081	116,385	185,466	73,732	117,058	190,790
Other grant-aided schools and establishments:									
Special	586	4,395	4,981	664	4,627	5,291	751	4,850	5,601
Colleges of education	5,419	3,039	8,458	5,573	3,068	8.641	5,509	2,971	8,480
Further education	19,675	33,853	53,528	20,613	34,283	54,896	21,865	35,507	57,372
Direct grant—grammar	4,061	1,370	5,431	4,064	1,390	5,454	4,059	1,439	5,498
Miscellaneous	429	1,758	2,187	516	1,916	2,432	646	2,122	2,768
Total	30,170	44,415	74,585	31,430	45,284	76,714	32,830	46,889	79,719
Women									
Maintained primary and secondary:									
Primary [4]	10,147	160,286	170,433	11,768	165,090	176,858	13,983	169,778	183,761
Secondary	34,561	62,372	96,933	38,520	66,825	105,345	40,902	67,086	107,988
Total	44,708	222,658	267,366	50,288	231,915	282,203	54,885	236,864	291,749
Other grant-aided schools and establishments:									
Special	769	7,560	8,329	911	8,444	9,355	1,109	9,004	10,113
Colleges of education	1,798	2,254	4,052	1,825	2,236	4,061	1,827	2 113	3,940
Further education	3,542	6,905	10,447	3,899	7,386	11,285	4,437	8,209	12,646
Direct grant—grammar	2,869	2,088	4,957	2,881	2,048	4,929	2,951	2,066	5,017
Miscellaneous	163	880	1,043	220	822	1,042	315	1,457	1,772
Total	9,141	19,687	28,828	9,736	20,936	30,672	10,639	22,849	33,488

[1] Figures for England and Wales and Northern Ireland relate to 31 March and figures for Scotland to December in each year. [2] Revised. [3] Provisional. [4] Figures for primary schools in England and Wales include nursery schools.

Sources: Department of Education and Science; Scottish Education Department; Department of Education (Northern Ireland)

Training of teachers

Students admitted to courses of initial training

TABLE 5.39

Number

	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
Men											
Graduates											
One-year courses											
In university departments of education	1,951	2,077	2,136	2,313	2,343	2,424	2,566	2,625	2,495	2,308	2,487
In other institutions	741	825	985	1,272	1,549	1,931	3,186	4,161	3,774	3,106	3,693
Two-year courses											
In university departments of education	–	–	–	–	7	12	12	7	7	2	3
Non-graduates											
One-year general courses	83	97	45	82	124	118	199	293	282	226	293
One-year specialist courses	1,351	1,418	1,505	1,611	1,429	1,581	1,798	1,985	1,809	1,692	1,940
Two-year courses	452	579	642	659	490	406	465	436	332	267	245
Three-year and four-year courses [1]	7,767	8,952	9,650	10,409	10,297	10,059	10,881	10,849	9,504	7,764	6,951
All students	12,345	13,948	14,963	16,346	16,239	16,531	19,107	20,356	18,203	15,365	15,612
Women											
Graduates											
One-year courses											
In university departments of education	1,776	1,898	2,196	2,480	2,461	2,706	2,653	2,706	2,541	2,533	2,538
In other institutions	959	1,034	1,319	1,696	2,008	2,499	3,481	3,918	4,192	3,992	4,147
Non-graduates											
One-year general courses	63	62	69	76	149	276	328	389	332	317	402
One-year specialist courses	971	939	1,181	1,333	1,474	1,462	1,558	1,518	1,584	1,661	1,690
Two-year courses	766	1,373	1,430	1,450	1,062	881	773	607	621	541	399
Three-year and four-year courses [1]	23,235	25,555	27,314	29,853	29,482	29,000	29,792	29,084	27,793	25,586	23,000
All students	27,770	30,861	33,509	36,888	36,636	36,824	38,585	38,222	37,063	34,630	32,176

Students on initial training courses

Number

	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
Men											
Graduates											
One-year courses											
In university departments of education	1,953	2,077	2,139	2,313	2,345	2,424	2,566	2,625	2,494	2,309	2,490
In other institutions	743	824	988	1,274	1,549	1,933	3,196	4,155	3,777	3,115	3,697
Two-year courses											
In university departments of education	–	–	–	–	7	18	25	21	16	12	13
Non-graduates											
One-year general courses	83	97	45	82	124	121	200	293	284	226	293
One-year specialist courses	1,358	1,422	1,510	1,611	1,429	1,580	1,798	2,010	1,810	1,691	1,950
Two-year courses	857	1,027	1,243	1,320	1,135	856	851	873	740	582	481
Three-year and four-year courses [1]	19,944	23,023	25,931	28,248	29,438	30,099	30,922	31,446	30,662	28,043	24,999
All students	24,938	28,470	31,856	34,848	36,027	37,031	39,558	41,423	39,783	35,978	33,923
Women											
Graduates											
One-year courses											
In university departments of education	1,776	1,898	2,199	2,480	2,462	2,706	2,652	2,706	2,543	2,538	2,541
In other institutions	963	1,035	1,326	1,699	2,028	2,510	3,496	3,934	4,194	4,002	4,159
Non-graduates											
One-year general courses	63	62	69	76	149	282	330	394	337	320	408
One-year specialist courses	977	951	1,214	1,344	1,470	1,493	1,558	1,542	1,585	1,530	1,690
Two-year courses	1,400	2,123	2,763	2,930	2,475	1,865	1,591	1,325	1,197	1,120	893
Three-year and four-year courses [1]	57,107	65,731	73,720	79,973	82,839	84,792	85,539	84,904	83,856	80,553	75,546
All students	62,286	71,800	81,291	88,502	91,423	93,648	95,166	94,805	93,712	90,063	85,237

[1] In Northern Ireland a five-year honours degree and training course was provided until 1966.

Sources: Department of Education and Science; Scottish Education Department; Department of Education (Northern Ireland)

Training of teachers

Students successfully completing courses of initial training

TABLE **5.40**

Academic years

Number

	1964/65	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75
Men and women											
Graduates											
One-year courses											
In university departments of education	3,559	3,558	3,754	4,178	4,589	4,576	4,873	4,947	5,075	4,772	4,522
In other institutions	1,644	1,556	1,738	2,087	2,705	3,300	4,087	6,211	7,434	7,266	6,496
Two year courses											
In university departments of education	–	–	–	–	–	–	6	14	12	9	7
Non-graduates											
One-year general courses	150	134	137	106	140	238	415	502	620	549	480
One-year specialist courses	2,263	2,168	2,376	2,510	2,747	2,740	2,836	3,145	3,341	3,117	3,026
Two-year courses	853	941	1,217	1,738	1,809	1,805	1,350	1,011	960	780	703
Three-year courses[1]	16,761	19,764	22,434	26,712	29,826	28,578	29,687	29,143	27,126	26,832	31,797
Four-year courses [1] [2]	308	274	315	369	411	518	3,284	4,044	4,500	5,399	
All courses	25,538	28,395	31,971	37,700	42,227	41,755	46,538	49,017	49,068	48,724	47,031
Men											
Graduates											
One-year courses											
In university departments of education	1,837	1,838	1,925	2,028	2,194	2,204	2,262	2,396	2,463	2,325	2,117
In other institutions	809	664	772	873	1,146	1,417	1,764	2,943	3,769	3,344	2,785
Two year courses											
In university departments of education	–	–	–	–	–	–	6	14	12	9	7
Non-graduates											
One-year general courses	99	77	83	40	74	103	129	187	263	254	195
One-year specialist courses	1,422	1,256	1,380	1,403	1,486	1,345	1,454	1,673	1,884	1,682	1,565
Two-year courses	354	364	476	534	559	555	403	301	347	328	232
Three-year courses[1]	4,132	4,989	5,555	6,452	7,487	6,721	6,851	6,616	6,019	6,097	8,245
Four-year courses [1] [2]	163	152	191	215	205	210	1,347	1,577	1,773	1,947	
All courses	8,816	9,340	10,382	11,545	13,151	12,555	14,216	15,707	16,530	15,986	15,146
Women											
Graduates											
One-year courses											
In university departments of education	1,722	1,720	1,829	2,150	2,395	2,372	2,611	2,551	2,612	2,447	2,405
In other institutions	835	892	966	1,214	1,559	1,883	2,323	3,268	3,665	3,922	3,711
Non-graduates											
One-year general courses	51	57	54	66	66	135	286	315	357	295	285
One-year specialist courses	841	912	996	1,107	1,261	1,395	1,382	1,472	1,457	1,435	1,461
Two-year courses	499	577	741	1,204	1,250	1,250	947	710	613	452	471
Three-year courses[1]	12,629	14,775	16,879	20,260	22,339	21,857	22,836	22,527	21,107	20,735	23,552
Four-year courses [1] [2]	145	122	124	154	206	308	1,937	2,467	2,727	3,452	
All courses	16,722	19,055	21,589	26,155	29,076	29,200	32,322	33,310	32,538	32,738	31,885

[1] Students who successfully completed three year courses in the years 1969/70 and later years exclude those in England and Wales who went on to a fourth year of study for a Bachelor of Education degree. Students who completed the fourth year of study for a B. Ed. degree in the years 1970/71 and later years are included in the number successfully completing four year courses of initial training whether or not they obtained the degree.

[2] Most students take a four-year course but in Northern Ireland a five-year honours degree and training course was provided until 1966.

Sources: Department of Education and Science; Scottish Education Department; Department of Education (Northern Ireland)

New awards taken up [1]

United Kingdom

TABLE **5.51**

Calendar years

Number

	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975[2]
Awarded by education departments											
Universities											
Undergraduate awards [3]											
Men	4,421	4,255	4,714	4,766	5,096	5,207	5,201	5,203	5,292	4,858	5,198
Women	2,192	2,174	2,307	2,342	2,544	2,818	3,009	3,031	3,163	3,355	3,559
Total	6,613	6,429	7,021	7,108	7,640	8,025	8,210	8,234	8,455	8,213	8,757
Postgraduate awards:											
Men	786	639	780	674	769	919	1,010	939	998	809	924
Women	243	271	285	291	316	462	501	513	637	515	586
Total	1,029	910	1,065	965	1,085	1,381	1,511	1 452	1,635	1,324	1,510
All university awards:											
Men	5,207	4,894	5,494	5,440	5,865	6,126	6,211	6,142	6,290	5,667	6,122
Women	2,435	2,445	2,592	2,633	2,860	3,280	3,510	3,544	3,800	3,870	4,145
Total	7,642	7,339	8,086	8,073	8,725	9,406	9,721	9,686	10,090	9,537	10,267
Further education [4]											
Men	1,164	1,353	1,268	1,446	1,903	1,856	2,045	2,153	2,483	2,637	3,396
Women	944	971	1,013	1,064	1,526	1,452	1,557	1,795	2,097	2,318	2,799
Total	2,108	2,324	2,281	2,510	3,429	3,308	3,602	3,948	4,580	4,955	6,195
Adult Education Bursaries [5]											
Men	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	157
Women	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	67
Total	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	224
All awards											
Men	6,371	6,247	6,762	6,886	7,768	7,982	8,256	8,295	8,773	8,304	9,675
Women	3,379	3,416	3,605	3,697	4,386	4,732	5,067	5,339	5,897	6,188	7,011
Total	9,750	9,663	10,367	10,583	12,154	12,714	13,323	13,634	14,670	14,492	16,686
Awarded by the Research Councils[6]											
Postgraduate awards:											
Men	..	..	3,865	4,373	5,193	..	..	..	..	5,541	5,413
Women	..	..	425	610	776	..	..	..	..	1,175	1,229
Total	3,279	3,839	4,290	4,983	5,969	6,823	6,967	6,871	6,825	6,716	6,642
Awarded by local education authorities											
Full value awards											
Universities:											
Men	29,952	31,478	33,621	34,068	33,571	33,764	33,989	33,922	33,139	34,170	..
Women	12,582	13,250	13,973	14,586	15,112	16,202	16,746	17,513	18,251	19,356	..
Total	42,534	44,728	47,594	48,654	48,683	49,966	50,735	51,435	51,390	53,526	56,050
Further education:											
Men	19,043	24,817	28,667	30,750	31,266	31,522	33,944	34,022	32,570	33,858	..
Women	10,165	12,536	13,804	14,783	15,435	16,090	17,927	18,893	20,015	22,296	..
Total	29,208	37,353	42,471	45,533	46,701	47,612	51,871	52,915	52,585	56,154	60,189
All full value awards											
Men	48,995	56,295	62,288	64,818	64,837	65,286	67,933	67,944	65,709	68,028	..
Women	22,747	25,786	27,777	29,369	30,547	32,292	34,673	36,406	38,266	41,652	..
Total	71,742	82,081	90,065	94,187	95,384	97,578	102,606	104,350	103,975	109,680	116,239
Lesser value awards [7]											
Men	7,190	8,982	10,196	10,543	11,941	12,667	12,764	12,603	10,844	10,523	13,622
Women	6,865	8,847	10,529	10,500	11,941	13,290	13,603	14,773	13,442	13,832	20,175
Total	14,055	17,829	20,725	21,043	23,882	25,957	26,367	27,376	24,286	24,355	33,797

[1] Mainly taken up in the autumn of the years stated. [2] Academic year 1975–76 for awards by local education authorities. [3] A small number of these awards, were held by students in advanced courses at establishments of further education. [4] In Scotland and Northern Ireland from 1965 to 1968; figures from 1969 onwards are for the United Kingdom. [5, Scheme commenced in September 1975 and operates in England and Wales. [6] Academic years. [7] From 1969 the figures include 'Pre-vocational' bursaries awarded by the education authorities in Scotland.

Sources: Department of Education and Science; Scottish Education Department; Department of Education (Northern Ireland)

New awards taken up 1967/68 to 1975/76

England and Wales

TABLE 5.52

Academic years

	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75[1]	1975/76[1] [7]
The Department of Education and Science									
Undergraduate awards									
Mature state scholarships	24	23	26	21	18	28	23	26	28
Adult Education Bursaries[2]	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	224
All undergraduate awards	24	23	26	21	18	28	23	26	252
State studentship and state bursaries[2]									
State studentships									
One year studentships									
Men	153	128	198	204	226	234	253	220	225
Women	87	74	102	152	163	161	190	167	148
Major studentships									
Men	456	362	383	399	388	382	374	337	369
Women	159	183	159	153	155	176	183	182	232
All state studentships									
Men	609	490	581	603	614	616	627	557	594
Women	246	257	261	305	318	337	373	349	380
State bursaries									
Men	—	—	346	347	360	366	368	404	407
Women	—	—	338	305	339	352	368	381	383
All state studentships and state bursaries									
Men	609	490	927	950	974	982	995	961	1,001
Women	246	257	599	610	657	689	741	730	763
Total	855	747	1,526	1,560	1,631	1,671	1,736	1,691	1,764
Awards to students in university departments of education[3]	4,458	4,754	4,843	5,184	5,276	5,422	5,054	4,909	..
The research councils[4]	4,290	4,983	5,969	6,823	6,967	6,871	6,825	6,716	6,642
Local education authorities									
Full value awards[5]									
Universities									
Men	32,314	32,576	32,100	32,272	32,301	32,450	31,728	32,704	53,539
Women	13,323	13,992	14,301	15,451	15,930	16,644	17,308	18,409	
Establishments of further education[6]									
First degree and comparable courses									
Men	9,556	10,197	10,527	11,062	11,860	12,021	11,599	12,362	20,491
Women	3,273	3,466	3,733	4,058	4,482	4,886	5,260	6,029	
Other courses (including post-graduate courses)									
Men	19,252	20,137	20,303	20,282	21,242	21,431	20,268	20,850	38,330
Women	10,495	11,153	11,514	11,954	13,088	13,962	14,658	16,167	
All full value awards									
Men	61,122	62,910	62,930	63,616	65,403	65,902	63,595	65,916	..
Women	27,091	28,611	29,548	31,463	33,500	35,492	37,226	40,605	..
Total	88,213	91,521	92,478	95,079	98,903	101,394	100,821	106,521	112,360
Teacher training awards									
Men	..	..	..	11,677	13,585	13,965	12,808	10,608	..
Women	..	..	..	28,005	29,372	28,823	28,598	26,422	..
Total	..	..	..	39,682	42,957	42,788	41,406	37,030	42,037
All awards	97,840	102,028	104,842	148,349	155,752	158,174	155,865	156,893	154,397
Lesser value awards									
Local education authorities									
Men	8,789	8,651	9,228	9,080	9,253	9,912	8,389	9,414	11,511
Women	9,549	9,114	9,941	10,374	10,760	12,296	11,146	12,786	17,280
Total	18,338	17,765	19,169	19,454	20,013	22,208	19,535	22,200	28,791

[1] A spouse's contribution scheme was introduced in the academic year 1974/75. [2] The State Studentship Scheme has operated from 1957, the State Bursary Scheme from 1969 and the Adult Education Bursary Scheme from 1975. [3] Including awards to students at art training centres at universities. Excluding serving teachers on secondment. [4] The figures refer to Great Britain, except for the Medical Research Council, which refer to the United Kingdom. [5] Post-graduate and other courses at universities are included under Universities for the years 1967/68 to 1969/70. From 1970/71 they are included under other courses at establishments of further education. [6] For the years before 1971 further first degree courses are included under other courses. From 1971 they are included under first degree courses. [7] From 1975/76 awards to students in university departments of education are made by local education authorities.

Source: Department of Education and Science.

Awards

Scotland

Awards made for full-time courses of further education

Years ended 31 July

TABLE 5.53

Number

	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76
Total awards:											
New awards	16,852	15,902	17,585	18,225	18,689	19,064	20,395	20,144	19,714	19,579	24,572
Current awards	39,258	41,722	45,766	48,739	50,898	52,993	56,066	57,867	57,011	59,039	59,444
Expenditure on current awards (£ thousand)	11,579	12,617	13,916	15,702	16,755	18,358	21,251	22,274	23,269	30,925	39,018
University courses[1]:											
New awards	6,585	6,408	6,997	7,085	7,614	8,042	8,295	8,259	8,576	8,209	8,878
Current awards	18,627	19,847	21,771	22,856	24,141	25,403	26,383	27,084	27,607	28,419	28,421
Expenditure on current awards (£ thousand)	5,825	6,139	6,692	7,367	7,822	8,555	9,738	9,881	10,681	14,507	18,269
Central institution courses[1]:											
New awards	1,655	1,715	1,745	1,783	1,743	2,226	2,124	2,331	2,218	2,532	2,705
Current awards	4,236	4,671	4,955	5,211	5,102	5,903	5,961	6,421	6,529	7,496	7,156
Expenditure on current awards (£ thousand)	1,346	1,470	1,567	1,763	1,714	1,967	2,235	2,462	2,661	3,923	4,810
College of education courses[1]:											
New awards	2,448	2,252	2,421	2,645	2,588	2,593	2,941	2,793	3,196	3,062	4,951
Current awards	7,069	7,662	8,200	8,659	9,242	9,202	10,221	10,435	10,613	11,064	10,678
Expenditure on current awards (£ thousand)	2,350	2,537	2,741	3,032	3,201	3,236	3,966	4,058	4,498	5,892	7,542
Other courses[1]:											
New awards	4,887	4,455	5,008	5,088	5,142	4,660	5,284	5,773	5,282	5,401	7,432
Current awards	6,827	6,915	7,546	8,032	7,920	7,861	8,632	9,793	9,247	10,192	11,882
Expenditure on current awards (£ thousand)	1,019	1,111	1,318	1,544	1,729	2,216	2,546	3,289	3,477	4,933	7,143
Teachers' special recruitment scheme[2]:											
New awards	1,202	1,013	1,330	1,546	1,536	1,465	1,675	912	364	311	530
Current awards	2,369	2,483	3,128	3,816	4,336	4,458	4,694	3,956	2,841	1,713	1,143
Expenditure on current awards (£ thousand)	964	1,280	1,499	1,891	2,193	2,280	2,637	2,446	1,810	1,509	1,040
Scottish studentships[3]:											
New awards	75	59	84	78	66	78	76	76	78	64	76
Current awards	130	144	166	165	157	166	175	178	174	155	164
Expenditure on current awards (£ thousand)	75	80	99	103	96	104	129	138	142	161	214

[1] The figures include awards made by education authorities and the Scottish Education Department. All awards for university and comparable courses have been administered centrally by the Scottish Education Department under the students' allowances scheme, the education authorities remaining responsible for bursary assistance for less advanced courses only. [2] This scheme, which is for intending teachers who have been in some other employment for at least two years, was administered by the Scottish Council for the Training of Teachers until the end of session 1965/66. It is now administered by the Scottish Education Department. [3] The Scottish studentship scheme is administered by the Scottish Education Department. The figures for new awards represent the numbers taken up.

Source: Scottish Education Department

Scholarships and awards [1]

Northern Ireland

TABLE **5.54**

At 31 December in each year

Number

	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
Awards by the Department of Education											
Post-graduate studentships	189	196	223	257	274	325	352	356	344	369	396
Post-graduate bursaries [2]					39	51	54	51	47	46	42
Management bursaries	5	4	4	–	–	4	–	–	6	4	1
Trade scholarships:											
Junior	175	146	48	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Senior	106	132	99	117	66	24	9	–	12	12	12
Awards by education and library boards [3]											
Scholarships:											
At grammar schools	34,050	35,469	37,387	38,963	39,765	40,588	41,104	41,302	42,825	42,823	44,556
Value (£ thousand)	2,076	2,240	2,557	2,792	3,061	3,479	3,870	4,474	5,503	6,394	10,459
At universities	4,831	5,401	5,940	6,483	7,025	7,447	7,559	7,694	7,681	7,891	8,105
Value (£ thousand)	1,503	1,700	1,906	2,188	2,393	2,677	2,938	3,049	3,108	3,931	5,370
At other institutions:											
Full value awards [4]	446	552	621	816	849	831	1,693	1,878	2,182	2,577	2,739
Lesser value awards	468	585	764	925	1,066	1,343	820	835	857	805	561
Value (£ thousand)	214	255	310	433	488	628	881	973	1,121	1,628	2,121

[1] Includes new awards and renewals. [2] Prior to 1969 local education authorities were responsible for such awards. [3] Prior to 1 October 1973 local education authorities were responsible for these awards. [4] Including, in 1971, 289 Full value awards which were previously regarded as Lesser value.

Source: Department of Education

Scientific research: postgraduate awards and special grants [1]

TABLE 5.55

At 1 October in each year

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Special research grants											
Number of new awards	1,182	1,320	1,229	1,227	1,435	1,893	2,139	2,225	2,289	2,390	2,316
Number current: Total	2,096	2,322	2,765	2,983	3,305	3,448	3,701	4,031	4,155	4,386	4,270
Biological sciences [2]	278	317	371	401	410	598	632	660	679	710	605
Chemistry/enzyme chemistry [2]	389	382	409	373	426	478	506	559	569	529	544
Computing science	24	29	35	44	42	28	29	39	58	92	95
Mathematics	18	18	31	34	30	47	59	84	76	82	84
Metallurgy and materials	189	215	238	252	238	232	261	260	–	–	–
Chemical engineering	444	498	575	127	135	135	165	179	174	163	161
Control engineering				132	143	141	27	31	33	37	39
Electrical and systems engineering				25	27	27	159	188	209	221	224
Aeronautical and civil engineering				117	143	144	9	11	–	–	–
Mechanical and production engineering				218	254	293	–		–	–	–
Transport technology	–	–	...	–	–	20		-	–	–	–
Aeronautical and mechanical engineering [3]	–	–	–	–	–	–	262	256	267	278	258
Civil and transport engineering [4]	–	–	–	–	–	–	133	113	123	144	152
Manufacturing technology [5]	–	–	–	–	–	–	76	85	81	81	102
Materials science and technology [6]	–	–	–	–	–	-	–	–	351	357	345
Physics (other than nuclear)	214	232	278	296	297	340	378	455	437	422	371
Nuclear physics	45	33	44	54	54	42	60	63	70	78	74
Astronomy	41	38	47	54	67	68	72	79	94	217	
Space	34	29	28	30	36	51	48	52	60		236
Radio	9	7	8	11	16	9	10	13	15		
Reactors	3	–	2	3	3	–		–	–	–	–
Information science	31	58	75	73	66	68	84	84	35	88	60
Geology and geophysics	204	307	381	432	435	187	184	169	183	178	172
Human sciences	77	–	–	–	–	–	.	-	–	–	–
Social sciences	96	159	243	307	381	414	421	500	531	588	575
Neutron beam	–	–	–	–	58	15	9	34	36	39	35
Polymer science	–	–	–	–	42	70	74	76	–	–	–
Other grants	–	–	–	–	2	41	43	41	74	82	138
Total expenditure on grants (years beginning 1 April) (£ thousand)	7,113	9,268	10,401	11,708	12,265	15,682	19,303	21,072	21,578	26,742	33,665
Postgraduate awards											
Studentships:											
Number of new awards	3,423	3,818	4,489	5,074	5,698	5,819	5,747	5,719	5,933	5,899	5,827
Number current: Total	6,582	7,466	8,505	9,526	10,560	10,738	10,826	11,003	11,014	11,173	11,158
Biological sciences	738	849	932	976	985	1,307	1,279	1,378	1,505	1,633	1,743
Chemical engineering	444	543	605	372	359	371	390	342	309	269	257
Metallurgy and materials				343	376	403	430	387	–	–	–
Chemistry and enzyme chemistry	1,543	1,589	1,608	1,584	1,605	1,509	1,469	1 430	1,468	1,464	1,431
Electrical engineering	352	436	515	582	546	556	609	577	527	502	487
Aeronautical and civil engineering	586	638	733	486	524	542	60	-	–	–	–
Mechanical and production engineering				399	433	493		–		–	–
Transport technology	–	–	–	–	–	44	.		–	.	-
Aeronautical and mechanical engineering [3]	–	–	–	–	–		453	421	361	349	313
Civil and transport engineering [4]	–	–	–	–	–	–	485	464	418	408	398
Manufacturing technology [5]	–	–	–	–	–	.	112	112	125	116	105
Materials science and technology [6]	–	–	–	–	–	–	-	-	453	461	450
Total technology	–	-	–	-				4	15	39	44
Geology and geophysics	454	612	633	724	801	423	458	441	447	444	459
Human sciences	165	113	105	129	150	14	1	–	–	-	–
Mathematics	729	729	828	872	849	840	812	829	767	778	719
Physics	1,117	1,127	1,122	1,086	1,086	1,147	1,166	1,099	1,119	1,128	1,102
Computing science	31	87	152	198	255	282	296	289	258	264	257
Social sciences	423	743	1,272	1,775	2,427	2,511	2,537	2,880	2,966	2,997	3,037
Control engineering	–	–	–	–	90	127	98	74	68	78	92
Polymer science	–	–	-	–	43	75	85	77	–	–	–
Information science	–	–	–	–	31	37	47	47	48	51	52
Other	–					44	39	152	160	192	212

See footnotes on page 145.

Sources: Science Research Council; Natural Environment Research Council; Social Science Research Council; The British Library Research and Development Department; Department of Education and Science

Scientific research: postgraduate awards and special grants [1]

TABLE 5.55 *(continued)*

At 1 October in each year

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Fellowships:											
Number of new awards	147	173	193	132	155	124	119	102	107	114	104
Number current	252	263	305	245	271	252	190	180	210	233	238
Bursaries:											
Number of new awards........	–	–	–	639	608	625	603	582	526	458	450
Number current	–	–	–	639	670	755	734	754	730	651	661
Total expenditure on awards (years beginning 1 April) (£ thousand)..	4,984	5,670	6,555	7,574	8,613	9,791	10,781	11,457	13,613	17,354	21,591

[1] From 1 April 1965 functions of the Council for Scientific and Industrial Research were taken over by the Science Research Council and the Office for Scientific and Technical Information. from 1 June 1965 by the Natural Environment Research Council, (and from 1 December 1965 by the Social Science Research Council; from 1973 by Department of Education and Science). [2] From 1975 includes research grants for enzyme chemistry. [3] Comprises part of the two former classifications, aeronautical and civil engineering, and mechanical and production engineering. [4] Comprises the remainder of the former classification, aeronautical and civil engineering and the whole of transport technology. [5] Comprises the remainder of the former classification, mechanical and production engineering. [6] The committees Metallurgy and materials and Polymer science combined as the Materials science and technology committee from 1 September 1974.

Sources: Science Research Council; Natural Environment Research Council; Social Science Research Council; The British Library Research and Development Department; Department of Education and Science

University students

New admissions and taking courses

Great Britain

TABLE 5.61

Academic years

Number

		1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76
New students admitted (full-time only)												
Men		37,166	37,980	40,539	41,672	43,063	43,222	43,889	43,919	43,621	45,385	48,110
Women		15,059	15,685	16,588	17,706	19,156	20,373	21,074	22,192	23,580	25,304	26,592
Students taking courses (full and part-time)												
Men		133,963	147,797	159,354	169,319	176,169	179,229	182,887	183,155	184,000	186,001	191,819
Women		47,089	52,927	58,275	62,818	66,842	71,265	74,683	78,837	83,384	88,709	94,448
Full-time students:												
Total:	Men	124,087	134,443	144,956	152,796	157,651	162,125	165,278	165,727	166,439	168,050	173,590
	Women	44,520	49,760	54,716	58,498	61,657	65,831	69,707	73,639	77,655	82,515	87,668
Advanced:	Men.......	22,568	25,397	27,484	29,507	30,548	32,592	34,356	35,193	35,282	35,571	36,707
	Women	5,860	6,576	7,535	8,277	8,581	9,492	10,136	10,924	11,553	12,299	13,083
First degree:	Men	98,349	106,989	115,542	121,043	124,961	127,624	128,788	128,490	129,218	130,702	134,996
	Women	37,080	41,819	45,919	48,901	51,831	55,198	58,248	61,448	64,688	68,759	73,069
First diploma:	Men.......	2,159	1,090	1,049	1,118	968	761	345	388	330	388	442
	Women	1,170	999	858	778	568	457	219	182	206	203	210
Others:	Men	1,011	967	881	1,128	1,174	1,148	1,789	1,656	1,609	1,389	1,445
	Women	410	366	404	542	677	684	1,104	1,085	1,208	1,254	1,306
Part-time students:												
Total:	Men	9,876	13,354	14,398	16,523	18,518	17,104	17,609	17,428	17,561	17,951	18,229
	Women	2,569	3,167	3,559	4,320	5,185	5,434	4,976	5,198	5,729	6,194	6,780
Advanced:	Men	6,626	10,766	11,733	13,820	15,934	14,480	15,649	15,677	15,857	16,369	16,506
	Women	1,313	1,771	2,061	2,408	3,048	3,152	3,607	3,854	4,261	4,679	4,989
First degree:	Men	1,753	1,434	1,195	1,176	1,165	1,402	1,046	915	867	881	1,119
	Women	404	552	599	805	908	1,218	514	541	528	595	900
First diploma:	Men	565	334	472	342	189	243	66	25	84	21	17
	Women	117	95	85	135	132	143	69	73	86	82	82
Occasional:	Men	932	820	998	1,185	1,230	979	848	811	753	680	587
	Women	735	749	814	972	1,097	921	786	730	854	838	809
Students taking courses 'not of university standard' [1]												
New full-time students admitted:												
	Men	227	226	219	73	88	86	..	..	..	..	..
	Women	187	126	118	61	71	56	..	..	..	..	..
Students taking courses:												
Full-time:	Men	619	428	321	117	118	108	..	..	..	..	..
	Women	260	168	128	74	80	67	..	..	..	..	..
Part-time:	Men	4,156	1,672	1,095	262	252	199	..	..	..	..	..
	Women	403	362	326	92	89	85	..	..	..	..	..

[1] From 1971/72 these students are included in the undergraduate figures above.

Source: University Grants Committee

University students

Full-time students by country of home residence and university residence

Great Britain

TABLE **5.61** (*continued*)

Academic years

Number

		1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76
Country of home residence:												
United Kingdom		153,629	167,884	184,887	195,793	202,962	210,116	215,329	217,557	219,386	222,801	230,094
Other Commonwealth countries		8,481	8,836	7,836	7,923	8,088	8,465	19,656	21,809	24,708	27,758	31,164
Foreign countries		7,376	8,079	7,398	7,769	8,456	9,550					
University residence[2]:												
Colleges and hostels:	Men	39,236	44,371	48,363	52,444	56,718	59,878	62,724	67,286	71,224	74,211	79,812
	Women	16,422	19,592	22,120	23,816	25,294	26,883	28,839	31,387	35,008	37,236	40,477
Lodgings:	Men	59,926	64,351	69,519	71,830	72,083	72,474	71,205	67,505	64,332	61,815	60,867
	Women	20,758	21,997	24,043	25,023	26,447	28,312	27,998	28,679	28,299	29,343	29,576
At home:	Men	22,862	23,963	24,394	26,731	26,573	26,609	27,602	26,774	25,962	26,192	26,739
	Women	7,524	8,132	8,345	9,158	9,367	9,981	11,070	11,413	11.891	13,059	14,247

[1] See footnote on page **145**. [2] Including those students on courses 'not of university standard', but not those sandwich students undertaking the industrial part of their training away from the university or college at the time of the student count, which is the end of the autumn term (31 December).

Source: University Grants Committee

Universities: courses taken by full-time students

Great Britain

TABLE **5.62**

Academic years

Number of students

		1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76
Education:	Men	3,731	4,197	4,440	4,673	4,571	4,627	4,806	4,935	5,369
	Women	3,391	3,918	4,061	4,487	4,018	4,142	4,485	5,012	5,189
Medicine, dentistry and health:	Men	15,244	15,733	15,901	16,368	16,405	16,679	17,318	17,684	17,930
	Women	5,251	5,477	5,838	6,491	7,206	7,945	8,711	9,421	10,001
Engineering and technology:	Men	31,848	33,535	34,596	35,475	35,978	35,036	34,217	33,984	34,846
	Women	500	527	695	817	965	1,147	1,233	1,377	1,516
Agriculture, forestry and veterinary science:	Men	3,306	3,557	3,649	3,689	3,475	3,493	3,497	3,580	3,785
	Women	632	690	749	853	912	1,008	1,082	1,161	1,361
Science:	Men	40,782	42,211	42,085	43,253	44,696	44,939	44,326	44,015	44,433
	Women	11,857	12,420	12,416	13,274	14,277	14,964	15,353	16,010	16,517
Social administration and business studies:	Men	27,294	28,970	30,546	31,927	33,236	33,971	35,144	36,287	38,826
	Women	12,665	13,412	13,374	14,474	16,006	16,821	18,117	19,633	21,397
Architecture and other professional and vocational subjects:	Men	2,692	2,955	3,327	3,146	3,586	3,507	3,562	3,862	3,984
	Women	603	698	791	769	878	958	1,060	1,228	1,420
Language, literature and area studies:	Men	11,419	11,738	11,788	11,944	12,104	12,047	12,010	12,018	12,316
	Women	13,755	14,017	14,126	14,531	15,541	16,134	16,726	17,438	18,463
Arts other than languages, music, drama and visual arts:	Men	8,640	9,900	11,319	11,650	11,227	11,428	11,559	11,683	12,098
	Women	6,062	7,339	9,067	10,135	9,904	10,520	10,888	11,234	11,800

Source: University Grants Committee

TABLE 5.63

Universities: degrees and diplomas obtained by full-time students

Great Britain

Academic years

Number of students

		1964/65	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75
Degrees												
Total:	Men . . .	24,340	29,002	33,248	38,200	40,508	43,986	46,757	44,173	45,216	47,091	48,677
	Women .	8,514	9,338	10,917	13,198	14,557	15,878	17,333	16,931	18,349	19,690	21,333
First degrees - honours:	Men . . .	14,320	17,136	19,481	22,733	24,551	26,118	27,647	27,820	27,854	28,488	28,792
	Women .	5,648	[illegible],404	7,529	9,150	10,246	11,302	12,191	12,547	13,346	14,228	14,877
First degrees - ordinary:	Men . . .	5,559	6,014	6,658	6,842	6,885	7,297	7,924	6,887	6,491	7,218	7,001
	Women .	2,413	2,333	2,588	2,960	3,138	3,138	3,427	2,800	3,015	3,217	3,444
Higher degrees:	Men . . .	4,461	5,852	7,109	8,625	9,072	10,571	11,186	9,466	10,871	11,385	12,884
	Women .	453	601	800	1,088	1,173	1,438	1,715	1,584	1,988	2,245	3,012
Diplomas and certificates:	Men	7,168	7,938	8,206	8,469	8,520	8,597	8,728	5,984	6,419	7,393	7,880
	Women	3,578	3,824	4,182	4,676	4,671	4,760	5,224	4,511	4,706	5,078	5,301

Source: University Grants Committee

TABLE 5.64

Full-time teaching staff at universities [1]

Great Britain

Academic years

Number

	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76
Professors	2,491	2,760	2,993	3,110	3,281	3,482	3,575	3,737	3,833	3,987	4,088
Readers, assistant professors, independent lecturers and senior lecturers	4,404	4,749	5,037	5,413	5,667	5,895	6,305	6,737	7,228	7,661	7,905
Lecturers	12,735	14,082	15,465	16,366	21,264	22,026	22,576	23,150	22,899	23,285	23,856
Assistant lecturers and demonstrators	4,262	4,212	4,230	4,075							
Others	1,402	1,668	1,811	1,791	1,949	1,862	1,782	1,971	2,150	2,017	2,218

[1] The categories of staff have been determined by salary range and not by grade (e.g. a Demonstrator whose minimum salary was equivalent to that of an Assistant lecturer would fall within the 'Assistant lecturer' category, even if his maximum salary were below that of an Assistant lecturer). The figures given relate to all teaching staff.

Source: University Grants Committee

TABLE 5.65

Income and expenditure of universities [1]

Great Britain

Academic years

£ thousand

	1964/65	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75
Income											
Total	124,162	164,733	192,245	216,715	236,785	269,692	315,725	354,053	413,287	468,337	557,852
Endowments	2,391	2,544	2,619	3,675	3,976	4,341	4,664	4,596	5,431	6,393	6,392
Grants: Parliamentary	89,048	122,149	139,387	157,698	167,038	187,988	224,424	260,831	315,744	362,828	432,201
Local authorities	1,738	1,879	1,851	1,873	1,867	1,707	1,816	1,566	1,217	1,121	901
Tuition and other fees	10,041	12,253	13,353	15,955	17,401	18,288	20,010	21,477	22,396	23,437	25,174
Other receipts	20,944	25,908	35,035	37,514	46,503	57,368	64,811	65,583	68,499	74,558	93,184
Expenditure											
Total	123,868	164,262	191,913	213,955	235,999	271,813	313,688	353,722	399,379	451,018	558,765
Salaries of teaching staff . . .	53,591	58,783	66,154	71,350	79,263	90,486	105,668	120,032	137,210	153,270	182,094
Maintenance of premises . . .	16,602	22,462	26,260	30,657	34,092	37,574	43,520	49,885	56,359	64,242	89,788
Administration	8,446	10,976	12,576	13,844	15,456	18,289	21,303	24,557	27,810	32,392	36,655
Other payments	45,229	72,041	86,923	98,104	107,188	125,464	143,197	159,248	178,000	201,114	250,218

[1] Capital sums received for lands, buildings and endowments, etc. and expenditure of capital funds on lands, buildings and equipment are excluded. The accounts of the colleges at Oxford and Cambridge are not included.

Source: University Grants Committee

University students [1]

Northern Ireland

TABLE 5.71

Academic years

Number

	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76
New students admitted (full-time only)											
Men	1,054	1,109	1,107	1,323	1,331	1,310	1,213	1,194	978	1,148	1,184
Women	457	420	544	785	722	[illegible]70	730	680	720	806	853
Students taking courses (full- and part-time)											
Men	4,229	4,771	5,083	5,361	5,583	5,700	5,753	5,542	5,222	5,220	5,472
Women	1,481	1,632	1,841	2,138	2,414	2,715	2,800	2,808	2,917	2,979	3,186
Full-time students:											
Total: Men	3,656	3,950	4,257	4,512	4,810	4,949	4,951	4,790	4,384	4,313	4,480
Women	1,422	1,514	1,703	1,982	2,279	2,584	2,642	2,664	2,722	2,788	2,958
Advanced: Men	321	367	436	496	544	541	598	571	544	509	546
Women	93	108	130	135	179	195	211	217	243	220	281
First degree: Men	3,321	3,557	3,767	3,961	4,190	4,334	4,281	4,136	3,746	3,668	3,776
Women	1,326	1,380	1,552	1,751	1,982	2,253	2,306	2,319	2,291	2,339	2,449
First diploma: Men	11	26	28	24	14	9	14	14	16	20	91
Women	—	21	21	37	34	38	25	29	26	36	200
Others: Men	3	—	26	31	62	65	58	69	78	116	67
Women	3	5	—	59	84	98	100	99	162	193	28
Part-time students:											
Total: Men	573	821	826	849	773	751	802	752	838	907	992
Women	59	118	138	156	135	131	158	144	195	191	228
Advanced: Men	280	485	472	516	425	392	454	450	497	565	662
Women	31	76	88	105	76	68	93	92	125	116	139
First degree: Men	276	334	311	303	314	313	284	212	189	173	174
Women	19	42	38	41	34	32	35	22	24	17	27
First diploma: Men	6	2	—	2	2	1	—	27	1	—	2
Women	2	—	1	1	1	1	—	13	1	—	2
Occasional: Men	11	—	43	28	32	45	64	63	151	169	154
Women	7	—	11	9	24	30	30	17	45	58	60
Country of home residence of full-time students:											
United Kingdom	4,800	5,214	5,651	6,266	6,841	7,286	7,379	7,225	6,885	6,859	7,123
Other British countries	143	133	153	121	109	98	91	92	85	77	96
Foreign countries	135	117	156	107	139	149	123	137	136	165	219
University residence of full-time students:											
College and hostels: Men	151	570	551	615	663	835	818	793	750	765	884
Women	106	408	198	247	336	408	416	351	416	425	664
Lodgings: Men	1,559	1,369	1,468	1,787	2,001	2,037	2,070	2,101	1,836	1,772	1,777
Women	642	432	765	1,012	1,145	1,349	1,431	1,501	1,426	1,423	1,295
At home: Men	1,946	2,011	2,238	2,110	2,146	2,077	2,063	1,896	1,798	1,776	1,819
Women	674	674	740	723	798	827	795	812	880	940	999

[1] Excluding students following a four-year course at the three general colleges of education leading to the award of the degree of Bachelor of Education of Queen's University.

Source: Department of Education

Universities: courses taken by full-time students [1]

Northern Ireland

TABLE 5.72

Academic years

Number of students

		1966/67	1967/68	1868/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76
Education:	Men	74	80	101	119	124	146	168	170	201	287
	Women	69	72	154	234	293	332	333	406	446	566
Medicine, dentistry and health:	Men	426	474	489	598	549	549	575	613	648	697
	Women	145	160	177	247	254	258	288	318	339	369
Engineering technology and applied science:	Men	789	829	857	886	822	821	698	620	524	531
	Women	12	7	7	16	13	20	11	17	22	23
Agriculture, forestry and veterinary science:	Men	77	41	41	115	117	116	114	101	93	111
	Women	1	--	3	7	11	10	10	9	6	11
Pure science:	Men	1,037	1,170	1,310	1,107	1,222	1,203	1,165	980	923	932
	Women	318	379	427	330	367	375	377	347	349	341
Social, administrative and business studies:	Men	960	980	995	858	882	904	912	903	944	993
	Women	536	564	653	304	396	454	466	517	489	527
Architecture and other professional and vocational subjects:	Men	139	185	172	140	135	144	143	143	152	154
	Women	10	32	37	43	52	38	41	43	65	78
Language, literature and area studies:	Men	388	443	480	377	375	310	290	246	230	205
	Women	379	462	489	394	473	375	362	342	312	289
Arts other than languages:	Men	58	48	62	610	721	757	724	607	597	570
	Women	41	24	33	704	725	780	776	723	757	752
Music, drama and visual arts:	Men	2	6	5		2	1	1	1	1	
	Women	3	3	2	--	–	–	–	–	3	2

[1] Excluding students following a four-year course at the three general colleges of education leading to the award of the degree of Bachelor of Education of Queen's University.

Source: Department of Education

Universities: degrees and diplomas obtained by full-time students [1]

Northern Ireland

TABLE 5.73

Academic years

Number of students

	1964/65	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75
Degrees:											
Total:											
Men	732	667	798	855	1,014	1,064	1,201	1,338	1,323	1,228	1,094
Women	262	242	238	336	336	399	537	637	684	666	679
First degrees – honours:											
Men	277	269	303	342	445	446	616	704	708	674	589
Women	70	61	68	100	111	127	254	376	384	399	398
First degrees – ordinary:											
Men	327	298	378	390	414	421	384	422	418	362	306
Women	180	174	162	219	211	255	246	230	264	227	243
Higher degrees:											
Men	128	100	117	123	155	197	201	212	197	192	199
Women	12	7	8	17	14	17	37	31	36	40	38
Diplomas[2]:											
Men	88	123	140	182	145	127	123	195	204	223	242
Women	82	117	126	114	130	149	168	180	173	245	222

[1] See footnote [1] to Table 5.72. [2] Including from 1970/71 Certificates in Education obtained at the Education Centre of the New University of Ulster.

Source: Department of Education

Full-time teaching staff at universities

Northern Ireland

TABLE 5.74

Academic years

Number

	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76
Professors	70	74	78	94	98	99	104	114	112	119	115
Readers	34	93	105	141	145	157	179	180	217	225	236
Senior lecturers	55										
Lecturers	208	253	245	299	452	559	613	631	638	617	688
Assistant lecturers and demonstrators	95	101	101	108							
Others	58	57	131	102	93	23					

Source: Department of Education

Income and expenditure of universities [1] [2]

Northern Ireland

TABLE 5.75

Academic years

£ thousand

	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76
Income											
Total	2,821	3,337	3,726	4,666	5,571	6,774	7,932	9,394	11,496	14,448	18,218
Endowments	38	35	36	36	40	15	21	20	22	25	31
Grants: Parliamentary	2,228	2,672	2,985	3,773	4,496	5,678	6,698	8,147	10,069	12,616	15,434
Local authorities	21	14	12	14	14	14	14	13	1	—	—
Tuition and other fees	270	301	321	365	417	447	474	468	545	561	1,152
Other receipts	264	315	372	478	604	620	725	746	859	1,246	1,601
Expenditure											
Total	2,758	3,269	3,666	4,616	5,666	6,786	7,939	9,306	11,298	14,527	18,315
Salaries of teaching staff	1,205	1,353	1,414	1,822	2,141	2,685	3,081	3,531	3,979	4,919	6,194
Maintenance of premises	279	353	397	501	631	747	916	1,090	2,001	2,922	4,096
Administration	243	276	304	469	574	664	728	809	930	1,116	1,379
Other payments	1,031	1,287	1,551	1,824	2,320	2,690	3,214	3,876	4,388	5,570	6,646

[1] The figures exclude capital sums received for lands, buildings and endowments, etc., and expenditure of capital funds on lands, buildings and equipment. [2] From 1965/66 to 1969/70 the figures include an estimate for Magee University College based on financial year accounts. From 1 October 1970 Magee University College became an integral part of the New University of Ulster.

Source: Department of Education

VI. Labour

Distribution of total working population [1]

United Kingdom

Analysis by industry based on the Standard Industrial Classification [2] *1968*

TABLE **6.1**

At mid-June each year

Thousands

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total working population	25,490	25,378	25,370	25,300	25,123	25,194	25,545	25,602	25,795	26,093
Males	16,704	16,563	16,474	16,364	16,219	16,163	16,172	16,001	16,075	16,232
Females	8,785	8,814	8,897	8,937	8,904	9,031	9,373	9,601	9,720	9,860
Unemployed	503	542	518	555	724	804	575	542	866	1,332
Males	404	456	442	475	618	675	483	460	707	1,009
Females	99	86	76	80	106	129	92	82	159	322
Employed labour force	24,987	24,836	24,852	24,745	24,399	24,390	24,970	25,060	24,929	24,761
Males	16,300	16,107	16,032	15,889	15,601	15,488	15,689	15,541	15,368	15,223
Females	8,686	8,728	8,821	8,857	8,798	8,902	9,281	9,519	9,561	9,538
HM Forces and Women's Services	417	400	380	372	368	371	361	345	336	336
Males	401	385	366	358	353	356	346	331	322	321
Females	16	15	14	14	15	15	15	14	15	15
Employers and self-employed persons [3]	1,762	1,786	1,853	1,902	1,909	1,899	1,947	1,925	1,886	1,886
Males	1,395	1,416	1,482	1,529	1,534	1,524	1,572	1,551	1,514	1,514
Females	367	369	371	373	375	375	375	374	372	372
Total employees in employment [2]	22,808	22,650	22,619	22,471	22,122	22,120	22,662	22,790	22,707	22,539
Males	14,504	14,306	14,184	14,002	13,714	13,608	13,771	13,659	13,532	13,388
Females	8,303	8,344	8,436	8,470	8,408	8,512	8,891	9,131	9,174	9,151
of whom										
Total, index of production industries	10,854	10,662	10,655	10,475	10,090	9,812	9,915	9,895	9,506	9,255
Total, all manufacturing industries	8,319	8,240	8,353	8,339	8,056	7,778	7,828	7,871	7,488	7,246
Agriculture, forestry, fishing	542	519	492	468	434	429	434	417	401	395
Mining and quarrying	545	481	437	410	396	379	363	349	352	348
Manufacturing										
Food, drink and tobacco	788	772	782	792	770	756	754	766	726	714
Coal and petroleum products	41	44	45	48	44	42	41	40	40	38
Chemicals and allied industries	446	425	442	443	438	426	427	435	430	423
Metal manufacture	597	585	588	594	557	516	518	507	501	469
Mechanical engineering	1,081	1,057	1,086	1,105	1,051	975	967	976	960	929
Instrument engineering	166	161	159	163	166	157	161	161	156	150
Electrical engineering	827	824	832	827	812	792	808	843	781	739
Shipbuilding and marine engineering	204	195	190	190	193	186	187	185	184	185
Vehicles	825	813	834	840	816	784	797	792	756	744
Metal goods not elsewhere specified	585	585	592	596	576	557	567	582	546	523
Textiles	703	690	705	678	622	597	594	585	529	513
Leather, leather goods and fur	52	52	52	49	47	46	45	43	42	40
Clothing and footwear	480	474	480	455	455	450	440	427	402	381
Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.	324	327	325	318	307	301	305	301	276	264
Timber, furniture, etc.	276	294	282	271	270	275	292	283	264	264
Paper, printing and publishing	612	613	620	626	596	579	574	589	565	542
Other manufacturing industries	314	330	341	345	339	339	352	358	330	330
Construction	1,556	1,520	1,459	1,335	1,262	1,299	1,380	1,328	1,313	1,380
Gas, electricity and water	434	422	406	391	377	356	344	347	353	353
Transport and communication	1,617	1,597	1,561	1,573	1,568	1,543	1,525	1,506	1,518	1,475
Distributive trades	2,795	2,770	2,711	2,676	2,610	2,641	2,744	2,761	2,763	2,723
Financial, business, professional and scientific services	3,531	3,632	3,742	3,853	3,964	4,102	4,308	4,490	4,659	4,758
Catering, hotels, etc.	691	678	710	698	691	732	794	805	826	850
Miscellaneous services (excluding catering, hotels, etc.)	1,308	1,307	1,284	1,249	1,255	1,309	1,359	1,320	1,376	1,449
National government service	595	616	598	589	596	609	614	610	650	660
Local government service	876	869	867	890	914	943	969	986	1,005	967

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[1] Estimates of the total working population and its components were obtained by the method described on page 203 of the *Department of Employment Gazette*, March 1975. [2] From 1971 the employees in employment estimates are based on an annual census of employment taken in June each year, which excludes private domestic servants and civil servants temporarily stationed outside the United Kingdom. For the years before 1971, estimates of employees in employment are taken from the continuous employment series which was published in the October 1975 issue of the *Department of Employment Gazette.* This continuous series made allowances for the discontinuities which were present in the previously published series. [3] Estimates for Great Britain are assumed unchanged after 1975 until later data become available.

Sources: Department of Employment; Department of Manpower Services (Northern Ireland)

Distribution of total working population [1]

Great Britain

Analysis by industry based on the Standard Industrial Classification 1968

TABLE 6.1 *(continued)*

At mid-June each year

Thousands

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total working population	24,919	24,805	24,794	24,721	24,545	24,621	24,972	25,021	25,202	25,487
Males	16,319	16,176	16,088	15,977	15,837	15,786	15,798	15,626	15,698	15,846
Females	8,599	8,630	8,706	8,743	8,708	8,836	9,175	9,393	9,506	9,641
Unemployed	466	506	483	524	687	765	545	515	828	1,278
Males	378	429	415	450	589	647	461	439	680	972
Females	88	77	68	73	98	119	84	75	149	306
Employed labour force	24,453	24,299	24,311	24,197	23,858	23,856	24,427	24,506	24,374	24,209
Males	15,941	15,747	15,673	15,527	15,248	15,139	15,337	15,187	15,018	14,874
Females	8,511	8,553	8,638	8,670	8,610	8,717	9,091	9,318	9,357	9,335
HM Forces and Women's Services	417	400	380	372	368	371	361	345	336	336
Males	401	385	366	358	353	356	346	331	322	321
Females	16	15	14	14	15	15	15	14	15	15
Employers and self-employed persons [2]	1,689	1,713	1,783	1,832	1,842	1,835	1,884	1,864	1,825	1,825
Males	1,326	1,349	1,416	1,463	1,471	1,464	1,513	1,493	1,456	1,456
Females	362	365	367	369	371	371	371	371	369	369
Total employees in employment [3]	22,347	22,186	22,148	21,993	21,648	21,650	22,182	22,297	22,213	22,048
Males	14,214	14,013	13,891	13,706	13,424	13,319	13,478	13,363	13,240	13,097
Females	8,133	8,173	8,257	8,287	8,224	8,331	8,705	8,933	8,973	8,951
of whom										
Total, index of production industries	10,633	10,438	10,427	10,247	9,870	9,596	9,698	9,679	9,300	9,056
Total, all manufacturing industries	8,152	8,072	8,181	8,164	7,886	7,613	7,664	7,705	7,334	7,099
Agriculture, forestry, fishing	526	505	479	454	421	416	421	404	388	382
Mining and quarrying	542	478	434	407	393	377	361	347	350	346
Manufacturing:										
Food, drink and tobacco	763	747	757	767	744	730	728	740	701	691
Coal and petroleum products	41	44	45	48	44	42	40	39	39	37
Chemicals and allied industries	444	422	439	440	435	424	425	432	428	421
Metal manufacture	596	585	587	593	556	516	518	507	501	469
Mechanical engineering	1,069	1,044	1,072	1,092	1,039	964	956	965	949	919
Instrument engineering	164	159	157	161	164	156	159	159	154	148
Electrical engineering	816	812	820	815	799	780	795	830	768	730
Shipbuilding and marine engineering	194	186	182	181	183	177	177	175	174	175
Vehicles	815	803	823	830	807	776	789	783	748	733
Metal goods not elsewhere specified	582	582	588	591	572	553	563	577	542	519
Textiles	657	646	660	633	581	558	555	546	494	480
Leather, leather goods and fur	51	51	51	48	47	45	44	42	41	40
Clothing and footwear	457	451	455	430	429	426	418	404	383	364
Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc	319	322	320	312	302	295	299	295	270	258
Timber, furniture, etc	271	289	277	265	264	270	287	278	259	259
Paper, printing and publishing	605	606	613	619	589	573	568	582	559	536
Other manufacturing industries	310	325	335	339	331	331	344	351	323	321
Construction	1,515	1,476	1,415	1,294	1,222	1,258	1,338	1,290	1,273	1,269
Gas, electricity and water	424	413	397	382	369	347	335	337	343	343
Transport and communication	1,591	1,571	1,536	1,549	1,545	1,520	1,501	1,483	1,495	1,453
Distributive trades	2,734	2,709	2,652	2,617	2,555	2,588	2,691	2,707	2,709	2,669
Financial, business, professional and scientific services	3,460	3,559	3,666	3,773	3,879	4,014	4,214	4,385	4,552	4,647
Catering, hotels, etc	680	668	696	686	681	723	784	796	816	840
Miscellaneous services (excluding catering, hotels, etc.)	1,285	1,285	1,261	1,222	1,225	1,279	1,330	1,293	1,341	1,412
National government service	572	592	574	565	569	580	583	573	612	623
Local government service	867	859	858	881	904	934	960	978	996	958

[1] Estimates of the total working population and its components were obtained by the method described on page 203 of the *Department of Employment Gazette,* March 1975. [2] Estimates are assumed unchanged after 1975 until later data become available. [3] From 1971 the employees in employment estimates are based on an annual census of employment taken in June each year, which excludes private domestic servants and civil servants temporarily stationed outside the United Kingdom. For the years before 1971, estimates of employees in employment are taken from the continuous employment series which was published in the March 1975 issue of the *Department of Employment Gazette*. This continuous series removed the discontinuities which were present in the previously published series.

Source: Department of Employment

Employees in employment [1]

Analysis by industry based on the Standard Industrial Classification 1968

TABLE 6.2 — At June in each year — Thousands

	United Kingdom				Great Britain			
	1973	1974	1975	1976	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total, all industries and services [2]	22,662	22,790	22,707	22,539	22,182	22,297	22,213	22,048
Total, index of production industries	9,915	9,895	9,506	9,255	9,698	9,679	9,300	9,056
Total, all manufacturing industries	7,828	7,871	7,488	7,246	7,664	7,705	7,334	7,097
Agriculture, forestry, fishing [3]	434	417	401	395	421	404	388	382
Agriculture and horticulture [3]	408	392	377	371	397	381	366	360
Forestry	15	15	14	14	13	13	13	13
Fishing	12	10	10	9	11	10	9	9
Mining and quarrying	363	349	352	348	361	347	350	346
Coal mining	315	300	303	297	315	300	303	297
Stone and slate quarrying and mining	19	19	19	19	17	18	17	17
Chalk, clay, sand and gravel extraction	[4]	[4]	[4]	19	19	19	19	18
Petroleum and natural gas	3	5	5	7	3	5	5	7
Other mining and quarrying [4]	26	25	25	6	6	6	6	6
Food, drink and tobacco	754	766	726	714	728	740	701	691
Grain milling	24	23	23	22	23	22	22	21
Bread and flour confectionery	123	116	109	103	119	112	105	100
Biscuits	44	44	43	42	44	43	43	42
Bacon curing, meat and fish products	115	118	107	105	111	113	104	101
Milk and milk products	64	66	65	62	60	62	60	58
Sugar	13	12	12	12	13	12	12	12
Cocoa, chocolate and sugar confectionery	74	75	67	70	74	75	67	70
Fruit and vegetable products	59	64	61	60	58	64	60	60
Animal and poultry foods	29	29	28	28	26	26	26	26
Vegetable and animal oils and fats	8	8	7	8	8	8	7	7
Food industries not elsewhere specified	32	35	34	34	32	35	33	34
Brewing and malting	68	71	70	68	68	71	69	68
Soft drinks	30	30	28	28	29	29	27	28
Other drink industries	31	34	33	32	31	34	33	32
Tobacco	40	41	41	39	33	34	34	33
Coal and petroleum products	40	40	39	37	40	39	39	37
Coke ovens and manufactured fuel	12	12	12	11	12	12	12	11
Mineral oil refining	21	20	20	19	21	20	20	19
Lubricating oils and greases	8	8	7	7	8	8	7	7
Chemicals and allied industries	427	435	430	423	425	432	428	421
General chemicals	135	134	134	132	135	133	133	132
Pharmaceutical chemicals and preparations	74	77	76	71	74	76	76	71
Toilet preparations	26	27	24	23	26	27	24	23
Paint	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27
Soap and detergents	15	16	17	17	15	16	17	17
Synthetic resins and plastics materials and synthetic rubber	48	50	50	52	47	49	50	51
Dyestuffs and pigments	[5]	23	23	22	22	23	23	22
Fertilizers	11	12	13	12	11	12	12	12
Other chemical industries [5]	91	68	67	67	69	68	67	67
Metal manufacture	518	507	501	469	518	507	501	469
Iron and steel (general)	250	244	247	233	250	244	247	233
Steel tubes	51	51	53	51	51	51	53	51
Iron castings, etc.	88	86	84	76	88	86	84	76
Aluminium and aluminium alloys	54	54	50	48	54	54	50	48
Copper, brass and other copper alloys	49	48	44	41	49	48	44	41
Other base metals	26	23	23	22	26	23	23	22

[1] The figures are from censuses of employment conducted in Great Britain by the Department of Employment, and for the United Kingdom include information from similar censuses conducted in Northern Ireland by the Department of Manpower Services. [2] Private domestic servants are excluded. [3] The figures for agriculture are taken from the June censuses of agriculture. They exclude a small number of employees of agricultural machinery contractors but include seasonal and temporary workers. Family workers are included in the figures for Great Britain but not for Northern Ireland. [4] The 1973, 1974 and 1975 United Kingdom figures for Chalk, clay, sand, and gravel extraction are included with Other mining and quarrying. [5] The 1973 United Kingdom figures for Dyestuffs and pigments are included with Other chemical industries.

Sources: Department of Employment; Department of Manpower Services (Northern Ireland)

Employees in employment[1]

Analysis by industry based on the Standard Industrial Classification 1968

TABLE **6.2** *(continued)* At June in each year Thousands

	United Kingdom				Great Britain			
	1973	1974	1975	1976	1973	1974	1975	1976
Mechanical engineering	967	976	960	929	956	965	949	919
Agricultural machinery (except tractors)	28	29	30	29	28	29	29	29
Metal-working machine tools	65	67	67	63	65	67	67	63
Pumps, valves and compressors	80	86	85	84	79	85	85	83
Industrial engines	27	25	27	29	27	25	27	29
Textiles machinery and accessories	40	40	36	30	35	35	32	27
Construction and earth-moving equipment	37	40	40	43	37	40	40	42
Mechanical handling equipment	63	63	62	59	62	63	62	58
Office machinery	30	[6]	[6]	24	29	30	25	24
Other machinery [6]	232	263	250	213	229	230	221	211
Industrial (including process) plant and steel work	160	162	166	163	159	162	165	163
Ordnance and small arms	19	20	20	21	19	20	20	21
Other mechanical engineering not elsewhere specified	187	180	177	170	186	179	176	169
Instrument engineering	161	161	156	150	159	159	154	148
Photographic and document copying equipment	14	13	12	12	14	13	12	12
Watches and clocks	13	15	15	12	13	15	15	12
Surgical instruments and appliances	29	31	30	30	27	29	28	28
Scientific and industrial instruments and systems	105	102	98	96	105	102	98	95
Electrical engineering	808	843	781	739	795	830	768	730
Electrical machinery	135	145	142	136	133	143	140	134
Insulated wires and cables	43	46	48	45	42	45	47	45
Telegraph and telephone apparatus and equipment	93	91	92	77	88	87	87	74
Radio and electronic components	137	154	129	125	136	153	128	125
Broadcast receiving and sound reproducing equipment	70	65	56	53	69	63	55	52
Electronic computers	47	46	45	42	46	45	43	42
Radio, radar and electronic capital goods	80	87	89	89	80	87	89	89
Electric appliances primarily for domestic use	66	73	64	61	65	72	63	60
Other electrical goods	137	136	115	109	136	136	115	109
Shipbuilding and marine engineering	187	185	184	185	177	175	174	175
Vehicles	797	792	756	744	789	783	748	733
Wheeled tractor manufacturing	28	31	33	34	28	31	33	34
Motor vehicle manufacturing	510	497	457	448	508	495	455	446
Motor cycle, tricycle and pedal cycle manufacturing	17	14	13	13	17	14	13	13
Aerospace equipment manufacturing and repairing	202	210	211	206	195	203	204	197
Locomotives and railway track equipment	16	16	17	18	16	16	17	18
Railway carriages and wagons and trams	25	24	25	25	25	24	25	25
Metal goods not elsewhere specified	567	582	546	522	563	577	542	519
Engineers: small tools and gauges	64	67	64	61	64	67	64	60
Hand tools and implements	[7]	21	20	19	20	21	20	19
Cutlery, spoons, forks and plated tableware, etc. [7]	35	15	14	13	14	14	14	12
Bolts, nuts, screws, rivets, etc.	39	39	37	34	39	39	37	34
Wire and wire manufactures	39	41	39	37	38	40	39	37
Cans and metal boxes	29	32	29	30	28	31	29	29
Jewellery and precious metals	19	22	22	21	19	22	22	21
Metal industries not elsewhere specified	342	345	320	308	339	342	318	306
Textiles	594	585	529	513	555	546	494	480
Production of man-made fibres	45	48	43	43	36	39	34	34
Spinning and doubling on the cotton and flax systems	69	67	59	57	62	60	53	51
Weaving of cotton, linen and man-made fibres	54	52	48	44	49	47	44	40
Woollen and worsted	108	102	89	82	107	101	88	82
Jute	9	9	8	8	9	9	8	8
Rope, twine and net	7	8	7	6	7	7	7	6
Hosiery and other knitted goods	134	132	121	118	127	125	115	114
Lace	5	5	5	5	5	5	4	5
Carpets	45	45	40	38	43	42	37	36
Narrow fabrics (not more than 30 cm wide)	14	15	13	13	14	14	13	13
Made-up fabrics	27	26	25	25	23	22	21	22
Textile finishing	54	53	48	48	51	50	45	46
Other textile industries	23	24	25	24	23	24	25	24

[1] See footnote on page 153. [6] The 1974 and 1975 United Kingdom figures for Office machinery are included with Other machinery. [7] The 1973 United Kingdom figure for Hand tools and implements are included with Cutlery, spoons, forks and plated tableware, etc.

Sources: Department of Employment; Department of Manpower Services (Northern Ireland)

Employees in employment[1]

Analysis by industry based on the Standard Industrial Classification 1968

TABLE **6.2** (*continued*)

At June in each year

Thousands

	United Kingdom				Great Britain			
	1973	1974	1975	1976	1973	1974	1975	1976
Leather, leather goods and fur	45	43	42	40	44	42	41	40
Leather (tanning and dressing) and fellmongery	20	18	18	19	19	18	18	19
Leather goods	19	20	19	17	19	19	18	17
Fur	6	5	5	4	5	5	5	4
Clothing and footwear	440	427	402	381	418	404	383	364
Weatherproof outerwear	20	19	19	18	20	19	19	18
Men's and boys' tailored outerwear	92	88	84	76	89	85	82	74
Women's and girls' tailored outerwear	49	45	43	40	49	45	43	39
Overalls and men's shirts, underwear, etc.	48	48	45	43	38	38	36	35
Dresses, lingerie, infants' wear, etc.	103	102	97	94	99	97	93	90
Hats, caps and millinery	7	6	5	5	6	5	5	5
Dresses industries not elsewhere specified	34	33	32	30	32	32	30	29
Footwear	87	86	77	74	85	84	75	73
Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.	305	301	276	264	299	295	270	258
Bricks, fireclay and refractory goods	49	48	41	40	48	47	41	40
Pottery	57	60	59	58	56	59	59	58
Glass	74	73	69	65	73	72	69	65
Cement	15	15	15	14	14	15	14	13
Abrasives and building materials, etc. not elsewhere specified	111	106	91	86	107	102	88	83
Timber, furniture, etc.	292	283	264	264	287	278	259	259
Timber	100	99	90	92	98	96	88	89
Furniture and upholstery	97	91	89	89	96	90	87	88
Bedding, etc.	23	22	21	20	23	21	20	20
Shop and office fitting	34	34	30	28	34	33	30	28
Wooden containers and baskets	18	18	16	15	17	18	16	15
Miscellaneous wood and cork manufactures	20	19	18	19	20	19	17	18
Paper, printing and publishing	574	589	565	542	568	582	559	536
Paper and board	[8]	[8]	[8]	63	69	68	67	62
Packaging products of paper, board and associated materials	87	91	85	82	85	89	83	81
Manufactured stationery	[9]	42	41	36	37	42	41	36
Manufactures of paper and board not elsewhere specified[8] [9]	132	96	93	24	26	28	26	24
Printing, publishing of newspapers[10]	140	149	76	79	138	147	74	77
Printing, publishing of periodicals[10]			62	61			62	60
Other printing, publishing, bookbinding, engraving, etc.	214	211	208	197	212	209	206	195
Other manufacturing industries	352	358	330	330	344	350	323	321
Rubber	123	125	119	115	116	119	113	108
Linoleum, plastics floor-covering, leathercloth, etc.	16	16	14	14	16	16	14	14
Brushes and brooms	11	11	10	9	10	10	9	9
Toys, games, children's carriages and sports equipment	43	46	43	43	43	46	43	43
Miscellaneous stationers' goods	9	10	9	8	9	10	9	8
Plastics products not elsewhere specified	124	128	114	115	122	127	113	114
Miscellaneous manufacturing industries	27	23	22	24	26	23	22	24
Construction	1,380	1,328	1,313	1,308	1,338	1,290	1,273	1,269
Gas, electricity and water	344	347	353	353	335	337	343	343
Gas	108	106	104	104	106	104	102	103
Electricity	192	192	193	188	186	185	186	181
Water supply	44	49	57	61	43	47	55	59

[1] See footnote on page 153. [8] The 1973, 1974 and 1975 United Kingdom figures for Paper and board are included with Manufacturers of Paper and board not elsewhere specified. [9] The 1973 United Kingdom figure for Manufactured stationery is included with Manufactures of paper and board not elsewhere specified. [10] For 1973 and 1974 combined figures only for Printing, publishing of newspapers and Printing, publishing of periodicals are available. Also the figures for 1974 are affected by the reclassification of some 3,000 employees in Great Britain into these industries (about half from within the same industry group) and the inclusion of about the same number of employees not previously reported in the census of employment.

Sources: Department of Employment; Department of Manpower Services (Northern Ireland)

Employees in employment [1]

Analysis by industry based on the Standard Industrial Classification 1968

TABLE **6.2** *(continued)* At June in each year Thousands

	United Kingdom				Great Britain			
	1973	1974	1975	1976	1973	1974	1975	1976
Transport and communication	1,524	1,506	1,518	1,475	1,501	1,483	1,495	1,453
Railways	224	221	228	219	223	219	227	218
Road passenger transport	223	215	225	223	219	212	222	220
Road haulage contracting for general hire or reward	228	219	205	197	225	216	202	194
Other road haulage	21	22	22	21	21	21	22	21
Sea transport	89	87	88	79	88	86	87	79
Port and inland water transport	80	78	75	72	77	76	72	70
Air transport	78	79	78	80	77	78	77	79
Postal services and telecommunications	445	443	448	431	436	434	439	422
Miscellaneous transport services and storage	137	142	148	152	135	140	146	150
Distributive trades	2,744	2,761	2,763	2,723	2,690	2,707	2,709	2,669
Wholesale distribution of food and drink	225	231	234	226	218	224	227	220
Wholesale distribution of petroleum products	36	35	35	29	35	34	35	28
Other wholesale distribution	279	286	287	284	274	281	282	279
Retail distribution of food and drink	619	619	621	599	608	608	610	587
Other retail distribution	1,292	1,292	1,291	1,284	1,271	1,270	1,269	1,263
Dealing in coal, oil, builders' materials, grain and agricultural supplies	125	125	121	121	120	120	116	116
Dealing in other industrial materials and machinery	168	174	175	180	164	170	171	176
Insurance, banking, finance and business services	1,058	1,116	1,103	1,103	1,043	1,101	1,088	1,087
Insurance	262	266	266	263	259	262	262	259
Banking and bill discounting	285	309	322	321	280	304	317	316
Other financial institutions	111	106	102	105	109	104	101	103
Property owning and managing, etc	88	89	85	87	86	87	82	84
Advertising and market research	32	32	31	31	32	32	31	30
Other business services	208	235	215	216	206	233	213	214
Central offices not allocable elsewhere	73	79	80	82	73	79	80	82
Professional and scientific services	3,250	3,374	3,556	3,654	3,171	3,284	3,465	3,559
Accountancy services	82	83	86	91	81	81	85	89
Educational services [11]	1,662	1,740	1,825	1,886	1,620	1,693	1,776	1,834
Legal services	109	108	109	112	107	106	107	110
Medical and dental services	1,135	1,167	1,255	1,288	1,104	1,130	1,219	1,250
Religious organisations	32	30	29	32	32	30	29	31
Research and development services	95	106	111	109	94	106	111	109
Other professional and scientific services	134	140	141	138	132	138	138	136
Miscellaneous services [2]	2,153	2,125	2,202	2,299	2,114	2,088	2,157	2,252
Cinemas, theatres, radio, etc.	102	101	102	102	101	100	101	101
Sport and other recreations	82	82	90	99	81	80	89	98
Betting and gambling	92	92	94	94	91	91	93	93
Hotels and other residential establishments	249	255	258	266	246	253	255	264
Restaurants, cafes, snack bars	171	165	165	165	168	163	163	162
Public houses	218	224	233	246	215	221	230	243
Clubs	95	95	100	106	94	94	99	105
Catering contractors	61	65	70	67	60	64	69	66
Hairdressing and manicure	97	90	91	96	96	89	90	95
Laundries	64	60	58	54	63	59	57	52
Dry cleaning, job dyeing, carpet beating, etc.	30	28	28	26	29	27	27	26
Motor repairers, distributors, garages and filling stations	465	435	433	439	455	426	423	429
Repair of boots and shoes	6	5	5	5	6	5	5	5
Other services	422	428	476	534	408	416	456	514
Public administration and defence [12]	1,583	1,596	1,654	1,627	1,544	1,551	1,608	1,581
National government service [12]	614	610	650	660	583	573	612	623
Local government service [11]	969	986	1,005	966	960	977	996	958

[1] and [2] See footnotes on page 153. [11] The 1974 figures for these industries include estimated Great Britain figures and may have to be revised (see page 522 of the June 1975 issue of the *Department of Employment Gazette*). [12] Excluding members of HM Forces.

Sources: Department of Employment; Department of Manpower Services (Northern Ireland)

Males employed in engineering and related industries

Analysis by broad occupational category and industry [1]

Great Britain

TABLE 6.3

At May 1976

Thousands

Industry based on the Standard Industrial Classification 1968	All employees	Managerial, administrative, technical and clerical	Foremen [2]	Craftsmen (production and maintenance)	Other production occupations	Other occupations	All apprentices [3]	Operative apprentices [3]	Others being trained [3]
Mechanical engineering	776.95	213.68	35.12	281.97	151.73	94.45	39.96	35.39	11.37
Agricultural machinery (except tractors)	25.35	5.69	1.33	8.01	6.69	3.63	1.39	1.34	0.35
Metal-working machine tools	52.93	13.88	2.40	22.60	8.93	5.12	3.68	3.40	0.46
Pumps, valves and compressors	68.21	18.79	3.23	24.08	12.19	9.92	3.61	3.23	0.88
Industrial engines	22.89	7.11	0.62	7.94	3.80	3.42	1.46	1.21	0.24
Textile machinery and accessories	23.56	4.65	1.04	10.67	4.48	2.72	1.24	1.20	0.39
Construction and earth-moving equipment	35.68	8.65	1.67	12.39	5.67	7.30	1.55	1.48	0.19
Mechanical handling equipment	53.50	16.56	2.29	17.99	9.26	7.40	2.51	1.97	1.04
Office machinery	16.83	6.67	0.59	3.92	4.12	1.53	0.34	0.26	0.31
Other machinery	179.99	53.48	8.10	68.74	30.76	18.91	10.01	8.95	2.58
Industrial (including process) plant and steelwork	144.52	46.99	5.92	54.79	19.46	17.36	7.66	6.47	2.79
Ordnance and small arms	17.01	2.75	1.26	6.29	4.38	2.33	0.89	0.88	0.09
Other mechanical engineering not elsewhere specified	136.62	28.49	6.69	44.62	42.00	14.82	5.68	5.05	2.17
Instrument engineering	94.21	35.67	5.09	25.32	17.87	10.26	2.90	2.38	2.03
Photographic and document copying equipment	8.67	3.22	0.64	1.09	1.77	1.95	0.09	0.09	0.22
Watches and clocks	5.98	1.25	0.49	1.87	1.91	0.46	0.22	0.22	0.16
Surgical instruments and appliances	16.11	3.45	0.88	6.19	4.33	1.26	0.51	0.51	0.58
Scientific and industrial instruments and systems	63.45	27.71	3.08	16.21	9.85	6.60	2.17	1.62	0.91
Electrical engineering	464.13	175.67	23.48	103.25	98.59	63.14	14.84	10.98	9.05
Electrical machinery	103.12	33.05	4.53	35.34	18.53	11.67	6.00	4.73	2.08
Insulated wires and cables	31.94	7.87	1.74	2.86	14.49	4.98	0.30	0.22	0.41
Telegraph and telephone apparatus and equipment	47.71	15.08	2.33	6.68	8.47	15.15	0.98	0.42	0.47
Radio and electronic components	59.81	26.44	3.98	13.83	10.58	4.98	1.72	1.26	1.74
Broadcast receiving and sound reproducing equipment	23.84	9.65	1.47	4.31	4.51	3.90	0.53	0.30	0.64
Electronic computers	32.39	19.29	0.74	4.63	4.35	3.38	0.44	0.22	0.76
Radio, radar and electronic capital goods	65.84	39.96	2.54	15.03	3.75	4.56	2.39	1.66	1.87
Electric appliances primarily for domestic use	37.84	7.77	1.49	5.82	16.62	6.14	0.83	0.74	0.32
Other electrical goods	61.65	16.58	4.67	14.74	17.28	8.38	1.61	1.42	1.06
Marine engineering [4]	23.41	6.31	0.82	10.81	1.92	3.55	2.00	1.83	0.06
Vehicles	635.91	146.41	25.76	189.69	192.52	81.53	22.70	18.57	4.83
Wheeled tractor manufacturing	30.90	6.39	1.20	7.94	10.78	4.59	0.53	0.42	0.20
Motor vehicle manufacturing	384.31	62.50	16.57	98.41	152.94	53.89	10.85	9.37	2.64
Motor cycle, tricycle and pedal cycle manufacture	8.03	1.30	0.41	0.91	4.50	0.91	0.15	0.10	0.07
Aerospace equipment manufacturing and repairing	171.96	71.10	6.67	62.20	16.20	15.79	8.65	6.15	1.59
Locomotives and railway track equipment	16.80	2.14	0.28	9.29	2.89	2.20	1.22	1.22	0.09
Railway carriages and wagons and trams	23.98	2.98	0.65	10.98	5.23	4.14	1.39	1.38	0.13
Metal goods not elsewhere specified	376.90	75.17	21.51	115.85	109.38	54.99	12.90	11.77	7.80
Engineers' small tools and gauges	48.07	8.82	2.07	20.37	12.52	4.29	2.74	2.70	0.97
Hand tools and implements	12.61	2.82	1.10	2.74	4.54	1.41	0.12	0.12	0.63
Cutlery, spoons, forks and plated tableware, etc.	7.42	1.93	0.38	1.77	2.47	0.87	0.13	0.13	0.14
Bolts, nuts, screws, rivets, etc	24.80	4.89	1.54	8.71	6.22	3.44	0.89	0.79	0.58
Wire and wire manufactures	29.08	5.03	2.14	6.40	10.14	5.37	0.50	0.50	0.32
Cans and metal boxes	16.51	2.14	0.98	4.84	5.59	2.96	0.65	0.63	0.25
Jewellery and precious metals	12.71	3.70	0.79	3.97	3.05	1.20	0.42	0.42	0.54
Metal industries not elsewhere specified	225.76	45.86	12.51	67.06	64.83	35.50	6.87	5.98	4.31

[1] Following the use from 1975 of a new sample of employers, estimates are related to *all* employees in the industries covered by the survey and not just to those in establishments with 11 or more workers as previously. Further information, together with details of changes affecting comparability with surveys earlier than 1973, is given in an article on pages 954 to 963 of the *Department of Employment Gazette*, September 1977, which also includes tables listing the occupations included in the broad categories above. [2] Except works and other senior foremen, who are included in the preceding column. [3] Included in the preceding columns. [4] Shipbuilding and ship repairing, which was included up to 1975 has now been omitted.

Source: Department of Employment

Females employed in engineering and related industries

Analysis by broad occupational category and industry [1]

Great Britain

TABLE 6.3 *(continued)*

At May 1976

Thousands

Industry based on the Standard Industrial Classification 1968	All employees	Managerial administrative, technical and clerical	Foremen [2]	Craftsmen (production and maintenance)	Other production occupations	Other occupations	All apprentices [3]	Operative apprentices [3]	Others being trained [3]
Mechanical engineering	142.00	90.63	0.26	1.19	32.16	17.76	0.18	0.03	3.14
Agricultural machinery (except tractors)	3.81	2.73	—	0.03	0.60	0.45	—	—	0.08
Metal-working machine tools	8.93	5.95	0.02	0.05	1.06	1.85	0.02	0.02	0.19
Pumps, valves and compressors	14.87	10.31	0.05	0.09	2.93	1.49	0.01	—	0.54
Industrial engines	3.78	2.68	—	0.03	0.45	0.62	—	—	0.05
Textile machinery and accessories	4.14	2.42	0.01	0.01	0.67	1.03	0.01	—	0.11
Construction and earth-moving equipment	4.44	3.77	—	—	0.02	0.65	—	—	0.12
Mechanical handling equipment	8.24	6.87	0.01	0.03	0.51	0.82	0.03	—	0.21
Office machinery	6.58	2.91	0.04	0.16	3.15	0.32	—	—	0.10
Other machinery	34.80	23.36	0.06	0.48	7.70	3.20	0.07	—	0.65
Industrial (including process) plant and steelwork	16.85	13.15	0.01	0.11	0.49	3.09	0.02	0.01	0.55
Ordnance and small arms	4.61	1.16	0.03	—	2.76	0.66	—	—	0.05
Other mechanical engineering not elsewhere specified	31.02	15.32	0.06	0.22	11.84	3.58	0.03	—	0.48
Instrument engineering	52.58	17.76	0.55	2.13	27.55	4.59	0.01	0.01	0.96
Photographic and document copying equipment	3.02	1.58	0.02	0.40	0.90	0.12	—	—	0.19
Watches and clocks	7.12	0.99	0.05	0.19	5.58	0.31	—	—	0.13
Surgical instruments and appliances	11.47	3.26	0.16	0.24	6.41	1.40	0.01	0.01	0.16
Scientific and industrial instruments and systems	31.02	11.97	0.34	1.30	14.67	2.74	—	—	0.39
Electrical engineering	266.88	73.21	4.06	10.73	158.84	20.04	0.31	0.19	5.85
Electrical machinery	32.22	10.51	0.44	1.88	16.83	2.56	0.16	0.13	0.64
Insulated wires and cables	12.62	4.26	0.13	—	6.60	1.63	0.01	—	0.19
Telegraph and telephone apparatus and equipment	25.99	6.31	0.66	1.94	15.07	2.01	0.02	—	0.74
Radio and electronic components	63.68	13.78	1.19	1.42	43.46	3.83	0.02	—	1.78
Broadcast receiving and sound reproducing equipment	25.54	5.28	0.63	1.05	15.18	3.40	—	—	0.57
Electronic computers	11.83	7.40	0.06	0.28	3.13	0.96	—	—	0.37
Radio, radar and electronic capital goods	23.86	11.92	0.34	3.68	6.30	1.62	0.02	—	0.43
Electric appliances primarily for domestic use	21.29	5.02	0.12	0.24	14.01	1.90	—	—	0.30
Other electrical goods	49.95	8.77	0.51	0.24	38.30	2.13	0.01	0.01	1.04
Marine engineering [4]	2.44	1.96	0.01	0.01	0.03	0.43	0.02	—	0.03
Vehicles	87.41	45.27	0.35	1.00	29.14	11.65	0.40	0.09	1.76
Wheeled tractor manufacturing	2.50	1.39	0.03	0.01	0.70	0.37	—	—	0.08
Motor vehicle manufacturing	52.48	22.35	0.27	0.64	22.77	6.45	0.17	0.07	0.97
Motor cycle, tricycle and pedal cycle manufacture	2.80	1.03	—	—	1.63	0.14	—	—	0.04
Aerospace equipment manufacturing and repairing	27.44	18.95	0.06	0.34	4.01	4.08	0.22	0.01	0.61
Locomotives and railway track equipment	1.03	0.69	—	—	0.01	0.33	—	—	0.03
Railway carriages and wagons and trams	1.23	0.86	—	0.01	0.06	0.30	—	—	0.02
Metal goods not elsewhere specified	148.51	46.13	0.94	4.66	75.47	21.31	0.08	—	2.37
Engineer's small tools and gauges	11.79	5.14	0.06	0.10	4.32	2.17	—	—	0.21
Hand tools and implements	6.18	2.01	—	0.05	3.25	0.87	—	—	0.14
Cutlery, spoons, forks and plated tableware, etc	5.73	1.77	0.07	0.27	2.10	1.52	—	—	0.21
Bolts, nuts, screws, rivets, etc.	10.26	2.80	0.06	0.18	5.68	1.54	0.01	—	0.12
Wire and wire manufactures	7.80	2.36	0.01	0.75	3.85	0.83	—	—	0.07
Cans and metal boxes	12.58	1.88	0.15	—	8.64	1.91	0.01	—	0.13
Jewellery and precious metals	7.50	3.04	0.01	0.70	2.85	0.90	—	—	0.08
Metal industries not elsewhere specified	86.71	27.14	0.57	2.61	44.81	11.58	0.07	—	1.44

See footnotes on page 157.

Source: Department of Employment

Administrative, technical and clerical workers in manufacturing industries

Analysis by industry based on Standard Industrial Classification 1968

Expressed as percentages of total number of employees in employment at October in each year

TABLE **6.4**

Great Britain

Percentages

	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
All manufacturing industries	26.0	26.7	27.4	27.0	26.7	27.0	27.8	27.2
Food, drink and tobacco	22.7	23.1	23.6	23.5	23.4	22.7	24.2	22.4
Coal and petroleum products	38.6	38.6	38.3	38.0	36.5	38.0	32.1	31.0
Chemicals and allied industries	39.1	39.7	40.8	40.6	39.9	38.8	40.9	38.9
Metal manufacture	23.5	24.1	24.9	24.6	24.0	25.0	23.8	23.4
Mechanical engineering	31.6	32.3	33.5	34.0	33.2	33.2	33.8	33.7
Instrument engineering	33.5	34.9	33.7	35.3	33.7	36.4	38.6	37.2
Electrical engineering	34.5	35.2	36.7	34.9	34.4	32.7	34.8	34.0
Shipbuilding and marine engineering	21.6	21.7	21.2	20.8	18.0	21.5	22.2	22.9
Vehicles	28.7	29.1	29.3	27.8	28.2	28.5	29.9	28.9
Metal goods not elsewhere specified	21.3	21.8	23.0	23.0	22.9	22.7	24.2	23.5
Textiles	16.0	17.1	17.4	17.2	17.2	18.0	17.7	18.4
Leather, leather goods and fur	16.9	16.8	17.5	17.5	17.7	15.8	18.6	15.1
Clothing and footwear	12.6	13.1	12.9	13.4	13.4	14.7	14.6	14.9
Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.	21.1	21.8	22.8	22.5	22.0	21.4	22.5	22.1
Timber, furniture, etc.	19.9	20.3	21.2	21.5	21.1	23.7	23.2	23.2
Paper, printing and publishing	28.7	29.4	30.6	30.5	30.5	31.3	31.0	31.0
Other manufacturing industries	23.7	23.6	24.4	23.7	23.2	23.9	24.8	24.1

Source: Department of Employment

Civil service staff [1]

Analysis by ministerial responsibility [2]

TABLE 6.5

At 1 April in each year

Thousands

	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972[3]	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
Total civil and defence departments	707.7	699.4	700.8	700.1	690.4	700.2	692.1	701.4	747.6	745.6
Total civil departments	407.5	410.0	414.3	418.2	415.3	427.4	425.0	434.8	481.4	486.9
Agriculture, Fisheries and Food	16.6	15.9	16.1	15.9	15.9	15.7	15.5	15.8	16.1	15.5
Chancellor of the Exchequer's Departments	100.9	102.6	105.7	106.5	109.0	111.6	111.7	119.8	126.8	129.3
Customs and Excise	18.0	17.8	17.9	17.9	18.6	23.5	24.8	28.4	29.4	29.3
Inland Revenue	63.6	65.2	68.6	69.8	71.9	70.7	69.8	74.2	80.3	83.9
Department for National Savings	15.3	15.3	15.0	15.0	14.6	13.8	13.6	13.3	13.4	12.2
Treasury and others	4.0	4.3	4.2	3.8	3.9	3.7	3.5	3.9	3.7	3.9
Education and Science	7.2	7.1	7.3	7.4	4.3	4.3	3.9	4.0	4.1	4.0
Employment	29.7	30.7	31.7	32.3	33.2	34.9	28.3	19.2	47.7	52.5
Energy								1.3	1.4	1.3
Environment	80.0	78.6	77.5	76.0	74.4	74.7	74.0	75.2	77.5	61.5
Foreign and Commonwealth	13.5	13.2	13.1	13.1	12.9	12.6	12.4	12.6	12.5	12.4
Home	22.4	23.4	24.7	26.0	27.7	28.8	28.7	30.7	32.3	32.6
Industry								10.4	10.1	9.7
Prices and Consumer Protection								0.4	0.4	0.4
Social services	70.3	71.5	72.5	74.1	77.2	81.3	86.0	91.5	95.8	98.3
Trade	30.0	30.1	27.9	27.7	20.3	20.4	20.3	20.9	21.4	9.7
Transport										13.6
Other civil departments	36.8	36.8	38.0	39.1	40.5	43.1	44.2	45.1	47.2	46.1
Ministry of defence	300.1	289.4	286.5	281.9	275.1	272.7	267.1	266.6	266.2	258.7

[1] The figures include established and unestablished non-industrial and industrial staff but exclude casual or seasonal staff (recruited for periods of normally less than six months) and employees of the Northern Ireland Government. Two part-time employees are counted as one whole-time employee. [2] The figures prior to 1972 have been adjusted to show staff in current Ministerial areas so that the figures in all columns are on a comparable basis. [3] From 1972 the figures exclude certain staff not employed by government departments but deemed to be civil servants for superannuation purposes, the staff of the Parliamentary Commissioner for Administration and the Exchequer and Audit Department, and certain judicial officers.

Source: Civil Service Department

Number of workers employed in agriculture[1] [2]

TABLE 6.6

At June in each year

Thousands

	Regular workers					Seasonal or casual workers [4]			All workers			Salaried Managers [5]
	Total	Whole-time		Part-time[3]								
		Male	Female	Male [6]	Female [6]	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	
1966	. .	332.4	31.4	33.6	26.3	85.9	46.2	39.7	522.2	422.9	99.4	. .
1967	. .	314.7	30.6	29.3	23.6	75.0	37.4	37.6	485.3	391.5	93.8	. .
1968	. .	295.5	28.4	26.5	22.9	65.1	32.2	32.9	450.1	364.1	86.0	. .
1969	. .	281.1	26.9	26.7	20.9	66.2	32.8	33.4	433.4	350.3	83.1	. .
1970[7]	353.5	239.2	29.6	43.5	41.2	71.1	35.8	35.2	424.6	318.5	106.0	. .
1971[7]	347.7	231.2	30.6	42.0	43.9	69.8	36.1	33.7	417.5	309.3	108.2	. .
1972[7]	339.5	224.0	28.6	43.2	43.7	67.1	34.5	32.6	406.5	301.7	104.9	5
1973[7]	331.6	216.2	30.7	40.6	44.1	78.2	40.1	38.0	409.8	297.0	112.8	6
1974[7]	316.7	203.2	30.0	39.4	44.1	74.5	39.0	35.5	391.2	281.6	109.6	7
1975[7]	301.7	193.9	27.7	36.4	43.8	73.4	41.2	32.2	375.1	271.5	103.6	7
1976[7]	290.4	188.8	24.6	34.7	42.2	79.6	45.0	34.6	370.0	268.5	101.4	7

[1] Figures exclude schoolchildren, farmers, partners and directors and their wives. [2] Number of workers returned at June 1970 onwards are not directly comparable with those for previous years because of changes in the census in the coverage of labour in England and Wales. [3] Up to 1974 includes workers returned as Seasonal or casual in Northern Ireland. [4] Great Britain only up to 1974 (see footnote [3]). [5] Great Britain only. [6] Figures for the years 1970 to 1972 include Seasonal or casual workers in Scotland. [7] Includes some estimated figures for Scotland.

Source: Agricultural Departments

Numbers unemployed [1]

Analysis by industry based on the Standard Industrial Classification 1968

TABLE 6.7

Number

	United Kingdom				Great Britain			
	1974 June	1975 June	1976 June	1977 May [3]	1974 June	1975 June	1976 June	1977 May [3]
Total (adjusted) [2]	541,500	866,055	. .	. .	514,632	828,473	. .	. .
Total (unadjusted) [2]	547,800	876,290	1,331,838	1,341,691	521,579	838,308	1,277,884	1,285,716
Agriculture, forestry, fishing	10,567	16,868	23,054	25,852	9,250	14,722	20,952	23,738
Agriculture and horticulture	8,237	13,792	19,460	21,876	7,027	11,756	17,500	19,970
Forestry	337	526	716	827	292	485	668	771
Fishing	1,993	2,550	2,878	3,149	1,931	2,481	2,784	2,997
Mining and quarrying	15,493	15,633	17,229	16,800	15,380	15,483	17,052	16,595
Coal mining	14,382	13,933	15,023	14,441	14,375	13,929	15,012	14,438
Stone and slate quarrying and mining	401	687	796	805	328	575	662	640
Chalk, clay, sand and gravel extraction	227	365	414	373	202	341	396	348
Petroleum and natural gas	239	327	505	712	239	326	502	711
Other mining and quarrying	244	321	491	469	236	312	480	458
Total manufacturing industries	147,100	266,906	358,759	343,422	141,128	257,240	345,814	330,576
Food, drink and tobacco	18,002	30,394	39,994	42,611	16,965	28,693	37,979	40,408
Grain milling	471	675	840	925	437	635	780	874
Bread and flour confectionery	3,608	6,473	8,976	9,412	3,373	6,105	8,546	8,968
Biscuits	903	1,178	1,708	1,927	898	1,162	1,687	1,907
Bacon curing, meat and fish products	2,523	5,036	7,308	7,667	2,374	4,612	6,888	7,163
Milk and milk products	1,015	1,807	2,411	2,534	909	1,662	2,186	2,260
Sugar	478	644	1,031	1,179	478	643	1,024	1,173
Cocoa, chocolate and sugar confectionery	1,296	2,163	2,455	2,878	1,280	2,148	2,430	2,851
Fruit and vegetable products	1,375	2,794	3,683	3,826	1,287	2,655	3,549	3,690
Animal and poultry foods	1,192	1,708	2,013	2,302	1,132	1,604	1,877	2,159
Vegetable and animal oils and fats	282	409	455	479	281	405	451	476
Food industries not elsewhere specified	695	1,241	1,570	1,639	685	1,227	1,551	1,620
Brewing and malting	1,406	1,937	2,310	2,194	1,383	1,909	2,272	2,155
Soft drinks	1,010	1,959	2,450	2,542	975	1,888	2,370	2,430
Other drink industries	680	1,067	1,283	1,470	671	1,052	1,263	1,456
Tobacco	1,068	1,303	1,501	1,637	802	986	1,105	1,226
Coal and petroleum products	1,338	1,422	2,424	2,303	1,327	1,401	2,384	2,274
Coke ovens and manufactured fuel	222	216	673	373	220	214	671	371
Mineral oil refining	997	1,075	1,567	1,743	988	1,057	1,532	1,718
Lubricating oils and greases	119	131	184	187	119	130	181	185
Chemicals and allied industries	8,071	12,034	15,753	16,621	7,961	11,885	15,539	16,408
General chemicals	3,023	3,853	4,919	5,228	2,987	3,819	4,874	5,180
Pharmaceutical chemicals and preparations	855	1,387	1,899	2,052	848	1,368	1,871	2,028
Toilet preparations	497	814	1,112	1,162	493	806	1,105	1,152
Paint	729	978	1,302	1,328	717	961	1,278	1,310
Soap and detergents	469	652	829	787	466	650	826	779
Synthetic resins and plastics materials and synthetic rubber	1,037	2,059	2,576	2,714	1,019	2,040	2,543	2,669
Dyestuffs and pigments	271	335	448	502	270	332	440	496
Fertilizers	243	380	388	474	219	345	348	441
Other chemical industries	947	1,576	2,280	2,374	942	1,564	2,254	2,353
Metal manufacture	11,317	18,741	26,638	23,739	11,230	18,623	26,503	23,622
Iron and steel (general)	5,356	8,685	14,300	12,583	5,322	8,650	14,254	12,538
Steel tubes	989	1,376	1,820	1,595	984	1,369	1,810	1,592
Iron castings, etc.	2,453	3,786	4,867	4,549	2,426	3,733	4,815	4,504
Aluminium and aluminium alloys	962	2,185	2,361	2,135	958	2,176	2,353	2,127
Copper, brass and other copper alloys	815	1,583	1,868	1,549	807	1,572	1,858	1,542
Other base metals	742	1,126	1,422	1,328	733	1,123	1,413	1,319
Mechanical engineering	17,915	32,716	40,660	39,032	17,393	32,030	39,654	38,063
Agricultural machinery (except tractors)	487	986	1,160	992	467	965	1,145	968
Metal-working machine tools	1,164	1,795	2,623	2,153	1,148	1,773	2,599	2,134
Pumps, valves and compressors	932	1,780	2,371	2,341	919	1,766	2,346	2,313
Industrial engines	463	659	817	1,051	459	654	811	1,043
Textile machinery and accessories	675	1,402	1,895	1,321	530	1,227	1,632	1,096
Construction and earth-moving equipment	494	787	857	819	487	773	840	799
Mechanical handling equipment	999	1,497	2,224	1,869	978	1,482	2,199	1,842
Office machinery	641	2,457	1,863	1,587	617	2,372	1,719	1,465
Other machinery	5,104	9,701	12,111	11,176	4,969	9,496	11,812	10,889
Industrial (including process) plant and steelwork	3,149	4,707	6,030	7,574	3,086	4,643	5,938	7,476
Ordnance and small arms	296	364	464	465	293	361	460	459
Other mechanical engineering not elsewhere specified	3,511	6,581	8,245	7,684	3,440	6,518	8,153	7,579

See footnotes on page 164.

Sources: Department of Employment; Department of Manpower Services (Northern Ireland)

Numbers unemployed [1]

Analysis by industry based on the Standard Industrial Classification 1968

TABLE 6.7 *(continued)*

Number

	United Kingdom				Great Britain			
	1974 June	1975 June	1976 June	1977 May [3]	1974 June	1975 June	1976 June	1977 May [3]
Instrument engineering	1,872	3,328	4,824	4,516	1,818	3,244	4,699	4,395
Photographic and document copying equipment	233	406	668	518	230	403	659	511
Watches and clocks	313	544	825	839	311	537	818	830
Surgical instruments and appliances	362	626	928	930	328	566	843	863
Scientific and industrial instruments and systems	964	1,752	2,403	2,229	949	1,738	2,379	2,191
Electrical engineering	11,642	23,070	31,924	27,978	11,258	22,302	30,261	26,830
Electrical machinery	2,271	3,349	4,220	3,575	2,220	3,306	4,163	3,509
Insulated wires and cables	857	1,228	1,933	1,892	829	1,155	1,834	1,770
Telegraph and telephone apparatus and equipment	1,281	2,256	4,680	3,692	1,150	2,076	3,892	3,240
Radio and electronic components	1,735	4,634	5,195	4,658	1,700	4,518	5,107	4,594
Broadcast receiving and sound reproducing equipment	759	2,135	2,888	2,561	720	2,063	2,792	2,441
Electronic computers	559	1,114	1,562	1,220	542	997	1,254	1,125
Radio, radar and electronic capital goods	868	1,597	2,201	2,134	852	1,578	2,170	2,105
Electric appliances primarily for domestic use	1,369	2,991	3,954	3,579	1,346	2,912	3,849	3,462
Other electrical goods	1,943	3,766	5,291	4,667	1,899	3,697	5,200	4,584
Shipbuilding and marine engineering	5,984	7,271	9,283	9,340	5,827	7,037	8,944	9,038
Shipbuilding and ship repairing	5,470	6,678	8,411	8,322	5,328	6,460	8,085	8,031
Marine engineering	514	593	872	1,018	499	577	859	1,007
Vehicles	9,747	20,708	28,824	21,283	9,620	20,507	28,559	20,818
Wheeled tractor manufacturing	300	536	571	558	299	534	569	555
Motor vehicle manufacturing	6,073	16,028	20,485	14,351	6,008	15,919	20,352	14,190
Motor cycle, tricycle and pedal cycle manufacturing	801	740	1,769	978	798	737	1,764	972
Aerospace equipment manufacturing and repairing	1,873	2,498	5,097	4,560	1,820	2,415	4,980	4,274
Locomotives and railway track equipment	402	442	439	409	402	440	438	402
Railway carriages and wagons and trams	298	464	463	427	293	462	456	425
Metal goods not elsewhere specified	13,609	28,372	37,138	33,788	13,414	27,985	36,767	33,426
Engineers' small tools and gauges	897	1,762	2,407	2,027	880	1,732	2,373	1,983
Hand tools and implements	480	828	1,123	1,048	465	815	1,112	1,035
Cutlery, spoons, forks and plated tableware, etc.	284	539	848	702	276	524	837	691
Bolts, nuts, screws, rivets, etc.	529	1,449	1,703	1,405	524	1,441	1,688	1,396
Wire and wire manufactures	833	1,545	1,987	1,556	822	1,530	1,965	1,547
Cans and metal boxes	531	854	1,065	1,023	526	837	1,055	1,007
Jewellery and precious metals	302	652	1,296	1,062	297	646	1,288	1,056
Metal industries not elsewhere specified	9,753	20,743	26,709	24,965	9,624	20,460	26,449	24,711
Textiles	11,406	22,238	29,246	29,440	10,067	20,258	26,627	26,547
Production of man-made fibres	753	1,426	1,735	2,277	608	1,237	1,442	1,776
Spinning and doubling on the cotton and flax systems	1,665	3,410	3,784	3,972	1,297	2,773	3,136	3,199
Weaving of cotton, linen and man-made fibres	1,017	2,224	2,690	2,852	820	1,942	2,339	2,525
Woollen and worsted	1,989	3,931	5,502	4,900	1,928	3,815	5,391	4,805
Jute	529	730	1,005	979	528	726	1,000	965
Rope, twine and net	232	362	538	492	204	329	496	440
Hosiery and other knitted goods	1,685	3,522	5,053	5,047	1,472	3,209	4,501	4,576
Lace	62	104	189	212	56	99	187	202
Carpets	641	1,403	1,687	1,707	581	1,338	1,553	1,560
Narrow fabrics (not more than 30 cm wide)	283	591	890	819	263	563	847	775
Made-up textiles	673	1,205	1,615	1,729	556	1,059	1,444	1,535
Textile finishing	1,397	2,413	3,400	3,367	1,281	2,258	3,145	3,110
Other textile industries	480	917	1,158	1,087	473	910	1,146	1,079
Leather, leather goods and fur	1,240	2,134	3,499	3,188	1,158	2,083	3,432	3,126
Leather (tanning and dressing) and fellmongery	721	1,190	1,653	1,504	655	1,164	1,626	1,473
Leather goods	419	792	1,494	1,400	410	771	1,460	1,375
Fur	100	152	352	284	93	148	346	278
Clothing and footwear	6,386	13,355	22,449	22,477	5,410	11,437	20,062	20,399
Weatherproof outerwear	315	505	917	1,011	305	488	902	985
Men's and boys' tailored outerwear	1,238	2,448	4,509	4,621	1,130	2,259	4,231	4,303
Women's and girls' tailored outerwear	693	1,388	2,936	2,885	677	1,371	2,911	2,848
Overalls and men's shirts, underwear, etc.	1,074	2,223	3,362	3,422	554	1,209	2,132	2,377
Dresses, lingerie, infants' wear, etc.	1,498	3,213	5,406	5,760	1,362	2,933	4,970	5,397
Hats, caps and millinery	124	220	327	271	98	167	286	243
Dress industries not elsewhere specified	492	801	1,359	1,362	413	690	1,241	1,266
Footwear	952	2,557	3,633	3,145	871	2,320	3,389	2,980

See footnotes on page 164.

Sources: Department of Employment; Department of Manpower Services (Northern Ireland)

Numbers unemployed [1]

Analysis by industry based on the Standard Industrial Classification 1968

TABLE **6.7** *(continued)*

Number

	United Kingdom				Great Britain			
	1974 June	1975 June	1976 June	1977 May [3]	1974 June	1975 June	1976 June	1977 May [3]
Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.	6,112	11,345	15,005	13,338	5,898	11,022	14,596	12,871
Bricks, fireclay and refractory goods	1,574	3,056	3,467	3,229	1,508	2,921	3,360	3,084
Pottery	719	1,599	2,479	2,204	705	1,571	2,419	2,156
Glass	1,795	3,230	4,563	3,694	1,771	3,204	4,521	3,636
Cement	172	339	886	574	163	335	866	563
Abrasives and building materials, etc. not elsewhere specified	1,852	3,121	3,610	3,637	1,751	2,991	3,430	3,432
Timber, furniture, etc.	6,469	11,089	14,251	15,115	6,310	10,821	13,891	14,727
Timber	1,921	3,319	4,118	4,534	1,878	3,235	4,014	4,431
Furniture and upholstery	2,585	4,079	5,734	6,040	2,504	3,960	5,561	5,850
Bedding, etc.	543	838	1,187	1,164	533	818	1,158	1,137
Shop and office fittings	516	1,036	1,270	1,218	503	1,012	1,237	1,178
Wooden Containers and baskets	475	925	898	988	471	920	890	981
Miscellaneous wood and cork manufactures	429	892	1,044	1,171	421	876	1,031	1,150
Paper, printing and publishing	8,866	14,095	18,675	19,027	8,671	13,802	18,303	18,621
Paper and board	1,448	2,296	3,172	3,211	1,433	2,271	3,142	3,167
Packaging products of paper, board and associated materials	1,343	2,442	2,920	3,140	1,270	2,316	2,788	3,014
Manufactured stationery	324	596	820	890	318	587	809	874
Manufactures of paper and board not elsewhere specified	466	786	1,000	1,203	464	784	993	1,195
Printing, publishing of newspapers	1,613	1,680	2,356	2,350	1,564	1,628	2,277	2,273
Printing, publishing of periodicals	968	1,732	2,097	1,985	959	1,714	2,084	1,964
Other printing, publishing, bookbinding, engraving, etc.	2,704	4,563	6,310	6,248	2,663	4,502	6,210	6,134
Other manufacturing industries	7,124	14,594	18,172	19,626	6,801	14,110	17,614	19,003
Rubber	2,083	3,909	4,548	4,454	1,862	3,603	4,232	4,085
Linoleum, plastics floor-covering, leathercloth, etc.	331	626	619	707	324	624	612	697
Brushes and brooms	184	351	393	492	174	338	373	472
Toys, games, children's carriages and sports equipment	933	2,055	2,618	3,072	929	2,046	2,602	3,052
Miscellaneous stationers' goods	172	394	425	489	164	393	423	483
Plastics products not elsewhere specified	2,657	5,993	7,723	7,925	2,590	5,861	7,545	7,764
Miscellaneous manufacturing industries	764	1,266	1,846	2,487	758	1,245	1,827	2,450
Construction	100,479	159,600	212,071	218,523	92,759	149,834	199,947	204,108
Gas, electricity and water	5,738	6,421	8,877	9,369	5,642	6,319	8,711	9,213
Gas	2,337	2,779	3,510	3,255	2,320	2,579	3,459	3,214
Electricity	2,936	2,944	4,474	4,919	2,870	2,871	4,371	4,815
Water supply	465	698	893	1,195	452	689	881	1,184
Transport and communication	31,785	46,493	60,200	61,488	30,743	44,920	58,293	59,667
Railways	3,505	4,720	5,506	6,262	3,463	4,659	5,401	6,166
Road passenger transport	4,298	6,624	9,043	10,029	4,146	6,306	8,746	9,734
Road haulage contracting for general hire or reward	6,852	12,759	15,407	15,163	6,629	12,368	14,943	14,644
Other road haulage	728	1,000	1,364	1,405	695	959	1,315	1,368
Sea transport	3,677	4,958	6,583	5,993	3,515	4,722	6,315	5,777
Port and inland water transport	3,238	3,200	4,091	3,716	3,045	3,016	3,916	3,597
Air transport	1,049	1,396	1,936	2,268	1,030	1,371	1,907	2,231
Postal services and telecommunications	6,156	8,092	11,209	11,112	5,982	7,833	10,801	10,708
Miscellaneous transport services and storage	2,282	3,744	5,061	5,540	2,238	3,686	4,949	5,442
Distributive trades	49,250	84,985	127,633	136,703	46,873	81,613	122,954	131,740
Wholesale distribution of food and drink	6,281	10,713	14,300	14,418	5,875	10,123	13,573	13,674
Wholesale distribution of petroleum products	570	668	951	1,021	563	653	898	1,004
Other wholesale distribution	5,357	9,611	14,042	14,874	5,165	9,304	13,555	14,390
Retail distribution of food and drink	11,221	18,974	29,602	31,026	10,633	18,210	28,443	29,865
Other retail distribution	18,228	32,718	52,911	59,458	17,455	31,564	51,307	57,524
Dealing in coal, oil, builders' materials, grain and agricultural supplies	3,072	4,739	5,825	5,836	2,866	4,455	5,507	5,539
Dealing in other industrial materials and machinery	4,521	7,562	10,002	10,070	4,316	7,304	9,671	9,744
Insurance, banking, finance and business services	14,614	21,206	27,526	29,496	14,322	20,772	26,933	28,828
Insurance	4,575	5,768	7,408	7,358	4,493	5,647	7,231	7,168
Banking	3,676	4,148	4,681	4,988	3,599	4,059	4,568	4,854
Other financial institutions	1,188	1,725	2,080	2,313	1,167	1,686	2,022	2,249
Property owning and managing, etc.	1,348	2,136	2,958	3,233	1,308	2,067	2,870	3,131
Advertising and market research	750	1,177	1,425	1,572	745	1,164	1,399	1,557
Other business services	2,908	6,014	8,673	9,716	2,843	5,918	8,545	9,554
Central offices not allocable elsewhere	169	238	301	316	167	231	298	315

See footnotes on page **164**.

Sources: Department of Employment; Department of Manpower Services (Northern Ireland)

Numbers unemployed [1]

Analysis by industry based on the Standard Industrial Classification 1968

TABLE **6.7** *(continued)*

Number

	United Kingdom				Great Britain			
	1974 June	1975 June	1976 June	1977 [3] May	1974 June	1975 June	1976 June	1977 [3] May
Professional and scientific services	19,278	27,931	42,879	50,660	18,143	26,412	40,647	48,313
Accountancy services	580	944	1,597	1,821	554	918	1,545	1,770
Educational services	7,883	10,753	16,370	19,595	7,430	10,167	15,497	18,699
Legal services	725	1,271	2,147	2,520	694	1,216	2,060	2,421
Medical and dental services	7,973	11,598	17,821	21,387	7,398	10,812	16,720	20,197
Religious organisations	231	357	586	661	215	344	555	631
Research and development services	522	664	1,066	1,164	521	661	1,059	1,162
Other professional and scientific services	1,364	2,344	3,292	3,512	1,331	2,294	3,211	3,433
Miscellaneous services	48,242	79,286	121,551	138,255	46,326	76,728	118,138	134,420
Cinemas, theatres, radio, etc.	4,987	6,478	8,740	9,381	4,917	6,388	8,618	9,269
Sport and other recreations	1,783	3,055	4,573	5,427	1,741	2,984	4,487	5,303
Betting and gambling	1,969	3,056	4,673	5,307	1,844	2,904	4,519	5,119
Hotels and other residential establishments	11,182	19,589	30,682	36,625	10,798	19,139	29,985	35,858
Restaurants, cafes, snack bars	3,223	5,779	9,707	11,738	3,122	5,612	9,462	11,467
Public houses	2,278	4,272	7,515	9,432	2,083	4,016	7,140	8,989
Clubs	1,489	2,288	3,857	4,306	1,437	2,243	3,800	4,245
Catering contractors	817	1,475	2,519	2,943	784	1,446	2,479	2,888
Hairdressing and manicure	1,159	2,399	4,270	5,114	1,100	2,304	4,161	4,973
Private domestic service	1,836	2,338	3,537	3,948	1,645	2,105	3,320	3,712
Laundries	1,495	2,538	3,883	4,084	1,425	2,451	3,769	3,951
Dry cleaning, job dyeing, carpet beating, etc.	436	671	1,213	1,220	421	642	1,167	1,173
Motor repairers, distributors, garages and filling stations	8,395	14,395	20,805	21,047	8,069	13,907	20,141	20,340
Repair of boots and shoes	226	214	398	303	219	209	383	295
Other services	6,967	10,739	15,179	17,380	6,721	10,378	14,707	16,838
Public administration and defence	32,623	42,735	58,087	72,158	31,196	40,764	55,292	68,686
National government service	13,901	19,217	26,185	30,039	13,214	18,083	24,542	28,005
Local government service	18,722	23,518	31,902	42,119	17,982	22,681	30,750	40,681
Persons not classified by industry	72,631	108,226	273,972	238,965	69,817	103,501	263,151	229,832

Note: The presentation of unemployment statistics in this and succeeding tables conforms with the recommendations of an Inter-departmental Working Party (*Unemployment Statistics* (Cmnd.5157)). See *Department of Employment Gazette,* November 1972.

[1] The figures exclude the temporarily stopped and certain severely disabled persons. [2] The adjusted total is obtained by taking into account amendments notified on the four days following the day of the count. From October 1975, these adjustments were discontinued. [3] After June 1976, the individual analysis was made only quarterly in respect of February, May, August and November.

Sources: Department of Employment; Department of Manpower Services (Northern Ireland)

Rates of unemployment [1] [2]

Analysis by standard regions

TABLE **6.8**

Annual averages

Percentages

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974 [3]	1975	1976 [4]
United Kingdom	1.5	2.3	2.5	2.5	2.6	3.4	3.8	2.7	2.6	4.2	5.8
Great Britain	1.4	2.2	2.4	2.4	2.5	3.3	3.7	2.6	2.6	4.1	5.7
England	1.2	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.3	3.0	3.3	2.4	2.4	3.8	5.4
North	2.5	3.9	4.6	4.8	4.7	5.7	6.3	4.7	4.7	5.9	7.6
Yorkshire and Humberside	1.1	1.9	2.5	2.6	2.9	3.8	4.2	2.9	2.8	4.0	5.6
East Midlands	1.0	1.6	1.8	1.9	2.2	2.9	3.1	2.1	2.2	3.6	4.9
East Anglia	1.4	2.0	2.0	1.9	2.1	3.1	2.9	1.9	2.0	3.5	4.9
South East	0.9	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.6	2.0	2.1	1.5	1.6	2.8	4.2
South West	1.7	2.5	2.5	2.7	2.8	3.4	3.5	2.4	2.7	4.7	6.5
West Midlands	0.8	1.8	2.0	1.8	2.0	2.9	3.6	2.2	. .	4.1	5.9
North West	1.4	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.7	3.9	4.8	3.6	3.5	5.3	7.1
Wales	2.8	4.0	4.0	4.0	3.9	4.7	5.2	3.5	3.8	5.6	7.5
Scotland	2.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	4.2	5.8	6.4	4.6	4.1	5.2	7.0
Northern Ireland	5.9	7.3	7.1	7.1	6.8	7.8	7.8	6.1	5.7	7.9	10.3

[1] Numbers unemployed expressed as a percentage of the estimated total number of employees. See also footnotes to Table 6.3. [2] Excludes adult students registered for vacation employment (from 1967 only for Northern Ireland). [3] Because of industrial action at local offices of the Employment Service Agency the count of unemployed in October and November 1974 included some estimates. Information for West Midlands region is not available for these months. In December 1974 no count was made. The percentages for 1974 are based on averages of eleven months, (except for West Midlands where no averages have been calculated), and are also based on the new regions introduced in April 1974. [4] The averages for 1976 are based on twelve months for Northern Ireland, eleven months for the United Kingdom and Great Britain and ten months for Scotland, Wales and the English regions.

Sources: Department of Employment; Department of Manpower Services (Northern Ireland)

Unemployed in Great Britain[1]

TABLE **6.9**

Thousands

	Average of monthly counts	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
Total													
1968	547	600	596	572	567	536	506	500	539	525	539	545	540
1969	539	584	576	566	550	509	483	486	531	525	543	553	566
1970	577	612	606	602	593	553	524	528	571	563	576	588	604
1971	752	675	684	700	714	715	687	719	793	796	819	851	868
1972	835	927	925	925	912	832	766	775	833	823	790	770	743
1973	588	769	718	683	648	591	545	535	552	527	507	494	484
1974[2]	585	598	599	590	580	535	515	543	629	618	610	621	. .
1975[3]	936	738	757	768	808	813	829	944	1,102	1,097	1,099	1,120	1,153
1976[2]	1,304	1,252	1,253	1,235	1,231	1,220	1,278	1,402	1,440	1,395	1,321	. .	1,316
Males													
1968	459	499	496	477	474	450	429	426	450	439	450	457	457
1969	459	497	491	484	469	435	415	417	446	442	456	466	483
1970	491	526	520	517	508	473	450	453	482	474	483	495	513
1971	635	575	579	590	605	609	589	612	664	666	684	713	732
1972	699	782	781	780	767	700	647	650	686	682	653	637	619
1973	492	640	597	569	540	497	461	451	460	441	425	416	411
1974[2]	492	505	507	502	490	456	440	458	518	509	507	516	. .
1975[3]	747	610	625	633	663	667	680	753	852	850	855	875	907
1976[2]	988	981	979	963	959	947	972	1,031	1,052	1,020	972	. .	. .
Females													
1968	88	101	100	95	93	86	77	74	89	86	89	87	83
1969	81	87	85	82	81	74	68	69	84	83	87	86	82
1970	86	85	86	85	85	80	73	75	90	89	93	94	92
1971	117	100	105	110	108	107	98	107	130	130	135	138	136
1972	136	144	144	144	145	132	119	125	147	141	137	133	124
1973	95	129	121	114	108	94	84	85	92	86	82	78	73
1974[2]	94	92	92	88	90	80	75	84	111	109	103	105	. .
1975[3]	188	128	133	136	145	146	149	191	251	247	244	245	246
1976[2]	315	271	275	272	272	273	306	372	388	376	349	. .	. .

[1] Excludes adult students registered for vacation employment. [2] Because of industrial action at local offices of the Employment Service Agency, the figures for October and November 1974 include estimates from some offices, and for December 1974 no count was made. The 1974 total, male and female averages and the total average for 1976 are for eleven months. The male and female average for 1976 are for ten months. [3] From October 1975 onwards the day of the count was changed from Monday to Thursday. Adjustments to take into account amendments — in respect of the numbers unemployed on the statistical data — notified during the four days following the date of the count were discontinued.

See *Note* to Table 6.7

Source: Department of Employment

Unemployed in Northern Ireland

TABLE **6.10**

Thousands

	Monthly averages	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
1963	37.4	43.9	46.0	43.2	39.1	37.9	35.8	35.1	34.8	34.1	31.8	32.6	34.9
1964	32.2	38.5	38.0	36.0	36.2	34.0	31.8	31.1	30.3	28.4	28.2	26.4	27.9
1965	30.0	31.9	33.3	32.8	32.0	30.9	28.7	28.8	29.4	28.0	27.1	27.1	30.3
1966	30.1	32.3	30.8	29.0	29.5	27.8	28.2	28.4	28.2	29.0	30.4	32.6	35.4
1967[1]	37.7	38.2	38.6	39.1	40.5	38.7	37.1	37.2	37.2	36.6	36.1	36.1	37.1
1968	36.4	38.5	37.6	35.7	35.9	36.7	35.5	35.6	35.8	34.3	35.9	37.3	38.1
1969	36.9	40.6	40.1	38.2	36.3	36.2	34.6	37.6	36.8	35.3	35.1	35.3	36.3
1970	35.4	37.4	36.0	35.5	35.0	33.4	31.7	36.4	37.0	35.4	34.9	35.6	36.5
1971	40.4	39.6	38.9	37.9	38.4	37.5	37.0	42.0	42.4	42.6	42.3	42.7	43.1
1972	40.6	44.9	43.1	42.3	44.7	40.1	38.8	42.6	41.7	39.5	36.8	36.7	36.7
1973	31.1	36.8	35.8	34.6	33.1	30.7	29.7	31.6	30.7	29.3	27.0	26.9	27.2
1974	29.9	29.8	29.6	28.3	27.7	26.3	26.9	31.8	32.4	31.9	30.5	31.6	32.1
1975	42.0	33.8	34.7	34.2	36.8	37.3	37.6	45.7	49.1	48.6	48.6	48.8	48.3
1976	54.9	51.4	51.0	50.3	49.9	51.5	54.0	61.0	62.0	60.6	56.2	55.5	55.1

[1] From 1967, figures exclude adult students registered for vacation employment.

See *Note* to Table 6.7.

Source: Department of Manpower Services (Northern Ireland)

Employment vacancies unfilled in Great Britain [1]

TABLE 6.11

Thousands

	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
Total												
1969	252	264	284	303	306	322	318	301	290	272	256	249
1970	242	250	264	274	280	296	296	272	261	244	226	211
1971	193	185	179	185	186	198	193	179	169	159	149	139
1972	134	144	158	174	184	203	209	203	205	213	220	225
1973	232	275	307	345	386	419	453	458	477	486	477	456
1974	378	352	352	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .
Males												
1969	120	128	137	146	150	158	158	152	145	137	130	129
1970	122	127	135	141	144	151	153	143	136	129	119	112
1971	99	96	94	94	93	98	96	91	86	83	78	73
1972	68	76	82	91	98	108	113	112	111	119	127	131
1973	134	163	183	205	225	245	264	268	279	287	288	274
1974	221	207	208	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .
Females												
1969	132	136	147	156	156	164	161	150	145	135	125	120
1970	120	123	129	133	136	144	143	130	125	115	107	99
1971	94	88	85	91	93	100	97	87	82	76	71	65
1972	66	69	75	83	86	95	96	91	94	94	93	94
1973	97	112	124	140	161	175	189	190	198	200	189	182
1974	156	144	144	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .
Employment offices[2] [3]												
Total												
1974	. .	. .	. .	298	324	336	330	303	307	299	271	. .
1975	. .	181	178	173	164	159	143	136	141	129	113	101
1976	87	97	107	117	122	125	127	128	139	138	. .	. .
Males												
1974	. .	. .	. .	182	197	201	199	185	187	183	168	. .
1975	. .	112	108	104	97	92	85	82	82	77	69	64
Females												
1974	. .	. .	. .	116	127	135	131	117	120	116	103	. .
1975	. .	69	70	69	67	67	58	54	59	52	44	37
Careers offices[2] [3]												
Total												
1974	. .	. .	. .	101	106	111	122	104	92	76	66	. .
1975	. .	41	43	41	37	35	37	27	27	26	24	20
1976	18	18	21	24	29	28	26	25	26	23	. .	. .
Males												
1974	. .	. .	. .	52	54	57	64	55	47	39	33	. .
1975	. .	21	22	20	19	17	20	15	14	13	12	10
Females												
1974	. .	. .	. .	49	52	54	58	49	44	38	32	. .
1975	. .	21	21	21	19	17	17	12	13	12	11	9

[1] The figures relate only to vacancies notified to employment offices and careers offices in Great Britain and are not a measure of total vacancies. From April 1974 the vacancies notified to employment offices include some that are suitable for young persons and those notified to careers offices include some that are suitable for adults. To avoid possible duplication the two series should not be added together. [2] Because of industrial action by some staff in the Department of Employment group, figures for December 1974, January 1975, November and December 1976 are not available. The figures for October and November 1974 include estimates. [3] Following the introduction of the Sex Discrimination Act, vacancies are not recorded separately for males and females from January 1976 onwards.

Source: Department of Employment

Employment vacancies unfilled in Northern Ireland [1]

TABLE 6.12

Number

	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
1963	867	894	1,348	908	1,098	1,374	1,106	1,112	1,307	1,991	1,502	1,419
1964	1,380	1,347	1,285	1,318	1,278	1,420	1,420	1,702	2,048	2,151	2,357	1,753
1965	1,899	1,915	2,337	3,414	3,057	3,701	3,374	3,590	4,160	4,206	4,551	3,778
1966	3,771	3,605	3,704	3,806	3,523	3,531	3,368	3,430	3,233	3,122	2,515	2,219
1967	1,956	1,742	1,880	1,709	1,693	1,905	1,927	1,861	2,279	2,353	1,878	1,691
1968	1,808	1,953	2,792	3,271	2,913	3,376	3,270	2,758	3,185	2,952	2,805	2,623
1969	3,348	3,502	3,796	4,205	4,154	4,272	3,911	3,813	4,194	4,185	3,825	3,702
1970	3,988	4,083	4,290	4,447	4,538	4,535	3,712	3,860	4,004	3,884	3,278	2,975
1971	3,041	3,040	3,063	3,220	3,299	3,307	2,716	3,043	3,040	2,759	2,702	2,821
1972	2,948	2,984	2,962	3,075	3,199	3,305	3,265	3,398	3,553	3,559	3,355	3,295
1973	3,354	4,041	4,400	5,033	5,326	5,229	5,056	5,274	6,106	6,270	6,180	6,061
1974	5,852	5,860	6,150	6,441	6,683	6,479	6,624	6,391	6,375	6,445	5,909	5,227
1975[2]	3,296	3,879	3,595	3,397	3,161	3,134	2,630	2,684	2,644	2,545	2,351	2,080
	1,560	1,476	1,248	1,285	1,096	1,146	938	896	799	761	712	676
1976[2]	2,039	2,271	2,126	2,330	2,430	2,219	2,005	1,823	2,303	2,058	1,935	1,720
	583	641	644	693	652	547	532	548	710	570	491	489

[1] The figures relate to vacancies notified to local offices of the Department. [2] Figures above the line reported by Employment Service offices, figures below the line reported by Employment Service Careers offices.

Source: Department of Manpower Services (Northern Ireland)

Number of temporarily stopped workers

Great Britain

TABLE 6.13

Number

	Average of monthly counts	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
Total													
1969	15,534	10,506	15,115	23,357	7,741	14,113	15,333	8,603	15,645	19,069	29,733	19,405	7,790
1970	21,147	16,518	17,746	22,133	23,160	24,494	22,939	18,401	8,581	48,704	21,637	13,373	16,079
1971	48,379	15,522	37,161	53,467	43,562	39,589	37,176	42,843	41,225	72,797	67,269	74,855	55,089
1972	77,894	48,943	649,341	46,826	29,348	28,790	27,248	19,028	21,165	30,695	14,551	11,338	7,449
1973	11,095	9,461	11,251	12,172	10,408	11,312	21,566	4,397	6,539	13,566	9,139	15,336	7,994
1974[1] [2]	173,145	914,889	744,870	101,823	13,431	21,884	8,912	10,271	15,577	19,740	23,855	29,345	. .
1975[1] [2]	60,830	. .	57,231	83,828	72,657	91,097	79,687	57,424	60,747	56,326	37,843	38,990	33,298
1976[3]	23,878	41,512	39,333	30,773	26,245	21,139	19,669	13,777	12,622	17,214	16,491	. .	. .
Males													
1969	14,033	9,566	13,835	21,761	6,457	12,698	13,582	7,117	13,698	17,450	27,843	17,885	6,505
1970	18,746	14,741	15,336	19,838	19,953	21,658	20,314	16,267	6,635	46,032	19,013	11,575	13 587
1971	41,883	12,727	25,084	40,397	35,556	33,496	33,727	38,472	36,486	66,387	61,792	68,457	50,017
1972	63,242	44,020	504,288	41,356	25,302	23,979	25,052	17,381	19,000	28,573	13,027	10,328	6,598
1973	9,977	8,825	10,263	11,096	9,414	9,777	18,681	3,859	5,773	11,967	8,586	14,221	7,258
1974[1]	. .	. .	. .	. .	12,195	19,877	8,164	9,350	14,198	17,990	19,578	24,300	. .
1975[2]	48,949	. .	45,002	70,440	57,984	74,422	64,303	46,964	51,486	44,313	28,199	29,949	25,381
1976[3]	18,732	30,186	31,201	24,840	20,972	17,174	15,922	10,859	9,657	12,446	14,060	. .	. .
Females													
1969	1,501	940	1,280	1,596	1,284	1,415	1,751	1,486	1,947	1,619	1,890	1,520	1,285
1970	2,401	1,777	2,410	2,295	3,207	2,836	2,625	2,134	1,946	2,672	2,624	1,798	2,492
1971	6,496	2,795	12,077	13,070	8,006	6,093	3,449	4,371	4,739	6,410	5,477	6,398	5,072
1972	14,652	4,923	145,053	5,470	4,046	4,811	2,196	1,647	2,165	2,122	1,524	1,010	851
1973	1,118	636	988	1,076	994	1,535	2,885	538	766	1,599	553	1,115	736
1974[1]	. .	. .	. .	. .	1,236	2,007	748	921	1,379	1,750	4,277	5,045	. .
1975[2]	11,880	. .	12,229	13,388	14,673	16,675	15,384	10,460	9,261	12,013	9,644	9,041	7,917
1976[3]	5,146	11,326	8,132	5,933	5,273	3,965	3,747	2,918	2,965	4,768	2,431	. .	. .

[1] In February 1972 and again in January, February and March 1974, the numbers of temporarily stopped were affected by the energy crises. Separate information for males and females was not collected in January, February and March 1974. Because of industrial action by some staff in the Department of Employment group, figures for October and November 1974 do not include West Midlands and no count was made in December 1974, January 1975, November and December 1976. [2] Averages are for eleven months. [3] Averages are for ten months.

Source: Department of Employment

Number of temporarily stopped workers

TABLE 6.14 Northern Ireland Number

	Average of monthly counts	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
Total													
1968	627	1,562	1,125	657	704	616	583	269	298	325	395	495	494
1969	636	681	1,225	861	498	532	567	470	400	1,077	412	503	408
1970	747	1,225	688	768	741	835	475	493	502	546	703	1,029	956
1971	1,055	1,289	1,145	1,108	1,210	1,153	793	543	1,455	1,122	845	1,063	931
1972	1,282	1,171	3,592	3,384	2,828	684	777	424	682	368	519	448	504
1973	485	606	664	719	1,147	764	522	272	192	225	170	273	269
1974	1,829	6,609	2,654	979	284	2,401	1,227	370	300	643	1,201	3,853	1,426
1975	1,936	3,592	2,174	2,540	3,108	1,883	1,460	2,340	1,134	1,372	1,155	1,322	1,146
1976	1,040	1,744	1,987	1,346	1,036	743	1,067	967	867	795	715	689	518
Males													
1968	319	497	490	230	328	259	291	182	185	216	304	423	420
1969	437	485	874	725	369	440	385	347	291	600	210	299	227
1970	447	870	470	531	418	471	248	273	227	275	397	680	504
1971	573	601	609	554	529	542	581	432	892	646	425	594	472
1972	925	498	2,973	2 749	2,516	298	325	262	480	171	282	209	334
1973	273	405	433	289	413	446	252	160	139	189	121	215	211
1974	970	2,285	1,574	474	217	1,701	1,094	244	206	327	776	2,086	650
1975	919	1,720	1,037	1,201	1,736	835	550	774	469	592	638	775	698
1976	513	927	1,060	582	431	374	485	345	376	399	458	438	276
Females													
1968	308	1,065	635	427	376	357	292	87	113	109	91	72	74
1969	199	196	351	136	129	92	182	123	109	477	202	204	181
1970	300	355	218	237	323	364	227	220	275	271	306	349	452
1971	482	688	536	554	681	611	212	111	563	476	420	469	459
1972	357	673	619	635	312	386	452	162	202	197	237	239	170
1973	213	201	231	430	734	318	270	112	53	36	49	58	58
1974	859	4,324	1,080	505	67	700	133	126	94	316	425	1,767	776
1975	1,017	1,872	1,137	1,339	1,372	1,048	910	1,566	665	780	517	547	448
1976	527	817	927	764	605	369	582	622	491	396	257	251	242

Source: Department of Manpower Services (Northern Ireland)

Industrial stoppages [1]

Number of stoppages and workers involved

TABLE **6.15**

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Numbers of stoppages beginning in each year											
Analysis by industry [2]:											
All industries and services [3]	1,937	2,116	2,378	3,116	3,906	2,228	2,497	2,873	2,922	2,282	2,016
Mining and quarrying	556	399	227	193	165	138	229	305	196	217	283
Metals, engineering, shipbuilding and vehicles	701	910	1,103	1,430	1,921	1,107	1,249	1,342	1,326	1,045	800
Textiles	21	41	54	72	96	70	66	92	94	72	49
Clothing and footwear	9	19	15	24	27	27	31	31	31	45	31
Construction	265	256	276	285	337	234	243	217	203	208	244
Transport and communication	178	208	342	540	584	269	236	298	305	189	193
All other industries and services	208	293	387	576	777	383	443	591	774	517	418
Workers directly and indirectly involved in these stoppages: Total (Thousands)	531	732	2,256	1,656	1,793	1,175	1,726	1,513	1,622	789	670
Analysis by industry [2]:											
Mining and quarrying	51	42	30	145	118	23	342	47	307	28	39
Metals, engineering, shipbuilding and vehicles	288	459	1,911	750	784	665	680	819	733	465	415
Textiles	2	6	12	18	34	11	18	26	31	39	9
Clothing and footwear	1	3	4	10	30	4	7	14	6	12	6
Construction	35	37	47	44	51	38	210	25	22	26	51
Transport and communication	115	113	145	393	347	306	218	147	135	81	43
All other industries and services	40	73	107	296	429	127	251	435	388	138	107
Analysis by duration of stoppage:											
Not more than 6 days	413	572	2,075	1,093	1,075	702	821	1,025	710	473	449
Over 6 but not more than 12 days	46	82	77	146	162	127	137	191	226	111	107
Over 12 but not more than 24 days	32	28	73	222	268	65	155	152	499	113	78
Over 24 but not more than 36 days	4	34	16	158	199	28	352	96	105	66	16
Over 36 but not more than 60 days	33	13	4	24	58	244	56	35	71	14	14
Over 60 days	2	2	11	14	30	9	206	14	11	13	6

Workings days lost as a result of stoppages

Thousands

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Working days lost through the stoppages which began in the year [4]	2,395	2,783	4,719	6,925	10,908	13,589	23,923	7,145	14,845	5,914	3,509
Analysis by workers involved:											
Under 100 workers	168	201	250	318	485	320	406	378	440	374	293
100 and under 250 workers	191	256	352	419	708	389	591	598	668	579	399
250 and under 500 workers	253	278	364	578	752	535	890	648	887	671	570
500 and under 1,000 workers	238	361	559	774	1,171	687	1,151	738	1,071	834	563
1,000 and under 2,500 workers	364	595	821	1,226	1,671	1,059	1,897	1,248	1,604	1,092	773
2,500 and under 5,000 workers	156	289	507	558	1,123	623	2,155	879	1,054	1,272	426
5,000 workers and over	1,024	802	1,867	3,053	4,998	9,976	16,834	2,654	9,121	1,094	485
Working days lost each year through all stoppages in progress [5]											
Analysis by industry [2]:											
All industries and services	2,398	2,787	4,690	6,846	10,980	13,551	23,909	7,197	14,750	6,012	3,284
Mining and quarrying	118	108	57	1,041	1,092	65	10,800	91	5,628	56	78
Metals, engineering, shipbuilding and vehicles	871	1,422	3,363	3,739	4,540	6,035	6,636	4,800	5,837	3,932	1,977
Textiles	10	25	34	120	192	58	236	140	236	257	39
Clothing and footwear	1	6	7	19	192	13	38	53	19	93	26
Construction	145	201	233	278	242	255	4,188	176	252	247	570
Transport and communication	1,069	823	559	786	1,313	6,539	876	331	705	422	132
All other industries and services	183	202	438	862	3,409	586	1,135	1,608	2,072	1,006	461

[1] Excluding stoppages involving fewer than 10 workers or lasting less than one day except any in which the aggregate number of working days lost exceeded 100. [2] Figures from 1966 to 1969 are based on the 1958 Standard Industrial Classification and those for 1970 onwards, on the 1968 edition. [3] Some stoppages involved workers in more than one industry group but have each been counted only once in the totals. [4] The figures for working days lost include days lost in subsequent years where the stoppages extended into the following calendar year. [5] This analysis shows the total working days lost *within* each year as a result of stoppages in progress in that year whether beginning in that or an earlier year.

Source: Department of Employment

Economic activity: 1971 [1] [2]

Great Britain

TABLE 6.16

Based on 10% sample of returns

Thousands

	Total	Age last birthday							
		Under 20	20-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-59	60-64	65 and over
Males: Total population (aged 15 and over)	19,496	1,897	2,063	3,357	3,163	3,253	1,570	1,458	2,735
Total economically inactive (15 and over)	3,612	733	200	79	50	75	72	195	2,207
Students	933	700	175	43	10	3	—	—	—
Retired	2,304	—	—	—	1	9	19	103	2,171
Other	376	33	25	36	38	63	53	92	36
Total economically active	15,884	1,164	1,862	3,278	3,113	3,178	1,498	1,263	527
In employment	15,032	1,057	1,747	3,125	2,983	3,045	1,421	1,142	511
Self-employed	1,472	19	94	311	349	318	155	132	93
Managers	1,385	9	79	271	343	375	161	105	41
Foremen and supervisors	780	3	32	134	192	242	101	68	9
Other employees	11,395	1,026	1,542	2,409	2,099	2,110	1,004	837	367
Out of employment	852	106	115	154	130	133	77	121	16
Sick	190	6	10	21	29	44	31	44	5
Other	662	101	105	132	101	88	46	77	12
Females: Total population (aged 15 and over)	21,439	1,801	2,033	3,286	3,151	3,391	1,695	1,675	4,408
Total economically inactive (15 and over)	12,301	790	809	1,840	1,350	1,343	831	1,207	4,132
Students	812	655	115	22	14	6	—	—	—
Other (including retired)	11,489	135	694	1,818	1,336	1,337	831	1,207	4,132
Total economically active	9,138	1,011	1,224	1,446	1,801	2,048	864	468	276
In employment	8,701	938	1,163	1,373	1,730	1,964	821	451	261
Self-employed	371	4	19	58	83	98	48	32	30
Managers	287	4	22	41	63	89	38	19	11
Foremen and supervisors	209	3	18	38	48	65	25	9	3
Other employees	7,834	927	1,103	1,236	1,536	1,712	710	391	218
Out of employment	436	73	61	73	70	84	43	18	15
Sick	101	10	10	12	17	29	17	5	2
Other	335	63	51	61	54	55	26	13	13

[1] These figures differ from those given by the Department of Employment as they were calculated on a different basis: census figures include all who live and work in Great Britain or who work in Great Britain although usually resident in another country (including foreign and Commonwealth armed forces, except those on foreign naval vessels, and seamen). Department of Employment figures relate to the British working population including those who at the time of the census were working outside Great Britain (includes British forces and seamen abroad). Full-time students and school pupils who hold National Insurance cards, are classified in the census as economically inactive; they are included in the Department of Employment figures. Seasonal and irregular workers are classified as economically inactive in the census only if they are students, retired or are 'Other persons economically inactive'; they are included in the Department of Employment figures. People who were 'sick' at the time of the census are classified as 'out of employment, sick' but in Department of Employment figures are classified as employed. [2] During the whole week 24 April 1971. For further definition of terms see *1971 Census, Great Britain, County Reports, General Explanatory Notes.*

Sources: Office of Population Censuses and Surveys; General Register Office (Scotland)

Size of manufacturing units 1974

TABLE **6.17**

United Kingdom

	Total	Analysis by number of employees						
		11–19	20–49	50–99	100–199	200–499	500–999	1,000 or more
Number of units								
All manufacturing industries	59,691	16,743	19,316	9,570	6,396	4,901	1,664	1,101
Food, drink and tobacco	5,050	1,201	1,514	826	562	596	232	119
Coal and petroleum products	176	46	40	30	*	*	*	6
Chemicals and allied industries	2,118	492	571	342	268	260	103	82
Metal manufacture	2,210	425	616	386	301	278	108	96
Mechanical engineering	8,499	2,732	2,710	1,273	804	620	224	136
Instrument engineering	1,267	372	380	204	138	108	41	24
Electrical engineering	3,342	816	881	493	383	394	191	184
Shipbuilding and marine engineering	694	181	209	115	74	53	21	41
Vehicles	2,135	503	601	298	241	216	108	168
Metal goods not elsewhere specified	6,988	2,369	2,483	1,062	555	347	130	42
Textiles	4,478	833	1,231	878	781	582	122	51
Leather, leather goods and fur	777	264	287	141	*	*	*	—
Clothing and footwear	5,774	1,401	2,228	1,005	705	355	64	16
Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.	2,377	612	804	377	280	204	67	33
Timber, furniture, etc.	4,825	1,777	1,811	695	359	151	29	3
Paper, printing and publishing	5,863	1,894	1,928	880	551	419	129	62
Other manufacturing industries	3,118	825	1,022	565	324	260	84	38
Number of employees (thousands)								
All manufacturing industries	7,439.0	240.6	593.5	667.6	890.0	1,504.9	1,150.0	2,392.4
Food, drink and tobacco	771.5	17.4	46.9	57.9	78.0	182.2	163.7	225.6
Coal and petroleum products	34.9	0.7	1.2	2.0	*	*	*	12.6
Chemicals and allied industries	386.9	7.1	18.2	23.9	37.2	81.0	70.5	149.0
Metal manufacture	521.5	6.2	19.6	27.0	42.5	84.1	74.8	267.3
Mechanical engineering	900.7	39.5	82.7	88.8	110.6	193.1	154.4	231.6
Instrument engineering	153.5	5.3	11.8	14.2	19.4	33.1	30.0	39.8
Electrical engineering	771.5	11.8	27.0	34.8	53.8	126.1	134.1	383.8
Shipbuilding and marine engineering	186.3	2.6	6.1	7.8	10.2	17.9	15.9	125.8
Vehicles	773.2	7.2	18.1	21.3	34.7	68.4	75.8	547.7
Metal goods not elsewhere specified	517.5	34.0	75.8	73.5	75.6	105.3	90.5	62.8
Textiles	566.5	11.9	38.3	62.2	111.1	175.8	80.5	86.7
Leather, leather goods and fur	39.1	3.8	8.7	9.7	*	*	*	—
Clothing and footwear	422.9	20.0	68.4	68.8	97.9	103.3	41.2	23.2
Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.	259.9	8.9	25.3	26.3	39.2	63.5	45.5	51.1
Timber, furniture, etc.	244.7	25.2	54.8	48.8	48.7	45.0	18.4	3.8
Paper, printing and publishing	545.4	27.3	59.1	61.4	76.4	129.2	87.7	104.4
Other manufacturing industries	343.0	11.8	31.6	39.2	45.1	78.8	59.2	77.3

Notes

[i] The analysis follows the Orders of the Standard Industrial Classification 1968.

[ii] Where an asterisk is shown individual figures are suppressed for disclosure reasons; the suppressed figures are included in the totals.

[iii] Reliable figures for units employing 10 or less persons are not available at Business Statistics Office. It is estimated, however, that there were about 50,000 such units in 1974 with total employment of approximately 250 thousands.

Source: Business Statistics Office

Indices of basic wage rates of manual workers [1] [2]

TABLE 6.18

Weekly wage rates

	All industries and services				Manufacturing industries [3]			
	All workers	Men	Women	Juveniles [4]	All workers	Men	Women	Juveniles [4]
	31 January 1956 = 100							
1971 June	221.0	218.5	224.3	253.0	218.7	213.7	230.3	262.9
December	236.6	233.2	242.5	276.2	231.8	226.5	243.6	279.7
1972 June	248.2	244.1	256.7	290.9	244.3	238.0	259.7	296.3
July	*249.5*	*245.2*	*259.0*	*292.3*	*245.3*	*238.8*	*261.2*	*297.6*
	31 July 1972 = 100							
1972 December	108.1	108.3	106.9	108.9	107.8	108.0	106.7	107.9
1973 June	115.3	115.0	115.5	118.0	112.9	112.4	115.1	114.2
December	121.4	120.9	123.7	123.5	121.0	120.6	122.9	122.1
1974 March	125.9	124.6	131.3	128.6	123.1	122.1	128.0	125.2
June	136.2	134.8	141.8	141.1	131.5	129.9	139.2	135.0
September	145.6	144.1	151.3	152.3	142.6	141.1	149.5	146.2
December	157.1	153.9	170.9	164.9	150.3	147.3	164.9	155.3
1975 March	168.1	165.0	180.3	178.0	161.4	158.0	178.6	166.3
June	181.5	178.9	190.8	193.6	178.7	175.4	195.0	184.4
September	184.9	181.7	196.6	197.9	181.4	177.8	198.5	189.1
December	197.0	192.1	219.0	208.5	194.4	190.5	213.0	202.4
1976 March	206.7	201.4	229.5	220.3	203.8	198.7	228.2	213.8
June	215.3	209.8	238.2	231.3	211.2	205.1	240.4	222.8
September	217.9	211.7	243.7	235.7	212.7	206.5	242.2	224.8
December	220.2	213.3	250.6	237.1	213.3	207.1	242.8	225.0
1977 March	223.9	[5]	[5]	[5]	215.9	[5]	[5]	[5]
June	227.1				218.3			

Hourly wage rates

	All industries and services				Manufacturing industries [3]			
	All workers	Men	Women	Juveniles [4]	All workers	Men	Women	Juveniles [4]
	31 January 1956 = 100							
1971 June	245.1	242.2	249.1	280.9	241.9	235.9	255.8	291.1
December	262.6	258.7	269.4	306.8	256.5	250.2	270.7	309.7
1972 June	275.9	271.1	285.9	323.8	270.3	262.9	288.5	328.1
July	*277.3*	*272.3*	*288.5*	*325.4*	*271.4*	*263.8*	*290.2*	*329.5*
	31 July 1972 = 100							
1972 December	108.4	108.5	107.4	109.3	107.8	108.0	106.7	107.9
1973 June	115.7	115.3	116.3	118.7	112.9	112.4	115.1	114.2
December	122.0	121.2	124.7	124.3	121.0	120.6	122.9	122.1
1974 March	126.5	125.1	132.5	129.5	123.2	122.1	128.0	125.2
June	136.9	135.3	143.1	142.1	131.6	129.9	139.2	135.0
September	146.4	144.6	152.7	153.4	142.7	141.1	149.5	146.2
December	158.0	154.5	172.5	166.1	150.4	147.3	164.9	155.3
1975 March	169.0	165.7	182.1	179.4	161.5	158.0	178.8	166.3
June	182.6	179.7	192.8	195.2	178.8	175.4	195.1	184.5
September	186.0	182.5	198.7	199.6	181.5	177.9	198.6	189.1
December	198.2	192.9	221.2	210.3	194.5	190.5	213.2	202.4
1976 March	207.9	202.2	231.9	222.2	203.9	198.7	228.4	213.8
June	216.6	210.7	240.6	233.2	211.3	205.2	240.6	222.8
September	219.3	212.6	246.2	237.7	212.8	206.6	242.4	224.8
December	221.5	214.2	253.1	239.1	213.4	207.2	242.9	225.1
1977 March	225.2	[5]	[5]	[5]	216.0	[5]	[5]	[5]
June	228.4				218.4			

[1] The figures are based on rates and hours at the end of the month. [2] Where necessary, figures published in previous issues have been revised to include changes having retrospective effect, or reported belatedly. [3] The term 'Manufacturing industries' covers all industries included in Orders III–XIX of the Standard Industrial Classification 1968. [4] In general, males under 21 and females under 18 years of age. [5] Separate indices for men, women and juveniles ceased to be published from January 1977.

Source: Department of Employment

Average weekly earnings and hours of manual workers

TABLE 6.19

At October in each year

	Standard Industrial Classification 1958			Standard Industrial Classification 1968							
	1967	1968	1969	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Average weekly earnings[1] (£)											
Manufacturing and certain other industries:											
Men (aged 21 and over)	21.38	23.00	24.82	24.83	28.05	30.93	35.82	40.92	48.63	59.58	66.97
Women (aged 18 and over) full-time	10 56	11.30	12.11	12.11	13.99	15.80	18.30	21.16	27.01	34.19	40.61
Manufacturing industries:											
Men (aged 21 and over)	21.89	23.62	25.54	25.54	28.91	31.37	36.20	41.52	49.12	59.74	67.83
Women (aged 18 and over) full-time	10.54	11.31	12.12	12.11	13.98	15.80	18.34	21.15	27.05	34.23	40.71
Average weekly hours worked[2]											
Manufacturing and certain other industries:											
Men (aged 21 and over)	46.2	46.4	46.5	46.5	45.7	44.7	45.0	45.6	45.1	43.6	44.0
Women (aged 18 and over) full-time	38.2	38.3	38.1	38.1	37.9	37.7	37.9	37.7	37.4	37.0	37.4
Manufacturing industries:											
Men (aged 21 and over)	45.3	45.8	45.7	45.7	44.9	43.6	44.1	44.7	44.0	42.7	43.5
Women (aged 18 and over) full-time	38.0	38.2	37.9	37.9	37.7	37.5	37.7	37.5	37.2	36.8	37.2

[1] The figures represent the average earnings, including bonus, overtime, etc., and before deduction of income tax or insurance contributions, in one week in the months indicated. Administrative and clerical workers and other salaried persons have been excluded. The figures are subject to certain qualifications, which are contained in a full account of the enquiry relating to October 1976, published in the *Department of Employment Gazette* for March 1977. [2] The figures include overtime and correspond with those for average earnings.

Source: Department of Employment

Index of average salaries: non-manual employees [1]

Great Britain

TABLE 6.20

April 1970 = 100

	Weights	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
		At April in each year						
All industries								
All ages [2]:								
All non-manual employees	*1,000*	100.0	112.4	125.4	138.7	156.8		
Non-manual males	*515*	100.0	112.4	125.5	138.5	156.0		
Non-manual females	*485*	100.0	112.4	125.3	139.1	158.5		
Full-time adults [3] [4]:								
All non-manual employees	*1,000*	100.0	111.7	124.5	138.0	157.0	202.9	244.5
Non-manual males	*575*	100.0	111.5	124.1	137.3	155.3	195.0	232.6
Non-manual females	*425*	100.0	112.2	125.8	139.8	161.8	224.0	276.6
All manufacturing industries								
All ages [2]:								
All non-manual employees	*1,000*	100.0	111.7	124.4	138.6	155.8		
Non-manual males	*648*	100.0	111.6	124.0	137.7	153.3		
Non-manual females	*49* part-time *303* full-time	100.0	112.9	126.2	142.5	167.4		
Full-time adults [3] [4]:								
All non-manual employees	*1,000*	100.0	111.0	122.7	136.5	154.3	197.5	233.9
Non-manual males	*689*	100.0	110.7	122.3	135.9	152.1	191.8	225.6
Non-manual females	*311*	100.0	112.5	124.9	139.9	165.2	226.7	276.2

[1] These fixed weighted series are based on results of the New Earnings Survey and are described in articles in the May 1972 and January 1976 issues of the *Department of Employment Gazette*. The latter article (page 19) explains why the series for All ages cannot be continued. [2] Including part-time employees. [3] Men aged 21 years and over, women aged 18 years and over. [4] The series for full-time adults relate to those whose pay for the survey pay-period was not affected by absence.

Source: Department of Employment

Average weekly and hourly earnings and hours

New Earnings Survey [1]

TABLE 6.21

Great Britain

	All industries					Manufacturing industries				
	Average weekly earnings		Average hours [2]	Average hourly earnings[2]		Average weekly earnings		Average hours [2]	Average hourly earnings[2]	
				including overtime pay and overtime hours	excluding overtime pay and overtime hours				including overtime pay and overtime hours	excluding overtime pay and overtime hours
	Including those whose pay was affected by absence	Excluding those whose pay was affected by absence				Including those whose pay was affected by absence	Excluding those whose pay was affected by absence			
	£	£		p	p	£	£		p	p
All full-time men[3]										
1972	36.0	36.7	43.4	83.7	83.3	36.2	37.1	43.9	83.7	
1973	40.9	41.9	43.8	94.3	93.7	41.1	42.3	44.5	94.5	93.5
1974	46.5	47.7	43.7	107.6	107.2	46.3	47.7	44.3	106.9	106.1
1975	59.2	60.8	43.0	139.9	139.3	58.1	60.2	43.4	137.7	136.5
1976	70.0	71.8	42.7	166.8	166.6	69.2	71.4	43.4	163.2	162.0
Full-time manual men[3]										
1972	32.1	32.8	46.0	71.3	69.1	33.6	34.5	45.6	75.8	
1973	37.0	38.1	46.7	81.7	79.2	38.6	39.9	46.4	86.0	83.7
1974	42.3	43.6	46.5	93.5	91.1	43.6	45.1	46.2	97.4	95.2
1975	54.0	55.7	45.5	122.2	119.2	54.5	56.6	45.0	125.8	123.1
1976	63.3	65.1	45.3	143.7	141.0	65.1	67.4	45.1	149.2	146.3
Full-time non-manual men[3]										
1972	43.4	43.5	38.7	110.7	110.8	43.7	43.8	38.9	111.3	
1973	47.8	48.1	38.8	121.6	121.7	48.4	48.7	39.2	122.4	122.4
1974	54.1	54.4	38.8	137.9	138.1	54.1	54.5	39.1	137.7	137.8
1975	67.9	68.4	38.7	174.3	174.6	68.2	68.7	39.2	173.2	173.3
1976	81.0	81.6	38.5	210.3	210.6	80.2	80.9	39.1	204.3	204.4
All full-time women[4]										
1972	20.1	20.5	37.8	54.0	53.9	17.8	18.4	39.0	47.0	
1973	22.6	23.1	37.8	60.5	60.3	20.3	21.0	39.0	53.9	53.6
1974	26.3	26.9	37.8	70.8	70.6	23.9	24.8	38.9	63.8	63.4
1975	36.6	37.4	37.4	98.5	98.3	32.4	33.6	38.5	87.2	86.9
1976	45.3	46.2	37.3	122.6	122.4	40.1	41.5	38.5	107.6	107.2
Full-time manual women[4]										
1972	16.6	17.1	39.9	43.0	42.6	17.0	17.7	40.0	44.4	
1973	19.1	19.7	39.9	49.6	49.1	19.6	20.5	40.0	51.2	50.7
1974	22.8	23.6	39.8	59.3	58.7	23.1	24.1	39.9	60.6	60.1
1975	30.9	32.1	39.4	81.6	81.1	30.9	32.4	39.5	81.8	81.4
1976	38.1	39.4	39.3	100.7	100.2	38.5	40.3	39.6	102.0	101.5
Full-time non-manual women[4]										
1972	22.1	22.2	36.8	59.9	59.8	19.4	19.5	37.3	52.3	
1973	24.5	24.7	36.8	66.2	66.1	21.8	21.8	37.3	58.5	58.3
1974	28.3	28.6	36.8	76.9	76.7	25.6	25.8	37.3	69.0	68.8
1975	39.3	39.6	36.6	106.1	105.9	35.2	35.4	37.1	95.2	95.0
1976	48.5	48.8	36.5	132.0	131.8	42.8	43.1	37.1	115.9	115.6

Notes

[i] Because of the raising of the school leaving age in 1973, coverage of the 1974 and subsequent surveys was reduced.

[ii] From 1974 age has been measured in completed years at 1 January, not as previously at time of survey.

[iii] From 1975 the NES sample excludes employees who are not members of PAYE schemes or who joined such schemes shortly before the survey.

[1] A pay period including a reference date in April of each year. [2] The estimates given relate to employees for whom normal basic hours were reported and for whom total hours and hourly earnings could, therefore, be calculated. [3] Men aged 21 and over. [4] Women aged 18 and over. [5] Men and women aged 18 and over. [6] Under 21 years. [7] Under 18 years.

Source: Department of Employment

Average weekly and hourly earnings and hours

New Earnings Survey [1]

TABLE 6.21 *(continued)*

Great Britain

	All industries					Manufacturing industries				
	Average weekly earnings		Average hours [2]	Average hourly earnings [2]		Average weekly earnings		Average hours [2]	Average hourly earnings [2]	
				including overtime pay and overtime hours	excluding overtime pay and overtime hours				including overtime pay and overtime hours	excluding overtime pay and overtime hours
	Including those whose pay was affected by absence	Excluding those whose pay was affected by absence				Including those whose pay was affected by absence	Excluding those whose pay was affected by absence			
	£	£		p	p	£	£		p	p
Full-time adults[3] [4]										
1972	31.4	32.0	41.8	75.8	75.0	31.7	32.7	42.6	76.4	
1973	35.5	36.4	42.1	85.2	84.1	36.0	37.3	43.1	85.7	84.1
1974	40.6	41.7	42.0	97.8	96.8	40.8	42.3	43.0	97.6	96.1
1975	52.7	54.0	41.3	128.9	127.7	52.1	54.2	42.3	127.2	125.4
1976	62.7	64.2	41.1	154.7	153.8	62.5	64.7	42.3	151.8	150.0
Full-time adults [5]										
1973	35.0	35.9	42.1	84.1	82.9	35.6	36.8	43.1	84.6	83.1
1974	40.1	41.1	42.0	96.6	95.5	40.3	41.8	43.0	96.4	95.0
1975	52.0	53.4	41.4	127.3	126.0	51.5	53.6	42.3	125.8	124.1
1976	61.8	63.4	41.1	152.6	151.6	61.8	64.0	42.5	150.1	148.3
Full-time youths and boys[6]										
1972	16.0	16.2				16.7	17.1			
1973	19.0	19.3	42.3	45.5	44.3	19.9	20.4	42.7	48.0	46.7
1974	24.7	25.1	42.4	59.1	57.4	26.1	26.9	43.0	62.5	60.7
1975	32.9	33.3	41.8	79.8	78.1	33.4	34.2	42.0	81.5	79.5
1976	38.2	38.7	41.6	93.3	91.7	39.4	40.2	41.9	96.3	94.4
Full-time girls[7]										
1972	10.2	10.3				11.0	11.3			
1973	11.8	11.9	39.0	30.6	30.4	12.8	13.1	39.6	33.2	33.0
1974	15.4	15.7	38.4	40.9	40.7	16.6	17.1	39.2	43.8	43.6
1975	22.0	22.3	38.1	58.5	58.3	22.8	23.4	38.7	60.3	60.2
1976	25.7	26.0	38.2	68.3	68.1	26.4	27.3	38.9	70.2	70.0
Part-time men[3]										
1972	12.1	12.2				10.4	10.5			
1973	15.0	15.2	18.9	64.6	64.4	12.8	13.0	20.4	56.0	55.5
1974	14.8	15.1	19.0	72.2	72.0	14.0	14.3	20.2	66.0	65.5
1975	17.9	18.3	18.2	93.9	93.6	20.1	20.3	20.2	89.4	88.3
1976	22.1	22.5	18.0	122.2	121.9	24.2	24.6	20.4	114.0	112.6
Part-time women[4]										
1972	8.5	8.6				9.3	9.5			
1973	9.9	10.1	20.3	49.1	49.0	10.8	11.0	22.6	49.0	48.7
1974	11.7	11.9	20.7	57.5	57.4	12.5	12.9	22.7	57.3	57.0
1975	17.1	17.4	21.4	81.3	81.2	17.0	17.6	22.9	77.5	77.3
1976	20.3	20.5	20.9	99.2	99.1	21.0	21.5	22.8	95.8	95.5

See *Notes* on page 174.

[1] A pay period including a reference date in April of each year. [2] The estimates given relate to employees for whom normal basic hours were reported and for whom total hours and hourly earnings could, therefore, be calculated. [3] Men aged 21 and over. [4] Women aged 18 and over. [5] Males and females aged 18 and over. [6] Under 21 years. [7] Under 18 years.

Source: Department of Employment

Monthly index of average earnings

Great Britain

TABLE 6.22

January 1970 = 100

	Annual averages	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
	All industries covered												
Before adjustments for seasonal variations													
1968	88.8	85.4	86.5	88.3	87.3	88.4	89.7	89.4	88.5	89.7	90.2	91.5	90.6
1969	95.7	92.2	92.0	94.6	95.0	94.1	97.1	96.5	95.1	96.9	97.9	98.7	98.4
1970	107.2	100.0	101.9	102.9	104.9	105.7	108.7	108.1	108.3	109.7	111.2	112.7	111.9
1971	119.4	114.2	114.9	116.5	117.2	118.5	120.5	120.8	120.1	121.7	122.7	122.9	122.3
1972	[1]	124.3	[1]	129.0	130.6	131.6	134.6	134.4	133.4	138.7	141.4	143.2	141.3
1973	152.6	142.9	144.5	146.7	145.8	150.6	155.2	155.5	153.5	157.0	159.1	160.9	159.7
1974[2] [3]	179.6	153.9	156.9	167.6	166.1	171.0	180.0	183.6	184.9	189.9	193.0	201.7	206.6
1975	227.6	205.7	210.2	214.2	217.1	219.6	226.0	234.3	232.8	239.0	240.9	244.6	246.6
1976	263.3	248.2	250.1	255.7	255.9	262.0	263.9	267.0	266.0	268.3	270.8	276.2	275.5
After adjustments for seasonal variations													
1968	88.2	85.4	86.1	86.3	86.2	87.6	87.5	88.2	89.1	89.6	90.0	91.1	91.9
1969	95.2	92.2	91.7	92.7	94.0	93.4	95.0	95.3	95.7	96.7	97.5	98.2	99.6
1970	106.7	100.0	101.8	103.0	103.8	104.9	106.3	106.9	108.9	109.3	110.6	112.0	113.1
1971	118.7	114.2	114.6	115.8	116.0	117.6	117.8	119.4	120.7	121.1	122.0	122.2	123.3
1972	[1]	124.4	[1]	128.3	129.4	130.5	132.1	132.8	134.1	137.8	140.2	141.7	142.5
1973	152.1	143.1	144.4	145.9	148.3	149.5	152.8	153.4	154.2	155.8	157.8	158.8	160.9
1974[2] [3]	179.1	154.0	156.8	166.6	165.2	174.9	177.5	181.0	185.9	188.5	191.6	199.0	207.9
1975	226.6	205.8	210.1	213.0	216.1	221.0	223.3	230.9	233.9	237.1	239.3	241.1	248.1
1976	261.9	248.3	250.0	254.4	255.0	259.6	261.2	263.1	267.2	266.1	269.0	272.2	277.1
Percentage increase in the seasonally adjusted index compared with corresponding month/year in previous year													
1969	7.8	7.9	6.5	7.5	9.1	6.6	8.5	8.0	7.4	7.9	8.4	7.9	8.4
1970	12.1	8.5	11.0	11.2	10.4	12.4	11.9	12.2	13.8	13.0	13.4	14.0	13.6
1971	11.3	14.2	12.5	12.4	11.8	12.1	10.8	11.7	10.8	10.9	10.3	9.2	8.9
1972	[1]	9.0	[1]	10.8	11.5	11.0	12.2	11.3	11.1	13.8	14.9	15.9	15.6
1973	[1]	15.0	..	13.7	14.6	14.5	15.6	15.5	15.0	13.0	12.5	12.1	12.9
1974[2] [3]	17.8	7.7	8.6	14.2	11.3	17.1	16.2	18.0	20.6	21.0	21.4	25.3	29.2
1975	26.6	33.6	34.0	27.9	30.8	26.3	25.8	27.6	25.8	25.8	24.9	21.2	19.3
1976	15.6	20.6	19.0	19.4	18.0	17.5	17.0	13.9	14.2	12.2	12.4	12.9	11.7
	All manufacturing Industries												
Before adjustments for seasonal variations													
1968	87.9	84.9	85.8	87.6	86.1	87.4	88.9	88.7	87.2	88.2	88.8	90.5	90.3
1969	94.9	91.8	91.7	93.9	93.9	93.3	95.8	95.5	94.2	95.6	96.7	98.2	98.2
1970	106.9	100.0	101.2	102.9	104.0	104.9	108.0	108.3	108.1	108.9	110.7	113.1	112.2
1971	119.0	114.4	115.1	115.9	116.5	118.6	119.8	120.3	119.4	120.6	121.9	122.9	122.3
1972	[1]	125.2	[1]	128.2	130.2	131.8	134.5	134.8	133.6	137.7	139.7	142.1	139.5
1973	151.3	141.9	143.5	145.3	144.0	149.5	153.3	153.6	151.7	154.8	157.4	160.6	159.8
1974[3]	177.1	151.7	154.8	165.0	162.7	168.6	177.9	181.5	182.1	186.9	190.6	200.2	202.4
1975	223.7	203.6	207.3	210.8	212.2	214.9	221.2	229.5	228.5	232.5	236.9	242.2	244.4
1976	260.9	245.9	247.6	252.7	253.3	261.0	262.4	264.5	262.5	264.7	268.3	273.3	274.5
After adjustments for seasonal variations													
1968	87.8	84.8	85.5	85.9	85.6	87.1	87.4	88.0	88.5	89.1	89.3	90.4	91.7
1969	94.9	91.8	91.5	92.5	93.7	93.1	94.4	94.8	95.5	96.5	97.3	98.1	99.6
1970	107.0	100.0	101.3	103.0	103.8	104.7	106.5	107.5	109.5	109.7	111.2	112.7	113.7
1971	118.9	114.4	115.0	115.7	116.2	118.1	118.0	119.3	120.6	121.4	122.2	122.6	123.6
1972	[1]	125.4	[1]	128.2	130.1	131.2	132.9	133.9	135.1	138.2	139.7	140.7	141.0
1973	151.5	142.1	143.7	145.5	147.7	148.9	152.0	152.3	153.3	155.3	157.3	158.6	161.4
1974[3]	177.5	152.0	155.1	165.2	163.1	173.9	176.7	180.1	184.2	187.5	190.6	197.7	204.0
1975	223.9	203.8	207.6	210.9	213.0	217.7	220.1	227.5	231.1	233.2	236.9	238.8	246.1
1976	260.8	246.2	248.1	252.8	254.5	259.7	261.6	262.2	265.5	265.6	268.4	269.4	276.3
Percentage increase in the seasonally adjusted index compared with corresponding month/year in previous year													
1969	8.1	8.2	7.1	7.7	9.4	6.9	8.0	7.8	7.9	8.3	9.0	8.5	8.6
1970	12.7	8.9	10.7	11.4	10.9	12.5	12.8	13.4	14.6	13.6	14.3	14.9	14.1
1971	11.2	14.4	13.5	12.3	11.9	12.8	10.8	10.9	10.2	10.7	9.9	8.7	8.8
1972	[1]	9.6	[1]	10.8	11.9	11.1	12.7	12.2	12.0	13.8	14.3	14.8	14.0
1973	[1]	13.3	..	13.4	13.6	13.5	14.4	13.7	13.5	12.3	12.6	12.7	14.4
1974[3]	17.1	7.0	7.9	13.5	10.4	16.8	16.2	18.2	20.1	20.8	21.1	24.6	26.4
1975	26.2	34.2	33.9	27.7	30.6	25.2	24.6	26.4	25.5	24.3	24.3	20.8	20.7
1976	16.5	20.8	19.5	19.9	19.5	19.3	18.8	15.2	14.9	13.9	13.3	12.8	12.2

[1] As industrial activity was severely disrupted by restricted electricity supplies, the monthly survey was not carried out in February and so figures cannot be calculated for that year. [2] Because of the coal mining dispute during February 1974 a reliable index for mining and quarrying cannot be calculated. The figure for the previous month has been used in the compilation of the index for All industries covered. [3] The figures reflect temporary reductions in earnings during January and February while three-day working and other restrictions were in operation.

Source: Department of Employment

Monthly index of average earnings

Great Britain

Analysis by industry based on Standard Industrial Classification

TABLE **6.23**

January 1970 = 100

	Food, drink and tobacco	Coal and petroleum products [1]	Chemical and allied industries [1]	Metal manufacture	Mechanical engineering [2]	Instrument engineering [2]	Electrical engineering [2]	Shipbuilding and marine engineering	Vehicles	Metal goods not elsewhere specified	Textiles
SIC 1958											
1966	80.4	78.8		77.8	78.3			74.7	76.1	77.3	79.2
1967	84.3	81.8		80.4	80.8			75.6	77.7	80.0	82.3
1968	91.0	88.2		87.0	87.0			82.8	85.8	86.4	90.3
1969	97.9	96.0		94.6	94.4			92.3	93.1	93.9	96.4
SIC 1968 Annual averages											
1970	110.7	104.9	109.5	106.8	106.3	106.6	107.2	102.5	106.5	105.0	106.1
1971	126.5	118.8	123.8	112.6	116.3	117.7	120.5	114.9	118.4	115.3	120.2
1972	141.3	132.5	137.8	130.0	130.7	132.3	136.0	124.9	135.9	129.7	135.2
1973	158.0	145.8	151.9	148.9	148.7	148.3	152.8	143.8	150.0	146.9	152.4
1974	185.2	178.9	181.4	173.6	175.8	175.2	178.1	168.7	172.3	173.1	178.1
1975	235.9	231.0	231.9	224.0	222.7	223.4	229.6	221.7	211.2	220.6	223.5
1976	273.9	265.4	270.7	261.2	257.3	258.4	268.2	254.6	247.2	259.7	265.8
1976 January	257.0	251.1	256.0	241.2	243.6	244.2	251.4	244.8	234.0	243.7	250.6
February	255.6	251.4	256.0	249.1	242.9	245.3	253.0	249.6	237.7	243.8	251.6
March	277.0	260.8	258.8	249.9	247.9	252.9	259.8	251.3	236.7	249.9	256.3
April	265.8	262.3	260.8	257.7	250.0	250.7	262.4	248.3	237.2	251.8	252.6
May	274.6	265.4	266.3	264.1	257.7	254.7	268.9	255.0	249.7	258.5	268.2
June	273.5	265.7	275.6	259.5	258.3	258.0	271.0	255.7	249.9	260.6	268.8
July	275.7	271.4	274.7	271.3	261.5	260.9	271.3	246.8	253.0	263.0	269.5
August	277.6	265.6	273.7	260.7	259.1	260.7	270.5	254.3	248.7	260.5	269.1
September	276.3	267.4	274.8	263.5	260.6	263.8	273.0	258.7	250.3	263.2	269.9
October	276.3	269.9	276.5	271.0	264.8	265.7	274.9	258.1	256.2	269.5	275.0
November	286.0	276.0	288.6	273.5	269.5	272.2	279.8	266.3	256.1	276.2	278.4
December	291.2	278.3	286.0	273.2	271.7	271.8	282.0	265.7	256.8	275.2	279.1

	Leather, leather goods and fur	Clothing and footwear	Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.	Timber, furniture, etc.	Paper, printing and publishing	Other manufacturing industries	Agriculture [3]	Mining and quarrying	Construction	Gas, electricity and water	Transport and communication [4]	Miscellaneous services [5]
SIC 1958												
1966	83.5	82.3	79.3	80.9	78.0	79.7	86.3	80.8	83.8	79.8	77.8	77.9
1967	84.6	84.6	82.3	85.5	80.0	82.4	89.4	84.1	86.8	81.4	80.6	82.0
1968	92.3	91.1	88.9	92.1	87.2	89.3	94.5	87.4	94.5	86.3	87.2	88.6
1969	97.3	95.7	95.1	96.6	94.7	96.0	102.3	92.3	100.3	92.6	95.3	95.6
SIC 1968 Annual averages												
1970	108.5	105.9	107.3	107.1	106.2	106.6	110.6	101.0	109.7	105.2	107.9	107.5
1971	124.1	117.6	120.1	121.3	116.1	119.1	125.4	112.6	120.7	122.0	121.2	119.3
1972	141.4	131.7	134.9	136.0	132.9	133.8	139.1	133.1	134.4	139.9	135.8	138.3
1973	156.2	148.5	153.3	157.7	149.4	152.1	165.3	145.7	160.5	153.9	152.6	153.0
1974	186.1	174.0	178.4	182.2	172.7	179.1	207.2	[6]	185.9	187.5	179.8	181.3
1975	224.1	216.0	222.4	233.2	211.4	223.7	257.7	253.7	232.9	243.8	230.1	231.3
1976	251.9	252.2	260.1	265.5	247.6	266.3	304.9	284.0	262.4	280.1	260.5	273.1
1976 January	248.1	240.2	247.7	254.7	231.3	249.7	273.4	268.1	245.8	261.0	253.3	256.5
February	241.4	238.7	247.1	259.3	232.7	257.5	288.0	268.3	248.3	261.9	250.9	259.3
March	242.2	245.6	250.4	258.3	237.3	259.9	301.9	288.0	254.3	270.2	252.2	271.0
April	240.2	246.1	253.9	256.0	242.4	258.3	307.7	286.1	251.0	274.4	253.5	266.0
May	245.4	252.2	259.5	259.6	249.0	261.6	298.1	281.0	255.5	278.0	258.9	268.2
June	245.9	250.6	264.1	262.8	251.2	267.4	312.1	282.4	261.8	280.9	259.1	267.1
July	257.7	252.6	261.3	269.3	250.2	268.9	325.3	285.0	264.6	299.7	261.2	273.2
August	253.6	249.6	259.8	264.6	250.2	268.0	333.5	282.8	264.7	288.0	260.8	284.5
September	257.6	253.6	264.7	270.1	254.5	270.3	307.4	287.3	271.8	287.2	263.6	281.3
October	258.2	260.5	265.8	272.9	255.4	275.8	300.9	290.1	272.3	287.7	265.3	282.8
November	263.1	266.9	270.7	276.0	259.5	279.2	302.0	292.8	278.1	286.0	281.3	282.5
December	269.0	269.7	275.6	282.4	256.9	278.9	308.8	295.7	280.2	286.5	265.5	284.8

[1] SIC 1958 Order IV Chemicals and allied industries. [2] SIC 1958 Order VI Engineering and electrical goods. [3] England and Wales only.
[4] Excluding sea transport and postal services. [5] Comprising laundries and dry cleaning, motor repairers and garages and repair of boots and shoes.
[6] Because of the coal mining dispute during February 1974 a reliable index for mining and quarrying cannot be calculated.

Source: Department of Employment

Gross weekly and hourly earnings of full-time adults [1]

April in each year

TABLE 6.24

Great Britain

		Gross weekly earnings [2]					Gross hourly earnings [3]				
		Lowest decile	Lower quart-tile	Median	Upper quart-tile	Highest decile	Lowest decile	Lower quart-tile	Median	Upper quart-tile	Highest decile
		£	£	£	£	£	p	p	p	p	p
All men	1970	17.8	21.7	27.2	34.5	43.7	40.9	48.1	59.7	76.9	103.7
	1971	19.7	24.0	29.8	37.8	48.0	45.9	53.9	66.8	86.0	115.8
	1972	21.9	26.6	33.4	42.2	53.7	50.7	60.3	75.1	96.7	129.4
	1972*						51.0	60.6	75.5	97.4	131.9
	1973	25.2	30.7	38.4	48.1	60.9	58.7	69.6	85.7	109.4	145.7
	1974	29.3	35.4	43.8	54.6	68.8	68.3	80.3	98.1	124.3	164.3
	1975	37.5	45.3	55.9	70.1	88.2	89.4	105.2	128.0	161.4	212.5
	1976	44.5	53.5	65.8	82.7	104.9	106.1	124.8	151.6	191.9	258.7
Manual men	1970	17.2	20.8	25.6	31.3	37.7	39.4	45.6	54.6	66.5	79.1
	1971	19.2	23.0	28.1	34.3	41.2	44.4	51.1	61.2	74.5	88.6
	1972	21.2	25.5	31.3	38.3	45.9	49.0	56.9	63.6	83.4	99.1
	1972*						49.1	56.9	68.4	83.0	98.5
	1973	24.6	29.8	36.6	44.5	53.2	56.7	66.1	78.6	94.6	111.5
	1974	28.7	34.4	41.8	50.6	60.3	65.9	76.4	90.1	107.6	126.5
	1975	36.8	44.1	53.2	64.5	76.9	86.4	100.5	118.0	139.7	164.1
	1976	43.6	51.8	62.1	75.1	90.1	102.6	118.4	139.1	164.2	191.9
Non-manual men	1970	19.4	24.2	31.4	41.1	55.0	48.3	60.1	79.4	108.7	150.1
	1971	21.2	26.3	34.4	45.1	60.0	53.2	66.4	87.8	119.9	162.1
	1972	23.7	29.6	38.5	50.5	66.8	60.0	74.9	98.3	134.1	181.2
	1972*						60.2	75.0	98.5	134.3	181.4
	1973	26.4	32.9	42.8	56.0	74.0	66.6	82.9	109.0	146.9	198.1
	1974	30.5	37.6	48.5	63.1	83.1	76.9	95.4	123.6	165.1	221.4
	1975	38.7	47.9	61.8	80.2	103.1	99.1	122.5	158.1	209.6	281.4
	1976	46.2	57.5	73.9	96.4	123.7	118.3	146.9	190.1	256.7	345.6
		Percentage					Percentage				
As percentages of the corresponding median											
All men	1970	*65.4*	*79.7*	*100.0*	*126.7*	*160.6*	*68.6*	*80.5*	*100.0*	*128.9*	*173.8*
	1971	*66.1*	*80.3*	*100.0*	*126.5*	*160.7*	*68.7*	*80.7*	*100.0*	*128.8*	*173.5*
	1972	*65.5*	*79.7*	*100.0*	*126.4*	*160.9*	*67.5*	*80.3*	*100.0*	*128.7*	*172.2*
	1972*						*67.5*	*80.2*	*100.0*	*129.0*	*174.7*
	1973	*65.6*	*79.9*	*100.0*	*125.3*	*158.5*	*68.5*	*81.3*	*100.0*	*127.6*	*170.1*
	1974	*66.8*	*80.7*	*100.0*	*124.6*	*157.0*	*69.6*	*81.8*	*100.0*	*126.6*	*167.4*
	1975	*67.0*	*81.0*	*100.0*	*125.3*	*157.6*	*69.8*	*82.2*	*100.0*	*126.1*	*166.0*
	1976	*67.6*	*81.3*	*100.0*	*125.6*	*159.5*	*69.9*	*82.3*	*100.0*	*126.6*	*170.6*
Manual men	1970	*67.3*	*81.1*	*100.0*	*122.3*	*147.2*	*72.3*	*83.6*	*100.0*	*121.9*	*144.9*
	1971	*68.2*	*81.8*	*100.0*	*122.1*	*146.5*	*72.5*	*83.5*	*100.0*	*121.6*	*144.6*
	1972	*67.6*	*81.3*	*100.0*	*122.3*	*146.6*	*71.4*	*83.0*	*100.0*	*121.6*	*144.4*
	1972*						*71.8*	*83.2*	*100.0*	*121.4*	*144.0*
	1973	*67.3*	*81.4*	*100.0*	*121.6*	*145.3*	*72.2*	*84.1*	*100.0*	*120.4*	*141.9*
	1974	*68.6*	*82.2*	*100.0*	*121.0*	*144.1*	*73.1*	*84.8*	*100.0*	*119.5*	*140.5*
	1975	*69.2*	*82.8*	*100.0*	*121.3*	*144.4*	*73.2*	*85.1*	*100.0*	*118.4*	*139.0*
	1976	*70.2*	*83.4*	*100.0*	*120.8*	*144.9*	*73.8*	*86.1*	*100.0*	*118.1*	*138.0*
Non-manual men	1970	*61.8*	*77.1*	*100.0*	*130.8*	*175.1*	*60.8*	*75.7*	*100.0*	*136.9*	*189.1*
	1971	*61.7*	*76.5*	*100.0*	*131.2*	*174.4*	*60.6*	*75.6*	*100.0*	*136.5*	*184.5*
	1972	*61.7*	*76.8*	*100.0*	*131.3*	*173.7*	*61.0*	*76.1*	*100.0*	*136.4*	*184.3*
	1972*						*61.1*	*76.2*	*100.0*	*136.4*	*184.2*
	1973	*61.6*	*76.7*	*100.0*	*130.9*	*172.7*	*61.1*	*76.0*	*100.0*	*134.8*	*181.8*
	1974	*62.9*	*77.6*	*100.0*	*130.2*	*171.6*	*62.2*	*77.2*	*100.0*	*133.6*	*179.1*
	1975	*62.6*	*77.5*	*100.0*	*129.6*	*166.7*	*62.7*	*77.5*	*100.0*	*132.6*	*178.1*
	1976	*62.5*	*77.8*	*100.0*	*130.5*	*167.5*	*62.2*	*77.2*	*100.0*	*135.0*	*181.8*

Notes

(i) From 1974, age has been measured in completed years at 1 January, not as previously at the time of the survey.

(ii) From 1975 the NES sample excludes employees who are not members of PAYE schemes or who joined such schemes shortly before the survey.

[1] Men are males aged 21 and over; women are females aged 18 and over. [2] Those whose pay for the survey pay period was not affected by absence. Weekly earnings figures refer to April in each year and are gross before deductions excluding, generally, the value of incomes in kind, but including bonus and commission payments for the pay period. [3] Persons for whom normal basic hours were reported and for whom hourly earnings could therefore, be calculated. Figures from 1973 and those marked with an asterisk for 1972, relate to those whose pay for the survey pay period was not affected by absence; whereas the unmarked figures for 1970, 1971 and 1972 include those whose pay was affected by absence.

Source: Department of Employment

Gross weekly and hourly earnings of full-time adults [1]

April in each year

TABLE 6.24 (*continued*)

Great Britain

		Gross weekly earnings [2]					Gross hourly earnings [3]				
		Lowest decile	Lower quart-tile	Median	Upper quart-tile	Highest decile	Lowest decile	Lower quart-tile	Median	Upper quart-tile	Highest decile
		£	£	£	£	£	p	p	p	p	p
All women	1970	9.7	11.6	14.6	18.8	24.8	25.1	29.6	36.9	48.2	66.0
	1971	11.0	13.3	16.6	21.1	27.5	28.7	34.0	42.3	54.9	74.1
	1972	12.2	14.8	18.6	23.9	31.1	31.8	38.1	47.4	62.4	84.6
	1972*						31.9	38.3	47.9	63.3	86.2
	1973	14.1	16.9	20.9	26.7	34.4	36.7	44.0	54.2	69.9	94.6
	1974	16.8	20.0	24.7	31.3	39.4	44.1	52.4	64.2	81.6	106.8
	1975	23.0	27.8	34.1	42.7	56.2	61.1	73.5	89.2	111.9	153.2
	1976	28.0	34.0	42.4	53.3	70.3	74.4	90.2	110.9	139.2	194.5
Manual women	1970	8.8	10.6	12.8	15.4	18.5	23.8	27.4	32.1	38.0	45.2
	1971	10.2	12.2	14.6	17.6	20.9	26.9	31.6	36.8	43.6	51.2
	1972	11.3	13.5	16.4	19.9	23.9	29.9	35.4	41.6	49.3	58.6
	1972*						29.6	35.4	41.4	49.2	58.4
	1973	13.1	15.7	18.9	22.9	27.3	34.6	40.8	48.0	56.6	68.3
	1974	15.7	18.8	22.7	27.2	32.5	41.3	49.2	57.5	67.4	78.6
	1975	21.2	25.8	31.0	37.1	43.8	56.1	67.7	79.6	93.3	108.0
	1976	26.0	31.7	38.4	45.9	53.9	70.1	84.0	98.6	115.3	132.7
Non-manual women	1970	10.2	12.4	15.9	20.6	27.6	26.3	32.7	42.2	55.8	78.3
	1971	11.7	14.2	18.0	23.1	30.6	30.4	37.2	47.6	63.1	86.1
	1972	12.9	15.8	20.1	26.0	34.4	33.6	41.4	53.6	71.4	98.5
	1972*						33.7	41.5	53.7	71.6	98.6
	1973	14.6	17.7	22.3	28.7	37.8	38.2	46.5	59.0	77.6	108.3
	1974	17.4	20.7	26.1	33.4	42.3	45.7	55.0	70.0	89.8	121.7
	1975	23.9	28.8	35.9	45.7	61.6	63.8	77.0	95.2	122.1	173.2
	1976	28.8	35.3	44.2	56.9	76.4	76.4	94.6	118.1	152.2	220.5
		Percentage					Percentage				
As percentages of the corresponding median											
All women	1970	*66.4*	*79.8*	*100.0*	*129.3*	*170.4*	*68.0*	*80.2*	*100.0*	*130.4*	*178.6*
	1971	*66.6*	*80.2*	*100.0*	*127.3*	*165.8*	*67.9*	*80.4*	*100.0*	*129.8*	*175.2*
	1972	*65.6*	*79.6*	*100.0*	*128.6*	*167.1*	*67.1*	*80.3*	*100.0*	*131.6*	*178.4*
	1972*						*66.6*	*79.9*	*100.0*	*132.0*	*179.9*
	1973	*67.4*	*80.7*	*100.0*	*127.6*	*164.7*	*67.7*	*81.1*	*100.0*	*128.9*	*174.5*
	1974	*67.7*	*81.0*	*100.0*	*126.4*	*159.1*	*68.7*	*81.7*	*100.0*	*127.2*	*166.4*
	1975	*67.4*	*81.5*	*100.0*	*125.2*	*164.5*	*68.5*	*82.4*	*100.0*	*125.4*	*171.7*
	1976	*66.1*	*80.2*	*100.0*	*125.9*	*165.9*	*67.1*	*81.4*	*100.0*	*125.6*	*175.5*
Manual women	1970	*69.0*	*83.0*	*100.0*	*120.1*	*144.8*	*74.2*	*85.5*	*100.0*	*118.5*	*140.8*
	1971	*70.2*	*83.6*	*100.0*	*120.4*	*143.0*	*73.3*	*85.9*	*100.0*	*118.6*	*139.2*
	1972	*68.9*	*82.5*	*100.0*	*121.6*	*145.9*	*71.9*	*85.3*	*100.0*	*118.7*	*141.1*
	1972*						*71.6*	*85.5*	*100.0*	*118.9*	*141.2*
	1973	*69.2*	*82.8*	*100.0*	*121.1*	*144.4*	*72.1*	*85.1*	*100.0*	*118.0*	*138.2*
	1974	*69.1*	*83.0*	*100.0*	*119.8*	*143.4*	*71.7*	*85.6*	*100.0*	*117.2*	*136.7*
	1975	*68.4*	*83.3*	*100.0*	*119.6*	*141.4*	*70.5*	*85.1*	*100.0*	*117.3*	*135.8*
	1976	*67.8*	*82.6*	*100.0*	*119.6*	*140.6*	*71.1*	*85.2*	*100.0*	*117.0*	*134.5*
Non-manual women	1970	*64.2*	*78.3*	*100.0*	*129.4*	*173.7*	*62.3*	*77.5*	*100.0*	*132.2*	*185.6*
	1971	*65.0*	*78.8*	*100.0*	*128.2*	*169.9*	*63.9*	*78.1*	*100.0*	*132.6*	*181.0*
	1972	*64.0*	*78.2*	*100.0*	*129.1*	*170.9*	*62.7*	*77.2*	*100.0*	*133.4*	*183.8*
	1972*						*62.7*	*77.3*	*100.0*	*133.3*	*183.6*
	1973	*65.6*	*79.2*	*100.0*	*129.0*	*169.5*	*64.7*	*78.9*	*100.0*	*131.5*	*183.6*
	1974	*66.5*	*79.4*	*100.0*	*127.9*	*162.0*	*65.3*	*78.6*	*100.0*	*128.2*	*173.8*
	1975	*66.5*	*80.3*	*100.0*	*127.2*	*171.5*	*67.1*	*80.9*	*100.0*	*128.2*	*181.9*
	1976	*65.1*	*79.9*	*100.0*	*128.6*	*172.9*	*64.7*	*80.1*	*100.0*	*128.9*	*186.7*

See *Notes* on page 178.

[1] Men are males aged 21 and over; women are females aged 18 and over. [2] and [3] See footnotes on page 178.

Source: Department of Employment

Gross weekly and hourly earnings of full-time adults [1]

April in each year

TABLE 6.25

Northern Ireland

		Gross weekly earnings [2]					Gross hourly earnings [3]				
		Lowest decile	Lower quart-tile	Median	Upper quart-tile	Highest decile	Lowest decile	Lower quart-tile	Median	Upper quart-tile	Highest decile
		£	£	£	£	£	p	p	p	p	p
All men	1971	17.0	20.5	26.1	33.6	42.4	40.5	47.7	58.3	75.8	100.4
	1972	18.8	22.8	29.2	37.6	48.8	45.0	52.9	65.7	84.3	112.4
	1972*						45.4	53.0	66.1	85.7	116.5
	1973	21.7	26.3	33.4	44.1	55.8	52.8	61.1	74.4	96.6	122.9
	1974	25.2	30.3	38.8	50.2	63.2	61.0	71.1	86.4	111.5	147.4
	1975	33.4	39.7	49.9	64.0	80.2	80.9	93.6	113.3	140.1	175.6
	1976	41.1	48.7	61.5	79.2	103.2	99.3	115.7	140.7	172.1	218.7
Manual men	1971	16.6	19.4	24.1	30.5	37.0	39.2	45.4	53.5	64.8	77.2
	1972	18.2	21.4	26.9	33.6	40.9	43.7	50.5	59.3	72.1	84.6
	1972*						43.9	50.5	59.3	71.8	84.4
	1973	21.2	25.2	31.1	39.8	49.2	51.5	58.8	69.1	83.8	101.7
	1974	24.5	29.1	36.2	45.5	55.9	59.1	67.7	79.2	96.0	111.8
	1975	33.1	38.4	46.3	57.7	69.3	79.7	89.4	105.2	125.6	145.5
	1976	40.5	46.6	57.1	72.2	88.7	97.4	109.6	129.8	153.0	175.1
Non-manual men	1971	20.1	25.0	32.0	41.4	54.4	51.4	62.6	81.5	106.9	151.3
	1972	22.6	28.1	36.9	48.2	61.4	56.7	70.8	94.4	122.6	158.3
	1972*						56.8	71.9	95.3	123.9	160.2
	1973	23.8	30.4	40.1	51.7	69.5	60.3	75.0	98.8	125.9	158.8
	1974	27.9	33.9	46.0	59.3	78.0	71.1	88.6	118.9	154.5	207.0
	1975	34.1	43.9	59.6	75.4	94.8	87.9	110.8	140.3	178.8	231.4
	1976	43.8	54.3	71.7	97.0	128.1	112.5	138.8	174.0	225.3	317.0
		Percentage					Percentage				
As percentages of the corresponding median											
All men	1971	65.2	78.8	100.0	128.9	162.8	69.5	81.8	100.0	130.0	172.2
	1972	64.5	78.1	100.0	128.9	167.3	68.5	80.5	100.0	128.4	171.1
	1972*						68.7	80.3	100.0	129.7	176.4
	1973	65.1	78.6	100.0	131.9	167.0	71.0	82.1	100.0	129.8	165.2
	1974	65.0	78.1	100.0	129.4	163.1	70.7	82.3	100.0	129.1	170.7
	1975	66.9	79.5	100.0	128.4	160.9	71.4	82.6	100.0	123.7	155.0
	1976	66.9	79.2	100.0	128.7	167.7	70.5	82.2	100.0	122.3	155.4
Manual men	1971	68.7	80.6	100.0	126.4	153.4	73.3	84.7	100.0	121.1	144.3
	1972	67.9	79.6	100.0	124.9	152.0	73.7	85.1	100.0	121.5	142.7
	1972*						74.2	85.2	100.0	121.1	142.5
	1973	68.2	81.1	100.0	128.1	158.4	74.5	85.1	100.0	121.2	147.1
	1974	67.7	80.5	100.0	125.7	154.5	74.6	85.4	100.0	121.2	141.1
	1975	71.5	83.0	100.0	124.7	149.7	75.8	85.0	100.0	119.4	138.3
	1976	70.9	81.5	100.0	126.4	155.4	75.0	84.4	100.0	117.8	134.9
Non-manual men	1971	62.9	78.1	100.0	129.1	169.7	63.1	76.8	100.0	131.2	185.6
	1972	61.0	76.0	100.0	130.4	166.2	60.1	75.0	100.0	129.9	167.8
	1972*						59.6	75.5	100.0	130.2	168.1
	1973	59.7	75.8	100.0	128.9	173.3	61.0	75.9	100.0	127.4	160.1
	1974	60.5	73.6	100.0	128.7	169.3	59.8	74.5	100.0	130.0	174.2
	1975	57.2	73.6	100.0	126.5	159.1	62.6	79.0	100.0	127.4	165.0
	1976	61.0	75.8	100.0	135.3	178.7	64.6	79.8	100.0	129.5	182.2

[1] Men are males aged 21 and over; women are females aged 18 and over. [2] Those whose pay in the survey period was not affected by absence. Weekly earnings figures refer to April in each year and are gross before deductions excluding, generally, the value of incomes in kind, but including bonus and commission payments for the pay period. [3] Those who received some pay, including those whose pay was affected by absence for the years 1971 and 1972. Figures from 1973 and those marked with an asterisk for 1972, relate to those whose pay for the survey pay period was not affected by absence; whereas the unmarked figures for 1971 and 1972 include those whose pay was affected by absence.

Source: Department of Manpower Services (Northern Ireland)

Gross weekly and hourly earnings of full-time adults [1]

TABLE 6.25 (*continued*)

Northern Ireland

		Gross weekly earnings[2]					Gross hourly earnings[3]				
		Lowest decile	Lower quart-tile	Median	Upper quart-tile	Highest decile	Lowest decile	Lower quart-tile	Median	Upper quart-tile	Highest decile
		£	£	£	£	£	p	p	p	p	p
All women	1971	9.2	11.6	15.0	19.3	26.1	23.4	28.9	37.2	47.2	71.3
	1972	10.5	12.9	17.0	21.9	29.9	27.1	32.3	42.0	54.7	81.3
	1972*						27.5	32.6	42.9	56.5	85.6
	1973	12.3	14.8	18.9	24.7	34.8	31.1	37.3	47.4	59.9	75.0
	1974	14.7	18.4	23.4	29.6	39.0	38.3	47.0	58.8	76.1	106.8
	1975	20.9	26.2	31.9	40.5	54.3	55.0	67.4	81.5	101.0	122.4
	1976	26.9	33.6	42.1	52.9	73.7	70.0	87.0	105.1	129.6	162.9
Manual women	1971	8.5	10.8	13.6	16.8	20.3	22.2	26.6	33.4	41.0	47.0
	1972	9.9	12.4	15.4	19.1	23.1	26.2	30.8	38.2	46.1	53.5
	1972*						26.4	31.0	38.4	46.3	53.8
	1973	11.2	14.3	17.7	21.6	26.3	30.5	36.1	44.3	52.6	64.3
	1974	13.6	17.2	20.7	25.0	29.5	36.0	43.3	51.9	61.6	70.9
	1975	19.5	24.1	29.9	35.3	41.5	52.7	61.9	75.8	87.8	104.6
	1976	26.1	31.0	38.4	46.3	54.5	69.3	82.7	97.2	111.4	131.3
Non-manual women	1971	9.8	12.4	16.5	21.8	31.2	25.6	31.6	43.1	60.0	96.0
	1972	11.0	13.1	18.3	25.2	34.9	28.2	34.4	48.4	71.2	105.6
	1972*						28.3	34.6	49.0	71.4	106.8
	1973	12.7	15.2	20.0	27.5	39.6	31.9	38.2	50.9	64.6	88.3
	1974	15.7	19.5	25.4	32.9	44.5	41.8	50.6	66.9	87.5	133.9
	1975	22.3	28.1	34.9	43.9	63.0	58.9	72.3	88.6	107.8	151.4
	1976	27.4	35.8	44.9	58.3	80.8	70.3	91.0	115.5	141.7	187.9
		Percentage					Percentage				
As percentages of the corresponding median											
All women	1971	*61.1*	*77.1*	*100.0*	*128.9*	*173.7*	*62.8*	*77.7*	*100.0*	*126.7*	*191.5*
	1972	*61.6*	*75.7*	*100.0*	*129.2*	*176.1*	*64.5*	*76.8*	*100.0*	*130.2*	*193.7*
	1972*						*63.8*	*76.0*	*100.0*	*131.6*	*199.3*
	1973	*64.7*	*77.7*	*100.0*	*130.2*	*183.6*	*65.7*	*78.7*	*100.0*	*126.5*	*158.4*
	1974	*63.0*	*78.6*	*100.0*	*126.3*	*166.8*	*65.2*	*79.9*	*100.0*	*129.4*	*181.5*
	1975	*65.6*	*82.0*	*100.0*	*127.0*	*170.2*	*67.4*	*82.6*	*100.0*	*123.8*	*150.1*
	1976	*63.9*	*79.8*	*100.0*	*125.6*	*175.0*	*66.6*	*82.7*	*100.0*	*123.3*	*154.9*
Manual women	1971	*62.5*	*79.5*	*100.0*	*124.0*	*149.4*	*66.5*	*79.5*	*100.0*	*122.6*	*140.5*
	1972	*64.6*	*80.5*	*100.0*	*123.5*	*149.4*	*68.5*	*80.6*	*100.0*	*120.7*	*140.0*
	1972*						*68.7*	*80.7*	*100.0*	*120.5*	*140.0*
	1973	*63.5*	*80.7*	*100.0*	*122.2*	*148.5*	*69.0*	*81.6*	*100.0*	*118.9*	*145.2*
	1974	*65.4*	*82.8*	*100.0*	*120.5*	*142.1*	*69.3*	*83.4*	*100.0*	*118.7*	*136.6*
	1975	*65.2*	*80.7*	*100.0*	*118.3*	*139.1*	*69.6*	*81.7*	*100.0*	*115.8*	*138.0*
	1976	*68.0*	*80.9*	*100.0*	*120.8*	*142.2*	*71.2*	*85.1*	*100.0*	*114.6*	*135.1*
Non-manual women	1971	*59.5*	*75.5*	*100.0*	*131.9*	*189.4*	*59.5*	*73.4*	*100.0*	*139.3*	*222.9*
	1972	*59.9*	*71.3*	*100.0*	*137.6*	*190.9*	*58.1*	*71.1*	*100.0*	*147.0*	*217.9*
	1972*						*57.7*	*70.5*	*100.0*	*145.8*	*217.9*
	1973	*63.4*	*75.9*	*100.0*	*137.9*	*198.3*	*62.7*	*75.1*	*100.0*	*127.0*	*173.5*
	1974	*61.7*	*76.6*	*100.0*	*129.4*	*175.2*	*62.5*	*75.6*	*100.0*	*130.8*	*200.1*
	1975	*63.9*	*80.5*	*100.0*	*125.7*	*180.4*	*66.5*	*81.6*	*100.0*	*121.6*	*170.8*
	1976	*61.0*	*79.8*	*100.0*	*129.9*	*180.2*	*60.9*	*78.8*	*100.0*	*122.7*	*162.7*

[1] Men are males aged 21 and over; women are females aged 18 and over. [2] and [3] See footnotes on page 180.

Source: Department of Manpower Services (Northern Ireland)

Gross weekly earnings and distribution of earnings of full-time adults

New Earnings Survey, April 1976

United Kingdom

TABLE 6.26 **Averages and quantiles of those whose pay was not affected by absence**

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	Men aged 21 and over			Women aged 18 and over		
	Total	Manual	Non-manual	Total	Manual	Non-manual
Gross weekly earnings						
Mean	71.7	65.0	81.5	46.2	39.4	48.9
Highest decile	104.9	90.0	124.2	70.5	54.1	76.8
Upper quartile	82.7	75.0	96.9	53.3	46.1	57.2
Median	65.7	62.1	73.9	42.4	38.4	44.3
Lower quartile	53.3	51.6	57.3	34.0	31.7	35.3
Lowest decile	44.3	43.4	46.0	27.8	26.1	28.7

Estimates of total number in employment in April 1976 with gross weekly earnings below specified amounts[1]

Millions

	Men aged 21 and over			Women aged 18 and over		
	Total	Manual	Non-manual	Total	Manual	Non-manual
Gross weekly earnings						
Under £20	–	–	–	0.1	–	–
£22	–	–	–	0.1	0.1	0.1
£25	–	–	–	0.3	0.1	0.1
£27	0.1	–	–	0.4	0.2	0.2
£30	0.1	–	–	0.7	0.3	0.4
£32	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.9	0.4	0.6
£35	0.2	0.1	0.1	1.3	0.5	0.8
£37	0.3	0.2	0.1	1.6	0.6	1.0
£40	0.6	0.4	0.2	2.1	0.8	1.3
£45	1.1	0.7	0.4	2.8	1.0	1.8
£50	1.9	1.3	0.6	3.3	1.1	2.2
£55	2.9	2.0	0.9	3.7	1.2	2.5
£60	4.0	2.8	1.2	4.0	1.3	2.7
£65	5.1	3.5	1.6	4.2	1.3	2.9
£70	6.0	4.1	1.9	4.3	1.3	3.0
£75	6.8	4.7	2.2	4.4	1.3	3.1
£80	7.5	5.1	2.5	4.5	1.4	3.2
£85	8.1	5.4	2.7	4.6	1.4	3.2
£90	8.5	5.6	2.9	4.6	1.4	3.3
£95	8.9	5.7	3.1	4.6	1.4	3.3
£100	9.1	5.9	3.3	4.7	1.4	3.4
£150	10.2	6.2	4.0	4.8	1.4	3.4
£200	10.4	6.2	4.2	4.8	1.4	3.4
Number of full-time adults whose pay for the survey pay period was not affected by absence	10.4	6.2	4.2	4.8	1.4	3.4
Number of full-time adults in employment	11.5	7.2	4.4	5.3	1.7	3.6

Note:— Means less than 50,000.

[1] Excluding those whose pay for the survey-pay period was affected by absence, and those who are not covered by PAYE schemes.

Source: Department of Employment; Department of Manpower Services (Northern Ireland)

Average earnings by age group of full-time employees whose pay for the survey pay-period was not affected by absence

New Earnings Survey April 1976

TABLE 6.27

Great Britain

	Gross weekly earnings								Average hourly earnings excluding overtime [1]	Average weekly hours [1]	
	Average		Lowest decile	Lower quartile	Median	Upper quartile	Highest decile	Percentage earning under £40			
	Total	Overtime pay	As percentage of the median			As percentage of the median				Total	Normal basic
	£	£			£				p		
All full-time males											
Under 18	28.1	1.4	*70.9*	*82.8*	26.5	*121.9*	*145.9*	*91.5*	67.5	41.2	39.6
18 to 20	43.5	3.1	*66.6*	*81.7*	41.4	*122.9*	*149.9*	*45.3*	103.0	41.8	39.3
21 to 24	57.8	4.7	*71.1*	*83.8*	55.2	*119.4*	*142.4*	*11.1*	136.2	41.9	38.8
25 to 29	68.2	6.0	*70.0*	*83.1*	65.2	*120.2*	*144.5*	*4.6*	159.7	42.4	38.7
30 to 39	76.4	6.9	*67.8*	*81.4*	71.0	*125.1*	*155.5*	*3.3*	177.0	43.0	38.8
40 to 49	77.5	6.7	*67.3*	*80.8*	70.3	*127.6*	*162.9*	*3.5*	178.8	43.0	38.9
50 to 59	72.5	5.8	*68.3*	*81.6*	65.3	*126.2*	*164.2*	*4.8*	168.5	42.6	39.0
60 to 64	64.5	5.1	*69.2*	*82.3*	58.5	*125.7*	*159.0*	*9.1*	149.3	42.4	39.1
65 and over	57.4	3.9	*59.1*	*79.3*	51.5	*129.8*	*168.7*	*22.5*	132.8	41.9	39.0
18 and over	70.2	6.0	*65.5*	*80.5*	64.5	*126.2*	*160.8*	*7.5*	162.9	42.6	38.9
21 and over	71.8	6.1	*67.6*	*81.3*	65.8	*125.6*	*159.5*	*5.2*	166.6	42.7	38.9
All ages	69.2	5.8	*63.2*	*79.8*	63.8	*126.7*	*161.6*	*9.6*	160.3	42.6	38.9
Full-time manual males											
Under 18	28.8	1.7	*69.9*	*82.7*	27.2	*122.0*	*146.8*	*90.0*	67.9	41.9	40.0
18 to 20	45.5	4.1	*65.8*	*81.4*	43.4	*123.0*	*149.3*	*38.8*	103.8	43.2	40.0
21 to 24	59.4	6.7	*71.0*	*84.0*	56.7	*120.3*	*142.6*	*9.5*	131.7	44.4	40.0
25 to 29	65.6	9.1	*71.1*	*83.8*	62.9	*119.9*	*143.0*	*5.1*	141.3	45.7	40.1
30 to 39	68.9	10.1	*70.3*	*83.4*	65.8	*120.4*	*145.1*	*4.0*	146.4	46.2	40.0
40 to 49	67.8	9.7	*71.0*	*83.6*	64.5	*120.8*	*145.6*	*4.0*	144.9	45.8	39.9
50 to 59	64.0	8.0	*71.1*	*83.6*	61.3	*119.9*	*142.7*	*5.3*	140.4	44.7	39.8
60 to 64	59.0	6.6	*71.3*	*83.6*	56.5	*120.2*	*144.1*	*9.5*	131.7	44.1	39.8
65 and over	52.7	5.9	*59.1*	*81.5*	50.6	*121.9*	*154.7*	*22.2*	117.8	43.7	39.7
18 and over	63.9	8.4	*68.3*	*82.6*	61.1	*121.4*	*145.9*	*7.7*	138.6	45.2	39.9
21 and over	65.1	8.7	*70.2*	*83.4*	62.1	*120.8*	*144.9*	*5.6*	141.0	45.3	39.9
All ages	62.8	8.2	*65.7*	*81.6*	60.4	*121.9*	*146.7*	*10.4*	136.4	45.1	39.9
Full-time non-manual males											
Under 18	25.6	0.4	*74.0*	*85.3*	24.6	*118.8*	*140.4*	*96.5*	66.1	38.7	38.3
18 to 20	39.2	1.1	*69.2*	*83.4*	37.5	*120.4*	*143.0*	*59.3*	101.1	38.6	37.7
21 to 24	55.5	2.1	*71.9*	*84.5*	53.1	*118.9*	*140.5*	*13.3*	143.0	38.4	37.2
25 to 29	71.1	2.6	*69.5*	*83.2*	68.0	*120.2*	*144.6*	*4.0*	184.1	38.5	37.0
30 to 39	86.3	2.6	*64.2*	*79.6*	80.9	*125.6*	*153.5*	*2.4*	224.3	38.5	37.1
40 to 49	91.6	2.3	*60.8*	*76.9*	83.6	*129.9*	*166.4*	*2.8*	237.9	38.4	37.2
50 to 59	87.4	2.1	*60.9*	*76.9*	77.3	*134.6*	*179.4*	*3.9*	225.7	38.5	37.3
60 to 64	76.6	2.0	*61.7*	*76.6*	66.9	*134.4*	*179.2*	*8.2*	195.2	38.4	37.3
18 and over	79.7	2.3	*60.0*	*76.7*	72.1	*132.2*	*169.7*	*7.1*	205.4	38.5	37.2
21 and over	81.6	2.3	*62.5*	*77.8*	73.9	*130.5*	*167.5*	*4.6*	210.6	38.5	37.2
All ages	78.9	2.3	*58.3*	*76.2*	71.6	*132.6*	*170.3*	*8.4*	203.1	38.5	37.2

[1] The estimates given relate to employees for whom normal basic hours were reported and for whom total hours and hourly earnings could, therefore, be calculated.

Source: Department of Employment

Average earnings by age group of full-time employees whose pay for the survey pay-period was not affected by absence

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TABLE 6.27 *(continued)*

Great Britain

	Gross weekly earnings								Average hourly earnings excluding overtime [1]	Average weekly hours [1]	
	Average		Lowest decile	Lower quartile	Median	Upper quartile	Higher decile	Percentage earning under £40		Total	Normal basic
	Total	Overtime pay	As percentage of the median			As percentage of the median					
	£	£			£				p		
All full-time females											
Under 18	26.0	0.3	*72.0*	*83.3*	25.1	*120.8*	*143.8*	*95.5*	68.1	38.2	37.9
18 to 20	34.8	0.4	*70.4*	*83.0*	34.3	*116.6*	*133.8*	*74.9*	91.4	38.0	37.6
21 to 24	43.7	0.5	*69.5*	*83.4*	42.6	*119.3*	*137.3*	*40.9*	117.6	36.9	36.6
25 to 29	50.1	0.6	*64.5*	*79.9*	47.8	*125.9*	*150.4*	*29.6*	135.8	36.5	36.1
30 to 39	49.5	0.7	*64.9*	*79.6*	44.9	*131.7*	*173.5*	*37.1*	132.0	37.1	36.6
40 to 49	48.9	0.6	*66.3*	*80.0*	43.7	*128.1*	*181.1*	*39.0*	128.8	37.2	36.8
50 to 59	47.9	0.7	*66.6*	*80.3*	43.2	*125.5*	*177.0*	*40.7*	125.7	37.7	37.2
60 to 64	46.0	0.9	*64.5*	*79.4*	40.5	*131.2*	*184.9*	*49.0*	119.6	37.8	37.0
18 and over	46.2	0.6	*66.1*	*80.2*	42.4	*125.9*	*165.9*	*43.2*	122.4	37.3	36.8
21 and over	47.9	0.6	*66.3*	*80.6*	43.8	*126.1*	*166.8*	*38.5*	127.2	37.2	36.7
All ages	45.2	0.6	*63.7*	*79.2*	41.4	*126.6*	*166.9*	*45.9*	119.4	37.3	36.9
Full-time manual females											
Under 18	27.0	0.5	*65.1*	*83.0*	25.9	*125.4*	*148.6*	*93.4*	68.0	39.8	39.3
18 to 20	35.6	0.7	*63.4*	*79.1*	35.9	*117.6*	*135.7*	*67.8*	89.8	39.7	39.1
21 to 24	38.9	0.8	*66.6*	*80.6*	38.1	*119.1*	*142.0*	*56.3*	97.6	39.7	39.0
25 to 29	40.5	1.2	*65.9*	*81.7*	39.6	*119.9*	*142.0*	*51.6*	101.2	39.8	38.7
30 to 39	40.4	1.2	*67.7*	*82.1*	39.1	*121.3*	*143.2*	*53.1*	102.7	39.2	38.3
40 to 49	40.1	1.0	*69.7*	*83.6*	39.0	*119.0*	*139.5*	*54.0*	102.2	39.2	38.3
50 to 59	40.0	0.9	*71.5*	*84.0*	38.8	*119.0*	*138.7*	*54.5*	102.2	39.1	38.4
60 to 64	37.6	1.3	*67.2*	*84.1*	36.5	*120.0*	*143.7*	*63.3*	96.8	39.1	38.0
18 and over	39.4	1.0	*67.8*	*82.6*	38.4	*119.6*	*140.6*	*56.0*	100.2	39.3	38.5
21 and over	39.8	1.0	*68.6*	*82.9*	38.7	*119.6*	*140.5*	*54.7*	101.3	39.2	38.4
All ages	38.8	1.0	*66.4*	*82.0*	37.8	*120.3*	*141.7*	*57.8*	98.6	39.3	38.5
Full-time non-manual females											
Under 18	25.7	0.2	*73.3*	*83.7*	24.8	*118.5*	*142.4*	*96.2*	68.1	37.7	37.4
18 to 20	34.5	0.4	*72.2*	*83.9*	34.0	*116.7*	*133.2*	*76.8*	91.8	37.6	37.3
21 to 24	44.6	0.4	*70.5*	*84.2*	43.5	*118.3*	*136.0*	*38.1*	121.5	36.4	36.1
25 to 29	51.8	0.5	*64.6*	*80.1*	49.6	*125.1*	*148.5*	*25.5*	142.9	35.9	35.6
30 to 39	53.2	0.5	*62.6*	*77.7*	48.7	*135.2*	*168.8*	*30.7*	144.9	36.2	35.9
40 to 49	53.4	0.4	*63.3*	*79.1*	47.2	*135.7*	*182.6*	*31.3*	144.0	36.2	35.9
50 to 59	53.4	0.5	*62.8*	*79.2*	47.3	*131.7*	*182.7*	*31.2*	143.4	36.7	36.4
18 and over	48.8	0.4	*65.1*	*79.9*	44.2	*128.6*	*172.9*	*38.2*	131.8	36.5	36.2
21 and over	51.2	0.5	*64.7*	*80.1*	46.8	*127.6*	*169.0*	*31.8*	138.9	36.3	36.0
All ages	47.6	0.4	*62.5*	*78.0*	43.3	*129.1*	*174.4*	*41.3*	128.1	36.5	36.3

[1] The estimates given relate to employees for whom normal basic hours were reported and for whom total hours and hourly earnings would, therefore, be calculated.

Source: Department of Employment

Distribution of annual holiday entitlements [1], of full-time adults by main occupational group

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TABLE 6.28

Great Britain

	Occupational Group	Nil	Under 2 weeks	2 weeks	Over 2, under 3 weeks	3 weeks	Over 3, under 4 weeks	4 weeks	Over 4, under 5 weeks	5 or over, under 6 weeks	6 or over, under 8 weeks	8 weeks or over
		Percentage of employees with annual holiday entitlements of										
Full-time men [2]												
	Non-manual (except for parts of groups VII to IX)											
I	Managerial (general management)	2.4	0.2	2.3	0.4	26.9	4.3	45.0	6.4	8.3	2.8	0.9
II	Professional and related supporting management and administration	0.6	—	0.8	0.3	20.2	11.0	32.2	16.6	10.7	7.6	—
III	Professional and related in education, welfare and health	2.1	0.1	0.3	0.1	4.5	4.2	10.9	4.6	7.7	10.8	54.8
IV	Literary, artistic and sports	1.4	0.2	1.0	0.4	22.3	7.6	28.4	13.9	21.5	1.4	2.0
V	Professional and related in science, engineering, technology, etc.	0.8	—	0.3	0.4	13.5	13.0	31.4	22.4	8.1	6.8	3.3
VI	Managerial (excluding general management)	1.0	0.2	2.6	0.8	33.6	10.9	29.2	12.4	6.8	2.3	0.3
VII	Clerical and related	0.4	0.1	1.2	0.5	21.3	23.0	29.3	18.6	3.4	1.9	0.1
VIII	Selling	0.9	0.8	5.6	0.8	49.8	16.1	19.9	4.4	1.0	0.3	0.4
IX	Security and protective service	0.1	0.2	2.1	0.3	15.1	34.1	13.7	29.7	3.9	0.6	0.3
	Manual											
X	Catering, cleaning, hairdressing and other personal services	1.7	1.4	5.6	2.0	42.6	34.0	7.5	3.4	0.6	0.3	1.1
XI	Farming, fishing and related	2.7	0.7	5.9	2.3	56.1	25.6	3.2	1.8	0.5	1.0	0.3
XII	Materials processing (excluding metals)	0.6	1.2	3.0	2.3	39.6	26.3	22.4	3.9	0.6	—	0.1
XIII	Making and repairing (excluding metal and electrical)	0.9	0.5	2.6	1.7	43.1	21.6	24.0	3.2	2.2	0.1	0.1
XIV	Processing, making and repairing and related (metal and electrical)	0.6	0.4	1.6	1.4	31.3	41.5	13.0	8.2	1.5	0.4	0.2
XV	Painting, repetitive assembling, product inspecting, packaging and related	0.6	0.4	1.8	1.7	33.8	40.7	14.6	5.6	0.6	0.2	0.1
XVI	Construction, mining and related not identified elsewhere	1.3	0.3	2.8	1.8	51.2	14.8	2.6	25.0	0.2	—	0.1
XVII	Transport operating, materials moving and storing and related	0.9	0.8	4.2	1.1	48.5	24.4	12.4	6.4	0.5	0.3	0.6
XVIII	Miscellaneous	1.3	0.7	3.2	1.5	38.1	33.2	9.9	11.1	1.0	0.1	—
	All occupations	0.9	0.5	2.4	1.1	33.6	25.3	18.2	10.9	3.0	1.8	2.4
	All non-manual occupations	0.9	0.1	1.5	0.5	22.4	14.2	27.5	15.4	6.7	4.5	6.3
	All manual occupations	0.9	0.6	2.9	1.5	39.7	31.3	13.2	8.5	1.0	0.3	0.3
Full-time women [2]												
	Non-manual (except for parts of groups VII to IX)											
II	Professional and related supporting management and administration	0.5	—	0.7	0.5	29.7	17.3	26.3	10.4	9.4	4.6	0.5
III	Professional and related in education, welfare and health	1.5	0.1	0.5	0.4	7.8	4.9	11.6	9.8	14.0	7.9	41.5
IV	Literary artistic and sports	1.2	—	2.5	3.1	38.3	11.1	26.5	3.7	12.3	0.6	0.6
V	Professional and related in science, engineering, technology, etc.	1.8	0.5	0.8	0.8	32.2	20.0	30.4	8.6	1.5	3.0	0.5
VI	Managerial (excluding general management)	1.4	0.7	6.1	1.1	51.6	11.7	15.4	5.2	4.0	2.4	0.4
VII	Clerical and related	1.5	0.6	2.9	1.0	39.1	22.7	22.3	8.2	1.1	0.5	0.2
VIII	Selling	1.2	2.7	9.3	2.1	64.7	9.3	9.3	1.2	0.1	—	0.2
IX	Security and protective service	—	—	3.9	1.0	38.2	40.2	4.9	10.8	—	—	1.0
	Manual											
X	Catering, cleaning, hairdressing and other personal services	1.3	1.2	6.0	1.7	41.8	36.5	6.8	1.7	0.7	0.4	1.9
XI	Farming, fishing and related	3.9	—	10.8	4.9	64.7	11.8	3.9	—	—	—	—
XII	Material processing (excluding metals)	1.1	1.8	4.3	2.2	53.7	26.0	7.5	3.0	0.3	—	0.1
XIII	Making and repairing (excluding metal and electrical)	1.3	1.7	2.9	2.6	33.3	42.9	12.5	2.0	0.2	—	0.6
XIV	Processing, making and repairing and related (metal and electrical)	0.6	0.6	3.5	2.6	30.8	52.4	5.8	3.1	0.1	—	0.5
XV	Painting, repetitive assembling, product inspecting, packaging and related	1.1	1.6	4.1	1.9	37.6	41.7	10.0	1.6	0.2	—	0.3
XVII	Transport operating, materials moving and storing and related	1.1	1.8	2.7	1.8	53.0	24.6	12.1	2.2	0.2	—	0.5
XVIII	Miscellaneous	0.7	1.5	2.9	1.5	54.4	28.7	8.8	1.5	—	—	—
	All occupations	1.3	0.9	3.5	1.4	36.7	24.9	15.3	5.8	2.7	1.5	6.1
	All non-manual occupations	1.4	0.7	3.0	1.0	34.8	17.1	18.9	7.9	4.1	2.2	9.0
	All manual occupations	1.2	1.4	4.5	2.1	39.9	38.8	8.9	2.0	0.3	0.1	0.9

[1] Excluding 7 public holidays. [2] Men aged 21 and over, and women aged 18 and over.

Source: Department of Employment

Trade unions [1]

TABLE **6.29**

At end of year

	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
Number of trade unions	630	622	603	584	563	540	523	503	513	498	488
Analysis by number of members:											
Under 100 members	128	127	126	114	111	108	100	83	84	78	73
100 and under 500	149	147	135	138	134	133	128	133	132	133	133
500 and under 1,000	63	66	68	62	66	57	60	44	51	50	52
1,000 and under 2,500	95	89	85	87	73	65	65	68	76	71	68
2,500 and under 5,000	66	66	64	60	58	55	53	56	50	51	44
5,000 and under 10,000	32	30	31	32	32	33	33	32	35	30	30
10,000 and under 15,000	21	22	21	18	12	14	11	13	11	11	11
15,000 and under 25,000	18	18	18	19	24	22	19	18	18	18	17
25,000 and under 50,000	20	19	18	15	14	13	16	18	18	17	20
50,000 and under 100,000	20	20	18	20	17	17	15	13	14	14	15
100,000 and under 250,000	8	9	10	10	13	14	12	14	13	14	14
250,000 and over	10	9	9	9	9	9	11	11	11	11	11
Membership (Thousands)											
Total	10,325	10,261	10,190	10,193	10,472	11,179	11,128	11,353	11,449	11,756	11,950
Males [2]	8,084	8,006	7,905	7,831	7,968	8,440	8,378	8,449	8,446	8,582	8,508
Females [2]	2,241	2,256	2,285	2,361	2,504	2,740	2,750	2,904	3,003	3,174	3,442
Analysis by size of unions:											
Under 100 members	6	6	6	5	5	4	4	4	4	4	4
100 and under 500	37	37	34	34	32	33	31	35	34	34	33
500 and under 1,000	44	47	47	43	46	41	41	30	37	35	37
1,000 and under 2,500	150	146	141	141	120	110	108	102	117	110	108
2,500 and under 5,000	227	230	221	205	203	189	176	181	168	170	144
5,000 and under 10,000	225	206	214	216	218	221	227	216	232	196	200
10,000 and under 15,000	261	274	265	226	145	166	130	150	129	135	129
15,000 and under 25,000	337	332	333	343	447	419	342	333	335	343	327
25,000 and under 50,000	708	666	647	512	492	452	540	609	624	609	664
50,000 and under 100,000	1,394	1,379	1,274	1,434	1,205	1,202	1,101	912	997	948	1,045
100,000 and under 250,000	1,189	1,477	1,539	1,539	1,875	2,188	1,718	1,879	1,810	1,958	1,995
250,000 and over	5,746	5,461	5,469	5,495	5,684	6,155	6,709	6,901	6,963	7,213	7,264

[1] The statistics relate to all organisations of employees with head offices in the United Kingdom—including those of salaried and professional workers, as well as those of manual wage-earners—which are known to include among their functions that of negotiating with employers with the object of regulating the conditions of employment of their members. The figures of membership include the membership of branches in the Irish Republic and overseas (numbering about 90,000 in 1975) but wholly exclude the membership of unions whose headquarters are situated outside the United Kingdom. A small number of people who are members of more than one union are included more than once in the figures, but the effect on the aggregates is relatively insignificant. [2] The subdivision of the total membership into males and females is partly estimated, as some trade unions are unable to state precisely the numbers of males and females in their total membership.

Source: Department of Employment

VII. Defence

This section includes figures on Defence expenditure, on the size and role of the Armed Forces and on related support activities.

Finance (Tables 7.1 – 7.3). Table 7.1 brings together information given in the public sector tables in National Income and Expenditure Blue Book. Tables 7.2 and 7.3 are derived from the forward projections of Defence spending as contained in the annual Supply Estimates, and are largely based on prices ruling at the mid-point of the previous financial year. Expenditure covered by the Royal Ordnance Factories Trading Fund is excluded from the Estimates from 1975/76.

Formation of the Armed Forces (Table 7.4). This table shows the number of units which comprise the 'teeth' elements of the Armed Forces and excludes supporting units. The number of personnel and the amount of equipment in each vessel, regiment, battalion and squadron varies according to the role currently assigned. Greater detail for the current year is given in the Statement on the Defence Estimates 1977 (Cmnd 6735).

Personnel (Tables 7.5 – 7.7). The Regular Forces consist entirely of volunteer male and female members on a whole time basis. The figures for females include personnel of the Women's and the Nursing Services. Female medical and dental officers are commissioned in the appropriate medical and dental branch or corps and therefore do not appear in the 'female' figures. There were 32 such officers on 1 April 1977.

Locally Entered Personnel are recruited outside the United Kingdom for whole-time service in special formations with special conditions of service and normally restricted locations. The Brigade of Gurkhas is an example.

The Regular Forces are supported by Reserves and Auxiliary Forces. There are both regular and volunteer Reserves. Regular Reserves consist of former Service personnel with a Reserve liability. The Army General Reserve which consisted mainly of former National Servicemen, ceased to exist on 30 June 1974 when the relevant legislation expired. Volunteer Reserves are open to both former Service personnel and civilians. The call out liabilities of the various reserve forces differ in accordance with their roles. The Ulster Defence Regiment was instituted on 1 January 1970. All three Services run cadet forces for young people and the Combined Cadet Force, which is found in certain schools where education is continued to the age of 17 or above, may operate sections for any or all of the Services.

The responsibilities of the Ministry of Defence have not remained constant over the period of the tables and consequently there have been a number of transfers of staff between the Ministry of Defence and other bodies and Departments. One notable transfer of staff into the Ministry of Defence was from the Ministry of Aviation Supply in 1971. Table 7.5 shows only the staff within the Ministry of Defence as constituted at each date shown.

Some civilians from the United Kingdom serve tours of duty overseas. There were 6,722 such civilians serving abroad on 1 April 1977. Other civilian staff are engaged overseas to work locally as circumstances demand. Additionally there were on 1 April 1977 approximately 28,000 staff of the Department of the Environment directly engaged on the Defence programme.

Health (Tables 7.8 – 7.9). The Services operate a number of hospitals in this country and in areas abroad where there is a significant British military presence. These hospitals take as patients members of all three Services and their dependants; in addition the hospitals in the United Kingdom take civilian patients under arrangements agreed with the National Health Service. Medical support is also supplied by Service medical staff at individual units, ships and stations.

Sickness (Table 7.10). This table shows cases of sickness of Service personnel for certain selected diagnoses and is for all services combined. It should be noted that, whereas the Royal Navy and Royal Air Force content is for all cases of off-duty sickness lasting 2 days or more terminating in the year, that for the Army covers only those cases admitted to medical units (including hospitals). Sickness at Army unit level, at home or on leave, is not included.

Deaths (Table 7.11). This table presents information on the deaths of all Regular Service personnel on and off duty. Deaths by hostile action are defined as 'battle casualties and deaths resulting from violence attributable to terrorist activity in internal security situations'. There is sometimes a delay in the statistical reporting of deaths, especially those occurring overseas, and the latest figures are liable to be altered slightly. The classifications of deaths in recent years is also subject to revision as a result of, for example, a delayed inquest verdict.

Search and Rescue (Table 7.13). This table covers incidents in which Rescue Co-ordinating Centres in the UK co-ordinated search and rescue (SAR) action which used elements of the Armed Forces. The table also includes urgent medical incidents in which the Forces SAR facilities gave assistance (e.g. inter-hospital transfers). In addition to SAR action co-ordinated by RCCs, all units of the Armed Forces provide assistance in appropriate circumstances as do the civilian rescue services and individuals. Central records of such occasional ad hoc assistance are not kept; consequently the details are not reflected in this table.

Service Married Accommodation (Table 7.14). Accommodation is provided for Service families in the United Kingdom and abroad, partly by building to approved standards and partly by renting accommodation. The Multiple Hirings in BAOR (British Army of the Rhine) and RAFG (Royal Air Force Germany) relate to accommodation built by private developers and leased by the Federal German Authorities on behalf of the British Forces. Small numbers of Multiple Hirings are held elsewhere and are included in the 'hirings' figures. Service married quarters are available to Ministry of Defence civilians serving abroad.

Qualifications (Table 7.15). The Services supply tuition, financial and other assistance to their personnel to enable them to obtain formal qualifications of use to them in their duties. Those given here are illustrative of the wide range involved.

University Cadetships are awarded to under-graduates before or during their degree courses. Medical Cadetships are usually awarded only in the final years of training. Service personnel are also sponsored at universities and a number of degree courses are run at Service educational establishments, for example Shrivenham.

In Service units and ships, education officers organise instruction for a range of GCE and other academic examinations. In addition, Service personnel may attend LEA and other external courses and will normally be eligible for financial assistance, but these instances are not recorded centrally and are excluded from this table.

Much of the training given to Service personnel results in the acquisition of skills valuable in later civilian life and in some cases formal qualifications are obtained. Heavy Goods Vehicle (HGV) driving licences are one example. Figures for the period from 1969 to February 1973 were affected by the practice of granting HGV driving licences without the necessity of passing a test to persons already holding ordinary driving licences which permitted them to drive such vehicles.

Land (Table 7.16). Alterations in the holdings of land have occurred when other Departments have merged with the Ministry of Defence. Nearly half the total of land owned or leased by the Ministry of Defence is used for grazing, other agricultural and other non-military purposes, and details are given in the table.

Defence current expenditure on goods and services, at constant and current prices

TABLE 7.1

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total expenditure At constant (1970) prices . . .	2,855	2,997	2,844	2,559	2,413	2,410	2,419	2,389	2,372	2,409	2,418
Total expenditure At current prices	2,145	2,329	2,363	2,247	2,413	2,705	3,008	3,331	4,042	5,108	6,090
Of which:											
Civilian pay [1]	366	389	400	426	472	555	567	634	762	969	1,116
Forces pay	619	628	664	669	799	911	1,040	1,138	1,314	1,582	1,857
Other	1,160	1,312	1,299	1,152	1,142	1,239	1,401	1,559	1,966	2,557	3,117

[1] Including Selective employment tax.

Sources: Central Statistical Office; Ministry of Defence

Defence budget: annual estimates[1] [2]

TABLE 7.2

£ million

	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77	1977/78
Total expenditure at constant (1970-71) prices [3]	2,727	2,671	2,541	2,280	2,336	2,390	2,525	2,333	2,390	2,400	2,321
Total expenditure at estimates prices[3].	2,205	2,271	2,266	2,280	2,545	2,854	3,366	3,612	4,548	5,632	6,329
of which:											
Expenditure on personnel.	909	973	1,009	1,055	1,332	1,387	1,546	1,679	2,102	2,567	2,874
Pay, etc. of Armed Forces	462	461	469	477	706	748	829	884	1,090	1,292	1,452
Retired pay, etc. of Armed Forces	95	110	121	124	132	147	173	185	233	299	345
Pay, etc. of civilian staff	352	402	419	454	494	492	544	610	779	975	1,077
Expenditure on equipment[4].	891	852	822	756	768	964	1,248	1.288	1,529	1,990	2,350
Sea systems	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	230	290	306	386	515	654
Land systems	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	133	172	266	337	437	464
Air systems	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	331	441	593	651	840	996
Other [5]	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	271	345	123	155	198	236
Other expenditure.	405	446	435	469	445	503	572	645	917	1,076	1,105
Works, buildings and land [6] . . .	191	202	178	190	189	208	241	257	365	437	418
Miscellaneous stores and services	214	244	257	279	256	295	331	388	552	639	687

[1] The annual estimates are made during the course of the previous financial year and are based on prices ruling around the midpoint of that financial year. [2] Including expenditure of government departments other than the Ministry of Defence in years when these contributed to the Defence budget. [3] Because of changes in the responsibilities of the Ministry of Defence, estimates for successive years are not necessarily comparable. [4] Prior to the setting up of the Procurement Executive of the Ministry of Defence during 1971/72, these figures refer to the expenditure on production and research for which no breakdown is available. [5] Including expenditure on guided weapons and electronic systems £185.5 million in 1972/73 and £236.8 million in 1973/74 which is divided between the appropriate systems in later years. [6] Including pay of civilian staff employed in works and building.

Source: Ministry of Defence

TABLE 7.3

Defence budget: functional analysis of the annual estimates

£ million

	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77	1977/78
Total expenditure at constant (1970/71) prices	2,727	2,671	2,541	2,280	2,336	2,390	2,525	2,369	2,390	2,400	2,321
Total expenditure at estimates prices	2,205	2,271	2,266	2,280	2,545	2,854	3,365	3,667[4]	4,548	5,632	6,329
of which:											
Nuclear Strategic Forces	104	95	60	32	34	38	39	48	58	78	96
European Theatre Ground Forces	184	212	203	211	363	412	497	662	826	985	1,091
Navy General Purpose Forces	291	301	280	295	301	330	419	500	632	726	843
Other Army Combat Forces[1]	185	169	154	143	54	52	63	79	88	64	70
RAF General Purpose Forces	237	287	367	365	379	410	496	771	874	906	1,034
Air mobility	140	115	98	105	112	114	116				
Reserve and Auxiliary Formations	20	16	22	27	34	47	61	62	79	91	105
Research and development[2]	300	285	268	246	284	330	418	229	283	699	823
Training	209	212	218	222	265	308	348	345	417	484	565
Production, repair and associated facilities in UK	157	174	183	196	214	253	278	253	340	409	447
War and contingency stocks	39	27	26	25	29	42	62	94	108	116	108
Other support functions	360	393	408	420	474	536	598	651	875	1,067	1,139
Miscellaneous expenditure and receipts[3]	–21	–15	–21	–7	2	–18	–30	–27	–32	7	8

[1] Prior to 1971/72 Army General Purpose Combat Forces. [2] In 1974/75 and 1975/76 research and development costs have been included where possible in the appropriate Combat Forces or Support programme. Total R and D in these years was £456 million and £554 million respectively. [3] A negative figure denotes an excess of receipts over expenditure. [4] Original estimates, no analysis available for £55 million variation in revised estimates.

Source: Ministry of Defence

TABLE 7.4

Formation of the Armed Forces

At 1 April

	Unit [1]	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
Royal Navy: Fleet [2]												
Aircraft carriers	Vessels	3	2	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1
ASW carriers/commando/ assault ships	,,	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	3	4	2	2
Cruisers/destroyers	,,	20	17	7	6	9	10	10	10	12	9	11
Frigates	,,	48	52	48	55	50	51	51	47	47	46	43
Submarines	,,	35	31	27	26	23	22	25	25	24	22	24
Mine counter-measure forces	,,	56	54	45	44	49	39	41	42	40	37	34
Others	,,	26	22	24	29	22	25	29	28	33	36	41
Royal Navy: Aircraft												
Fixed wing	Squadrons	9	11	12	11	8	4	3	3	3	3	3
	Flights	3	2	2	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1
Helicopters	Squadrons	10	10	12	13	12	12	13	13	13	12	12
	Flights	19	25	32	34	37	39	39	40	39	40	41
Army: Teeth arm forces [3]												
Royal Armoured Corps	Regiments	23	23	23	20	20	19	19	19	19	19	19
Royal Artillery	,,	32	32	29	28	28	27	27	27	26	26	21
Royal Engineers	,,	8	9	9	12	13	13	13	14	13	13	10
Infantry [4]	Battalions	68	66	64	61	57	51	54	55	55	55	55
Special Air Service	Regiments	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Royal Air Force: Front Line force												
Attack and offensive support	Squadrons	26	24	20	16	18	18	14	16	19	19	19
Air Defence	,,	10	10	9	10	10	9	9	9	9	9	9
Reconnaissance and patrol	,,	19	18	18	15	13	11	11	12	11	11	11
Transport	,,	28	24	24	22	21	17	18	18	18	11	10
Tankers	,,	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	2
Search and rescue	,,	5	5	5	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
Surface to air missiles	,,	18	9	4	3	3	3	4	7	6	7	7

[1] The number of personnel and the amount of equipment in each vessel, regiment, battalion and squadron varies according to the role currently assigned. [2] Ships of the Royal Navy excluding those undergoing long refit or conversion, on standby, etc. [3] Regular Army only. [4] Including the Gurkhas.

Source: Ministry of Defence

Defence manpower strengths

TABLE 7.5

At 1 April [1]

Thousands

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
UK service personnel											
All services: total	417.4	404.8	383.0	373.0	368.0	371.4	367.0	349.3	338.3	336.6	330.5
In United Kingdom	265.4	270.4	258.9	253.4	252.2	273.5	269.6	249.7	240.1	246.1	240.6
In rest of world	152.0	134.5	124.1	119.6	115.8	97.9	97.4	99.6	98.2	90.5	89.9
Royal Navy and Royal Marines: total	97.0	95.1	90.2	86.0	82.5	82.4	81.2	78.3	76.2	76.1	76.2
In United Kingdom	74.3	74.4	73.5	68.8	66.2	73.6	72.9	66.5	61.9	67.0	67.4
In rest of world	22.7	20.6	16.7	17.3	16.3	8.8	8.3	11.8	14.3	9.1	8.8
Army: total	196.2	189.4	178.5	174.0	173.4	178.3	179.8	171.7	167.1	169.8	167.3
In United Kingdom	102.5	104.1	99.0	96.7	99.2	110.0	111.1	104.1	101.4	104.2	101.1
In rest of world	93.7	85.3	79.5	77.3	74.2	68.3	68.8	67.6	65.7	65.6	66.3
Royal Air Force: total	124.1	120.3	114.3	113.0	112.1	110.7	105.9	99.2	95.0	90.7	86.9
In United Kingdom	88.5	91.8	86.5	88.0	86.8	89.9	85.6	79.0	76.9	75.0	72.1
In rest of world	35.6	28.5	27.8	25.0	25.2	20.8	20.3	20.3	18.2	15.7	14.8
Female strength included in the above figures [2] : total	15.9	15.3	14.2	14.2	14.7	15.3	15.0	14.4	14.5	14.8	14.5
In United Kingdom	12.8	12.4	11.4	11.6	12.3	13.0	12.4	11.8	11.9	12.4	12.3
In rest of world	3.1	2.9	2.8	2.6	2.4	2.3	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.4	2.2
Personnel Locally Entered overseas											
Total	32.9	25.0	22.4	19.5	15.3	9.5	9.6	9.2	9.3	9.1	8.5
In United Kingdom	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	1.0	2.0	1.7	1.6	0.9	0.6
In rest of world	32.6	24.7	22.1	19.2	14.8	8.5	7.7	7.5	7.7	8.2	8.0
Regular reserves [1]											
Total	377.4	375.9	388.2	348.0	353.7	357.2	353.2	335.8	170.0	170.0	174.9
Royal Navy and Royal Marines	18.6	17.9	18.3	23.5	25.1	26.9	27.8	29.9	30.1	29.7	30.3
Army	111.3	107.0	116.4	120.9	121.1	119.7	115.2	115.1	108.2	107.3	111.2
Army General Reserve [3]	167.2	168.6	169.0	170.3	175.3	177.7	178.8	179.4	—	—	—
Royal Air Force	80.3	82.4	84.4	33.2	32.2	33.0	31.3	31.4	31.7	33.0	33.4
Volunteer Reserves and Auxiliary Forces [1] : total	84.8	64.2	57.4	57.2	61.4	74.6	75.5	69.7	69.1	70.6	75.2
Royal Navy and Royal Marines	9.2	8.2	8.0	8.1	7.9	7.6	7.1	7.1	7.0	6.8	6.3
Army TAVR [4]	75.2	55.5	49.0	46.9	49.1	58.1	59.3	54.7	54.1	55.9	60.9
Ulster Defence Regiment	—	—	—	1.8	4.0	8.5	8.7	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.6
Royal Air Force	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Cadet Forces [1] [5]											
Total	133.3	129.7	134.2	139.8	134.8	136.0	133.8	130.5	129.4	137.3	141.6
Royal Navy	21.1	20.2	19.4	23.3	21.9	23.0	23.0	22.7	22.6	24.9	25.1
Army	75.4	71.6	72.8	72.8	70.1	69.0	68.1	66.3	65.0	69.8	72.7
Royal Air Force	36.8	37.8	42.0	43.8	42.7	44.0	42.6	41.6	41.8	42.6	43.7
Civilians [6]											
Total	369.4	355.6	338.1	326.6	317.3	323.6	319.8	314.6	316.7	310.8	292.1
UK-based [7]	274.9	273.2	263.3	257.9	253.5	275.1	272.7	267.1	266.6	266.2	258.7
Locally engaged overseas	94.5	82.3	74.8	68.7	63.8	48.5	47.0	47.5	50.1	44.6	33.4

[1] A few of the figures for reserves and cadets were collected at irregular intervals and do not neccessarily refer to 1 April; they are the latest figures available at that date. [2] Excluding female medical and dental officers. [3] The Army General Reserve ceased to exist on 30 June 1974 when the relevant legislation expired. [4] The Territorial Army Volunteer Reserve was created out of the Territorial Army on 1 April 1967. [5] Combined Cadet Force cadets are included under the relevant service. [6] Including staff at Royal Ordnance Factories and, up to 1968, staff on loan to other bodies. During the period of the table, a number of other departments have merged with the Ministry of Defence, and figures for successive years are therefore not necessarily strictly comparable. Two part-time employees are counted as one whole-time employee. [7] Including UK-based civilians serving abroad.

Source: Ministry of Defence

Recruitment of UK Service personnel

TABLE 7.6

Number

	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77
All Services—total	48,164	39,033	34,560	42,250	47,806	55,454	46,324	32,433	42,236	46,906	40,244
Officers	2,846	2,199	2,088	2,218	2,527	2,770	2,348	2,237	2,163	2,135	2,327
Servicemen and Servicewomen	45,318	36,834	32,472	40,032	45,279	52,684	43,976	30,196	40,073	44,771	37,917
Male	41,946	33,718	29,832	36,182	41,071	48,876	41,007	27,722	36,852	41,686	36,390
Officers	2,429	1,826	1,765	1,905	2,182	2,378	1,989	1,921	1,890	1,882	2,007
Servicemen	39,517	31,892	28,067	34,277	38,889	46,498	39,018	25,801	34,962	39,804	34,383
Female	6,218	5,315	4,728	6,068	6,735	6,578	5,317	4,711	5,384	5,220	3,854
Officers	417	373	323	313	345	392	359	316	273	253	320
Servicewomen	5,801	4,942	4,405	5,755	6,390	6,186	4,958	4,395	5,111	4,967	3,534
Royal Navy and Royal Marines—total	9,217	8,605	6,156	6,851	7,980	10,846	11,034	8,065	9,802	10,064	9,124
Officers	655	594	482	428	477	543	603	553	512	569	565
Servicemen and Servicewomen	8,562	8,011	5,674	6,423	7,503	10,303	10,431	7,512	9,290	9,495	8,559
Male	8,024	7,505	5,150	5,818	6,809	9,667	9,865	6,983	8,723	8,886	8,167
Officers	611	548	442	400	448	492	536	493	470	534	531
Servicemen	7,413	6,957	4,708	5,418	6,361	9,175	9,329	6,490	8,253	8,352	7,636
Female	1,193	1,100	1,006	1,033	1,171	1,179	1,169	1,082	1,079	1,178	957
Officers	44	46	40	28	29	51	67	60	42	35	34
Servicewomen	1,149	1,054	966	1,005	1,142	1,128	1,102	1,022	1,037	1,143	923
Army—total	28,895	21,564	19,464	23,873	26,937	34,303	28,862	17,554	24,264	29,591	24,088
Officers	1,010	784	690	941	1,045	1,045	922	979	1,131	1,241	1,137
Servicemen and Servicewomen	27,885	20,780	18,774	22,932	25,892	33,258	27,940	16,575	23,133	28,350	22,951
Male	26,073	19,341	17,399	21,411	24,337	31,298	26,484	15,310	22,041	27,238	22,344
Officers	822	640	567	805	903	865	750	822	997	1,096	1,003
Servicemen	25,251	18,701	16,832	20,606	23,434	30,433	25,734	14,488	21,044	26,142	21,341
Female	2,822	2,223	2,065	2,462	2,600	3,005	2,378	2,244	2,223	2,353	1,744
Officers	188	144	123	136	142	180	172	157	134	145	134
Servicewomen	2,634	2,079	1,942	2,326	2,458	2,825	2,206	2,087	2,089	2,208	1,610
Royal Air Force—total	10,052	8,864	8,940	11,526	12,889	10,305	6,428	6,814	8,170	7,251	7,032
Officers	1,181	821	916	849	1,005	1,182	823	705	520	325	625
Servicemen and Servicewomen	8,871	8,043	8,024	10,677	11,884	9,123	5,605	6,109	7,650	6,926	6,407
Male	7,849	6,872	7,283	8,953	9,925	7,911	4,658	5,429	6,088	5,562	5,879
Officers	996	638	756	700	831	1,021	703	606	423	252	473
Servicemen	6,853	6,234	6,527	8,253	9,094	6,890	3,955	4,823	5,665	5,310	5,406
Female	2,203	1,992	1,657	2,573	2,964	2,394	1,770	1,385	2,082	1,689	1,153
Officers	185	183	160	149	174	161	120	99	97	73	152
Servicewomen	2,018	1,809	1,497	2,424	2,790	2,233	1,650	1,286	1,985	1,616	1,001

Source: Ministry of Defence

Age distribution of recruitment, strength and outflow of UK Service personnel

TABLE **7.7**

Calender year 1976

Number

	Male			Female		
	Recruitment	Strength at 30 June	Outflow	Recruitment	Strength at 30 June	Outflow
All ages	38,692	320,799	42,353	4,188	14,882	4,461
Age last birthday						
16	14,094	5,513	2,971	48	6	6
17	9,468	16,372	3,673	1,578	872	361
18	5,613	18,889	1,942	1,143	2,311	610
19	3,206	20,927	1,632	509	2,365	650
20	1,920	21,752	2,606	250	2,062	587
21	1,239	17,470	3,013	168	1,613	558
22	919	15,858	2,092	133	1,165	429
23	645	14,423	2,232	97	902	303
24	400	12,953	1,541	70	583	214
25	289	13,178	1,181	52	470	132
26	193	13,361	2,062	36	411	125
27	188	12,529	2,015	25	329	93
28	142	13,093	983	22	271	76
29	118	14,007	1,751	16	218	50
30	76	10,056	1,078	19	142	35
31	55	9,558	693	5	125	32
32	42	8,879	786	3	104	26
33	32	8,006	453	7	91	13
34	18	7,156	358	1	64	15
35	5	6,519	305	1	64	8
36	6	6,567	259	1	65	12
37	8	7,230	301	2	50	8
38	2	7,003	337	1	52	9
39	5	6,658	1,038	—	36	3
40	3	4,477	1,698	1	49	3
41	2	3,922	585	—	49	4
42	1	3,584	594	—	25	3
43	—	3,060	495	—	43	1
44	—	2,691	353	—	40	8
45	—	2,314	377	—	38	8
46	1	2,188	288	—	31	—
47	—	2,142	264	—	35	4
48	1	1,491	189	—	31	10
49	—	1,246	255	—	29	3
50	1	1,073	205	—	24	2
51	—	1,046	170	—	27	1
52	—	1,169	199	—	31	7
53	—	1,108	151	—	20	6
54	—	981	269	—	22	4
55	—	183	842	—	10	27
56 and over	—	167	117	—	7	15

Source: Ministry of Defence

Service hospitals and in-patients

TABLE 7.8

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972[1]	1973[1]	1974	1975	1976
Average number of beds											
United Kingdom: total	3,782	3,647	3,369	3,255	3,117	3,114	3,054	2,995	2,826	2,757	2,798
Royal Navy	876	836	694	689	652	636	637	627	633	615	615
Army	1,782	1,701	1,617	1,508	1,480	1,493	1,487	1,448	1,361	1,348	1,354
Royal Air Force	1,124	1,110	1,058	1,058	985	985	930	920	832	794	829
Overseas: total	3,610	3,181	2,865	2,649	2,431	2,058	1,653	1,625	1,599	1,637	1,432
Royal Navy	383	254	283	234	222	192	193	193	152	152	135
Army	2,319	2,198	2,009	1,870	1,664	1,321	1,120	1,092	1,107	1,185	1,033
Royal Air Force	908	729	573	545	545	545	340	340	340	300	264
Number of in-patient admissions (Thousands)											
United Kingdom: total	72.2	68.4	69.6	74.4	73.1	75.6	78.5	80.0	77.4	78.2	77.7
Service personnel[2]	42.3	39.0	36.6	37.7	35.8	36.9	36.5	33.6	32.6	32.2	31.9
Service dependants[2]	18.6	17.7	19.3	20.0	20.1	19.6	20.6	22.2	20.0	19.7	18.8
Others[2]	11.2	11.8	13.7	16.6	17.2	19.1	21.4	24.1	24.8	26.3	27.0
Overseas: total	78.7	71.9	65.5	64.4	59.6	55.1	47.0	47.9	48.7	47.9	45.3
Service personnel	25.0	22.4	19.9	18.8	17.0	15.8	13.0	13.2	14.5	13.8	13.8
Service dependants	43.6	38.6	35.9	35.9	34.2	32.8	29.8	29.8	28.1	26.4	25.3
Others	10.1	10.9	9.7	9.7	8.4	6.5	4.1	4.9	6.0	7.6	6.2

[1] In these years, overseas in-patient admissions to Royal Navy hospitals are not comprehensive. [2] The analysis of in-patient admissions for the years 1968–1972 is partly estimated.

Source: Ministry of Defence

Strength of uniformed medical staff [1]

TABLE 7.9

At 1 April

Number

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
Qualified doctors: total	1,606	1,592	1,603	1,549	1,485	1,445	1,419	1,353	1,308	1,288	1,254
Royal Navy	313	316	331	328	322	319	309	311	298	291	283
Army	732	739	747	709	666	631	605	551	542	550	539
Royal Air Force	561	537	525	512	497	495	505	491	468	447	432
Qualified dentists: total	436	431	418	411	404	410	407	402	398	392	384
Royal Navy	115	114	107	101	94	97	96	99	93	93	93
Army	175	176	180	174	177	179	184	184	181	180	181
Royal Air Force	146	141	131	136	133	134	127	119	124	119	110
Female nursing Services[2] : total	2,587	2,553	2,574	2,588	2,684	2,869	2,945	2,882	2,790	2,654	2,772
QARNNS[3]	522	498	503	486	514	569	583	624	638	597	607
QARANC[4]	1,549	1,484	1,447	1,414	1,418	1,553	1,537	1,465	1,436	1,406	1,483
PMRAFNS[5]	516	571	624	688	752	747	825	793	716	651	682
Medical and dental support staff: total:	8,516	8,186	7,724	7,391	7,103	6,991	6,950	6,644	6,593	6,156	5,782
Royal Navy	1,310	1,381	1,376	1,366	1,336	1,386	1,475	1,426	1,427	1,223	1,245
Army	4,380	4,286	4,049	3,866	3,667	3,556	3,483	3,363	3,355	3,188	2,949
Royal Air Force	2,826	2,519	2,299	2,159	2,100	2,049	1,992	1,855	1,811	1,745	1,588

[1] Includes staff employed at units (including ships) and in hospitals. [2] Including trained personnel and personnel undertaking 'on-the-job' training and held against established posts. [3] Queen Alexandra's Royal Naval Nursing Service. [4] Queen Alexandra's Royal Army Nursing Corps. [5] Princess Mary's Royal Air Force Nursing Service.

Source: Ministry of Defence

Sickness of Service personnel — selected diagnoses [1]

TABLE 7.10

Number of cases

	Sex	Code numbers [2]	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
Diagnostic group									
All causes	Males		90,710	78,241	68,464	71,063	64,972	60,078	56,848
	Females		6,206	5,941	5,560	6,028	5,200	5,103	5,067
Infective and parasitic diseases	Males	000–136	8,895	7,564	6,474	5,988	6,056	4,744	4,610
	Females		611	618	574	595	541	454	470
Neoplasms	Males	140–239	963	809	771	705	740	689	579
	Females		97	105	71	88	90	71	77
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	Males	240–279	664	549	547	551	565	524	506
	Females		31	28	40	30	26	38	28
Mental disorders	Males	290–315	2,597	2,287	2,022	1,963	1,992	1,945	1,620
	Females		227	238	234	238	181	200	193
Diseases of the nervous system and sense organs	Males	320–389	2,170	2,019	1,788	1,625	1,601	1,516	1,345
	Females		119	150	104	120	126	107	112
Diseases of the circulatory system	Males	390–458	2,504	2,312	2,190	2,071	2,194	2,123	1,888
	Females		62	51	58	66	63	64	59
Diseases of the respiratory system	Males	460–519	29,036	23,218	16,269	19,470	15,193	13,706	12,611
	Females		2,178	1,801	1,480	1,750	1,336	1,384	1,420
Diseases of the digestive system	Males	520–577	9,586	8,161	8,177	7,862	7,754	7,249	6,718
	Females		644	691	724	736	626	642	635
Diseases of the genito-urinary system	Males	580–629	2,417	2,519	2,474	2,160	1,885	1,820	1,778
	Females		460	497	499	531	529	504	476
Complications of pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium	Females	630–678	88	118	128	117	129	117	111
Diseases of skin and subcutaneous tissue	Males	680–709	3,814	3,358	3,140	3,117	2,857	2,564	2,320
	Females		176	152	161	145	146	169	136
Diseases of the musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	Males	710–738	5,339	5,246	5,229	5,792	5,210	5,239	5,142
	Females		276	281	315	381	339	339	330
Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	Males	780–796	5,407	4,644	4,150	4,500	3,936	3,732	3,569
	Females		590	556	521	572	495	485	479
Accidents, poisonings and violence	Males	N800–N999	15,433	13,864	13,670	13,487	12,483	11,322	11,047
	Females		531	548	550	544	453	409	420
Other causes	Males		1,885	1,691	1,563	1,772	2,506	2,905	3,115
	Females		116	107	101	115	120	120	121

[1] Based upon spells of off-duty sickness lasting 2 days or more terminating during the year, excluding, for the Army, sickness not requiring admission to a medical unit. [2] Code numbers refer to the Eighth Revision (1967) of the *International Statistical Classification of Diseases, Injuries and Causes of Death.*

Source: Ministry of Defence

Deaths of Service personnel [1]

TABLE **7.11**

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Number of deaths											
Total: all causes	594	661	495	441	474	519	569	533	424	422	413
Hostile action [2]	23	53	—	—	—	44	103	60	28	15	14
Aircraft injuries	61	82	55	36	36	33	28	37	15	23	31
Road traffic injuries	197	192	152	131	144	168	166	180	126	116	118
Other injuries	101	125	94	90	79	102	103	96	100	89	83
Natural causes	212	209	194	184	215	172	169	160	155	179	167
Royal Navy and Royal Marines: all causes	108	109	106	86	88	96	107	84	75	62	68
Hostile action [2]	2	1	—	—	—	1	2	3	3	—	—
Aircraft injuries	16	14	10	5	7	1	6	4	7	2	2
Road traffic injuries	32	33	29	17	26	32	43	35	17	24	22
Other injuries	21	34	34	21	24	27	25	19	27	11	16
Natural causes	37	27	33	43	31	35	31	23	21	25	28
Army: all causes	293	351	214	194	224	268	323	310	232	246	235
Hostile action [2]	20	52	—	—	—	43	101	56	25	15	14
Aircraft injuries	7	10	8	8	5	5	2	8	4	4	7
Road traffic injuries	116	117	84	79	84	97	78	106	77	66	75
Other injuries	56	61	42	50	38	59	61	64	63	64	54
Natural causes	94	111	80	57	97	64	81	76	63	97	85
Royal Air Force: all causes	193	201	175	161	162	155	139	139	117	114	110
Hostile action [2]	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
Aircraft injuries	38	58	37	23	24	27	20	25	4	17	22
Road traffic injuries	49	42	39	35	34	39	45	39	32	26	21
Other injuries	24	30	18	19	17	16	17	13	10	14	13
Natural causes	81	71	81	84	87	73	57	61	71	57	54
Rate per thousand											
Total: all causes	*1.43*	*1.61*	*1.26*	*1.17*	*1.29*	*1.42*	*1.54*	*1.49*	*1.24*	*1.26*	*1.25*
Hostile action [2]	*0.06*	*0.13*	—	—	—	*0.12*	*0.28*	*0.17*	*0.08*	*0.04*	*0.04*
Aircraft injuries	*0.15*	*0.20*	*0.14*	*0.09*	*0.10*	*0.09*	*0.07*	*0.10*	*0.04*	*0.07*	*0.09*
Road traffic injuries	*0.47*	*0.47*	*0.39*	*0.35*	*0.39*	*0.46*	*0.45*	*0.50*	*0.37*	*0.35*	*0.36*
Other injuries	*0.24*	*0.30*	*0.24*	*0.24*	*0.21*	*0.28*	*0.28*	*0.27*	*0.29*	*0.26*	*0.25*
Natural causes	*0.51*	*0.51*	*0.49*	*0.49*	*0.59*	*0.47*	*0.46*	*0.45*	*0.46*	*0.54*	*0.50*
Royal Navy and Royal Marines: all causes	*1.11*	*1.12*	*1.13*	*0.97*	*1.03*	*1.17*	*1.30*	*1.04*	*0.96*	*0.82*	*0.89*
Hostile action [2]	*0.02*	*0.01*	—	—	—	*0.01*	*0.03*	*0.04*	*0.04*	—	—
Aircraft injuries	*0.16*	*0.14*	*0.11*	*0.06*	*0.08*	*0.01*	*0.07*	*0.05*	*0.09*	*0.03*	*0.02*
Road traffic injuries	*0.33*	*0.34*	*0.31*	*0.19*	*0.31*	*0.39*	*0.52*	*0.43*	*0.21*	*0.32*	*0.29*
Other injuries	*0.21*	*0.35*	*0.36*	*0.24*	*0.28*	*0.33*	*0.30*	*0.23*	*0.35*	*0.14*	*0.21*
Natural causes	*0.38*	*0.28*	*0.35*	*0.48*	*0.36*	*0.43*	*0.38*	*0.28*	*0.27*	*0.33*	*0.37*
Army: all causes	*1.53*	*1.84*	*1.17*	*1.11*	*1.31*	*1.57*	*1.84*	*1.80*	*1.40*	*1.51*	*1.42*
Hostile action [2]	*0.10*	*0.27*	—	—	—	*0.25*	*0.58*	*0.32*	*0.15*	*0.09*	*0.09*
Aircraft injuries	*0.04*	*0.05*	*0.04*	*0.04*	*0.03*	*0.03*	*0.01*	*0.05*	*0.02*	*0.02*	*0.04*
Road traffic injuries	*0.61*	*0.62*	*0.46*	*0.45*	*0.49*	*0.57*	*0.44*	*0.62*	*0.47*	*0.41*	*0.45*
Other injuries	*0.29*	*0.32*	*0.23*	*0.29*	*0.22*	*0.35*	*0.35*	*0.37*	*0.38*	*0.39*	*0.33*
Natural causes	*0.49*	*0.58*	*0.44*	*0.33*	*0.57*	*0.37*	*0.46*	*0.44*	*0.38*	*0.60*	*0.51*
Royal Air Force: all causes	*1.53*	*1.64*	*1.48*	*1.42*	*1.44*	*1.39*	*1.25*	*1.34*	*1.19*	*1.21*	*1.23*
Hostile action [2]	*0.01*	—	—	—	—	—	—	*0.01*	—	—	—
Aircraft injuries	*0.30*	*0.47*	*0.31*	*0.20*	*0.21*	*0.24*	*0.18*	*0.24*	*0.04*	*0.18*	*0.25*
Road traffic injuries	*0.39*	*0.34*	*0.33*	*0.31*	*0.30*	*0.35*	*0.41*	*0.37*	*0.33*	*0.27*	*0.23*
Other injuries	*0.19*	*0.25*	*0.15*	*0.17*	*0.15*	*0.15*	*0.15*	*0.13*	*0.10*	*0.15*	*0.15*
Natural causes	*0.64*	*0.58*	*0.69*	*0.74*	*0.78*	*0.65*	*0.51*	*0.59*	*0.72*	*0.61*	*0.60*

[1] Regular Service personnel only. [2] Battle casualties and deaths resulting from violence attributable to terrorist activity in internal security operations.

Source: Ministry of Defence

Service Aircraft, Fatal Accidents and Deaths

TABLE 7.12

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Fatal accident [1]											
Total *of which:*	31	30	18	19	18	18	16	15	11	8	12
Operational/Front Line	12	11	7	4	5	5	7	9	9	6	8
Training/Second line	17	16	9	13	13	12	8	6	1	2	4
Transport	2	3	2	2	–	1	1	–	1	–	–
Deaths [2]	57	80	53	33	31	83	28	33	18	19	25

[1] Figures refer to air accidents involving aircraft, of all three Services which resulted in at least one death and are analysed by type of aircraft role. An air accident is an occurrence during the period of operation of the aircraft which results in either or both of the following:

(a) A person receiving fatal or major injuries

(b) An aircraft sustaining Category 3, 4 or 5 damage

[2] Figures include the deaths of all individuals fatally injured as a result of the air accidents.

Source: Ministry of Defence

Search and rescue operations at home

TABLE 7.13

Number

	1971 [1]	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Incidents:						
Total [2]	864	768	816	1,028	1,245	1,316
Royal Navy	162	124	240	309	274	295
Royal Air Force	713	667	585	724	976	1,030
Sorties [3]						
By helicopters: Total	. .	802	768	1,147	1,345	1,535
Royal Navy	. .	189	278	366	319	324
Royal Air Force	650	613	490	781	1,026	1,211
By other aircraft: Total	. .	75	70	50	49	58
Royal Navy	. .	1	1	2	1	–
Royal Air Force	. .	74	69	48	48	58
By marine craft (Royal Air Force only)	24	21	14	7	4	7
By mountain rescue teams (Royal Air Force only)	70	96	45	48	49	45
Persons assisted [4]						
Total	. .	458	474	662	732	659
By helicopters: Total	. .	378	453	625	712	648
Royal Navy	. .	67	111	222	161	179
Royal Air Force	325	311	342	403	551	469
By marine craft	2	9	6	7	–	–
By mountain rescue teams	48	71	15	30	20	11

[1] An analysis of Royal Navy incidents for 1971 is not available. [2] Since both the Royal Navy and the Royal Air Force are involved in some incidents, the total may not be the sum of the incidents attended by the services separately. [3] A sortie is a flight by an aircraft or a rescue mission by a marine craft or a mountain rescue team. More than one sortie may have been necessary to support an SAR callout to a reported incident. [4] Figures for persons assisted relate only to number of persons who were actually removed (alive) from a hazard or who were assisted in an urgent medical incident.

Source: Ministry of Defence

Service married accommodation [1] [5]

TABLE 7.14

Number

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
United Kingdom: total	88,582	94,472	98,569	100,364	100,874	99,864	101,347	101,648	102,568	102,217	98,570
Royal Navy [2]											
Permanent holdings	9,006	10,320	11,312	12,353	12,579	13,407	13,929	14,697	15,620	16,010	16,249
Unfurnished hirings	—	—	—	—	—	39	80	61	45	20	20
Furnished hirings	3,056	2,873	2,643	2,117	2,005	1,804	1,605	1,426	1,200	850	574
Army											
Permanent holdings [3] [4]	29,824	35,350	39,187	40,469	41,231	41,073	41,496	42,527	43,148	44,363	45,096
Furnished hirings [4]	6,100	6,757	4,404	3,884	3,431	3,094	2,819	2,543	2,426	2,038	1,505
Royal Air Force											
Permanent holdings	34,729	33,395	35,590	38,178	38,719	38,007	39,028	38,529	38,854	37,859	34,405
Unfurnished hirings	17	7	7	54	80	86	109	122	126	—	—
Furnished hirings	5,850	5,770	5,426	3,309	2,829	2,354	2,281	1,743	1,149	1,077	721
Overseas: total	49,357	46,684	44,554	44,106	43,356	41,637	46,304	49,348	47,449	47,388	47,772
Royal Navy [2]											
Permanent holdings	707	665	707	733	840	750	1,045	1,057	1,102	825	791
Hirings	924	1,362	1,122	921	715	166	628	725	732	703	522
Army											
Permanent holdings	18,633	18,070	16,700	17,623	17,102	16,214	17,362	16,444	16,513	15,502	16,019
Multiple hirings in BAOR	9,188	9,164	9,677	8,798	9,846	11,202	11,252	13,430	14,670	16,383	16,467
Other hirings	6,021	4,701	4,478	3,993	3,558	2,468	4,432	5,312	4,458	4,211	3,917
Royal Air Force											
Permanent holdings	7,196	6,789	6,120	6,049	6,047	5,173	5,416	5,412	5,205	4,742	4,740
Multiple hirings in RAFG	3,649	3,700	4,444	5,014	3,963	4,548	5,189	5,917	3,471	3,899	4,198
Furnished hirings	3,039	2,233	1,306	975	860	532	382	434	623	387	373
Other hirings	..	..	..	..	425	584	598	617	675	736	745

[1] The different Services collate information at different times. Figures for the Royal Navy until 1972 refer to 1 March. Unless otherwise stated all other figures were collected between 1 December in the previous year and 1 February. [2] For the years 1967—1970 includes occupied accommodation only. [3] Including a small number of unfurnished hirings taken on from local authorities and the Scottish Special Housing Association, which are not recorded separately. For the years 1967—1975 includes mobile accommodation. [4] In 1974 as at 1 July. [5] Many married service personnel also own their own homes. Periodic surveys show the following percentages of male married personnel doing so:

	1970	*1975/76*
Royal Navy/Royal Marines		
All ranks	45	57
Officers	69	85
Servicemen	40	50
Army (UK and BAOR)		
All ranks	12	18
Officers	29	56
Servicemen	9	12
Royal Air Force		
All ranks	19	42
Officers	34	63
Servicemen	15	36

Source: Ministry of Defence

Selected qualifications obtained under Service sponsorship

TABLE 7.15

Numbers

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Degrees[1]											
Medical and dental degrees: total	..	160	175	106	116	88	90	74	96	80	112
Royal Navy and Royal Marines	..	38	42	44	33	25	22	22	27	12	35
Army	80	73	79	36	38	33	28	20	39	39	40
Royal Air Force	38	49	54	26	45	30	40	32	30	29	37
Other first degrees: total	122	149	184	181	214	278	359	359	341	295	359
Royal Navy and Royal Marines	56	73	77	90	78	81	82	87	88	105	135
Army	54	60	86	81	91	141	139	139	125	98	102
Royal Air Force	12	16	21	10	45	56	138	133	128	92	122
General Certificates of Education[2]											
Certificates awarded[3] [4] : total	..	7,886	8,558	8,152	7,633	6,670	6,101	5,696	5,223	4,524	4,324
Royal Navy and Royal Marines	..	2,222	2,520	2,285	2,258	1,917	1,380	1,270	1,424	1,569	1,689
Army	..	1,218	1,623	1,620	1,467	1,234	1,107	957	908	783	670
Royal Air Force	4,091	4,446	4,415	4,247	3,908	3,519	3,614	3,469	2,891	2,172	1,965
Advanced level passes[3] : total	187	214	234	237	182	131	151	75	92	58	59
Royal Navy and Royal Marines	15	27	49	38	32	13	43	10	16	8	4
Army	33	46	47	47	46	32	28	19	29	16	23
Royal Air Force	139	141	138	152	104	86	80	46	47	34	32
Ordinary level passes[3] [4] : total	9,976	10,054	10,834	10,200	9,711	8,200	7,311	6,856	6,254	5,261	4,898
Royal Navy and Royal Marines	3,314	2,909	3,487	3,138	3,088	2,429	1,571	1,495	1,669	1,778	1,799
Army	1,571	1,616	1,950	1,989	1,775	1,461	1,390	1,230	1,096	965	859
Royal Air Force	5,091	5,529	5,397	5,073	4,848	4,310	4,350	4,131	3,489	2,518	2,240
Heavy Goods Vehicle driving test passes [5] total [6]	—	—	—	544	5,534	10,792	12,650	11,149	9,780	8,771	8,650
Royal Navy and Royal Marines	—	—	—	38	119	151	157	149	173	162	57
Army [6]	—	—	—	506	4,707	9,307	11,226	9,989	8,644	7,771	7,570
Royal Air Force	—	—	—	—	708	1,334	1,267	1,011	963	838	1,023

[1] Includes degrees obtained by serving personnel and University Cadets at Universities and service educational establishments. [2] Includes only candidates studying for and/or taking GCE examinations directly through their Service. [3] Excluding Ordinary level passes gained in Advanced level examinations. [4] From 1975, excludes ordinary level grades D and below. [5] These tests were introduced during 1969. [6] Includes some Army personnel who gained Heavy Goods Vehicle driver's licences prior to 2 February 1973 by virtue of already holding a full ordinary driver's licence which permitted them to drive such vehicles.

Source: Ministry of Defence

Land holdings by the Ministry of Defence [1]

TABLE 7.16

At 1 April

Thousand acres

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
United Kingdom											
Land: Freehold	586.1	571.1	562.6	560.2	548.5	571.6	565.3	562.0	557.0	554.1	551.4
Leasehold	32.6	37.2	34.4	34.1	33.6	42.4	41.5	40.8	38.2	29.5	29.4
Foreshore: Freehold	31.2	31.4	31.4	31.5	32.0	31.4	31.9	31.6	31.7	32.6	32.6
Leasehold	4.2	3.8	4.0	4.1	13.2	13.2	13.2	13.3	13.2	12.0	12.2
Rights	52.7	52.5	52.1	53.4	54.5	56.3	60.9	63.5	66.8	72.9	74.9
England											
Land: Freehold	482.2	472.2	464.8	463.2	451.6	471.7	463.1	459.2	454.9	451.8	449.4
Leasehold	22.3	24.5	24.5	24.4	23.9	32.6	31.6	31.0	28.4	19.8	19.9
Foreshore: Freehold	27.7	27.5	27.5	27.5	28.0	26.8	27.3	26.9	27.0	26.0	26.0
Leasehold	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.5	12.6	12.6	12.6	12.7	12.6	11.4	11.4
Rights	42.8	42.9	42.9	44.2	45.3	47.3	51.2	54.0	57.2	63.2	64.5
Wales											
Land: Freehold	53.7	51.2	49.3	49.1	49.1	50.1	50.0	50.7	50.6	50.9	50.8
Leasehold	2.0	4.4	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.7
Foreshore: Freehold	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.2	2.1	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6
Leasehold	0.5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rights	3.5	3.7	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.1	3.1	2.7	2.6	3.0	3.0
Scotland											
Land: Freehold	44.6	42.0	43.2	42.6	42.4	44.5	46.0	46.1	45.5	45.4	45.4
Leasehold	6.7	6.9	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.5	6.4	6.5	6.4	6.4
Foreshore: Freehold	1.1	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.7	3.6	3.6
Leasehold	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Rights	6.2	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	6.4	6.6	6.8	6.5	6.5
Northern Ireland											
Land: Freehold	5.6	5.7	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.3	6.2	6.0	6.0	6.0	5.8
Leasehold	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.4
Foreshore: Freehold	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Leasehold	—	—	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3
Rights	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.9
Defence land (freehold and leasehold) used for agricultural purposes.											
Used for grazing only	152.3	156.0	149.0	150.0	153.8	153.4	152.3	153.1	152.4	149.6	153.0
Full agricultural use	129.4	123.0	123.1	126.8	123.6	126.2	125.8	127.7	122.0	127.9	124.2
Total	281.7	279.0	272.1	276.8	277.4	279.6	278.1	280.8	274.4	277.5	277.2
Of which:											
England	223.6	216.6	211.5	216.2	215.3	217.4	214.6	218.2	210.8	214.5	213.0
Wales	36.8	36.8	35.8	35.7	35.9	36.5	36.7	36.3	37.0	37.3	37.7
Scotland	19.0	23.3	22.6	22.6	24.0	24.3	24.4	24.2	24.5	23.7	24.4
Northern Ireland	2.3	2.3	2.2	2.3	2.2	1.4	2.4	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.1

[1] Includes land owned by the Ministry of Defence and land over which it has limited rights under grants or licences. Includes also land declared as surplus to Defence requirements; in 1977 about 22,300 acres were awaiting disposal by the Property Services Agency. From 1972 the figures include land taken over with the functions of the former Ministry of Aviation Supply.

Sources: Property Services Agency: Ministry of Defence

VIII. Production

TABLE 8.1

Censuses of production: summary table

	Standard Industrial Classification 1968 order numbers	Estimates for all firms							
		Gross output (production) [1][2]	Net output [3]	Stocks and work in progress [4]		Capital expenditure *less* disposals [5]	Wages and salaries	Average number of persons employed [6]	Net output per person employed
				At end of year	Change during year				
		£ million						Thousands	£
All census industries	II-XXI								
1948		12,961	5,377	..	..	..	3,164	10,149	530
1951		18,733	6,838	..	..	768	3,960	10,669	641
1954		21,897	8,435	..	..	984	4,951	10,894	774
		20,709	8,180	..	..	990	4,748	10,450	783
1958		26,980	10,438	..	..	1,402	6,145	10,570	988
1963		34,467	14,423	6,189	+ 176	1,884	7,799	10,705	1,347
		34,456	14,406	6,276	+ 169	1,886	7,793	10,684	1,348
1968		48,216	20,284	9,085	+ 594	2,662	10,316	10,263	1,976
1970[7]		51,402	20,998	10,543	+1,009	3,081	10,651	8,801	2,386
		51,402	21,815	10,543	+1,009	3,081	10,651	8,801	2,479
1971[7]		54,721	23,368	10,892	+ 493	3,125	11,580	8,576	2,725
1972[7]		58,771	25,988	11,688	+ 729	2,939	12,481	8,236	3,155
1973[7]		68,472	29,532	13,784	+2,439	3,468	14,118	8,308	3,555
1974		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1975		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Manufacturing industries	III-XIX								
1948		10,754	4,077	2,148	+ 293	289	2,260	7,308	558
1951		15,909	5,271	3,243	+ 654	489	2,863	7,829	673
1954		18,259	6,438	3,536	+ 204	561	3,584	8,014	803
		17,170	6,234	3,503	+ 211	568	3,427	7,672	813
1958		22,039	7,848	4,621	+ 14	861	4,454	7,781	1,009
1963		27,819	10,851	5,714	+ 176	1,025	5,712	7,960	1,363
		27,772	10,820	5,798	+ 169	1,026	5,704	7,952	1,361
1968		38,697	15,289	8,501	+ 622	1,525	7,768	7,826	1,954
1970		47,360	18,532	10,183	+1,025	2,164	9,679	8,033	2,307
		47,360	19,256	10,183	+1,025	2,164	9,679	8,033	2.397
1971		50,324	20,617	10,510	+ 491	2,203	10,530	7,830	2,633
1972		53,760	22,786	11,220	+ 693	1,977	11,250	7,522	3,029
1973		63,303	26,548	13,329	+2,448	2,282	12,834	7,613	3,487
1974		83,643	32,387	..	..	3,181	15,688	7,700	4,206
1975		95,755	36,984	..	..	3,715	19,283	7,504	4,928
Food, drink and tobacco	III								
1948		2,632	525	287	+ 32	41	207	718	756
1951		3,227	608	416	+ 76	64	254	773	814
1954		3,819	742	448	+ 27	71	311	789	963
		3,235	645	429	+ 30	62	260	657	982
1958		4,285	917	586	+ 15	91	367	726	1,263
1963		5,195	1,269	725	+ 43	137	491	756	1,679
		5,347	1,292	749	+ 44	139	499	766	1,686
1968		7,568	1,841	1,018	+ 60	199	713	793	2,323
1970		9,157	2,347	1,239	+ 103	238	865	793	2,958
		9,157	2,485	1,239	+ 103	238	865	793	3,134
1971		9,745	2,730	1,286	+ 89	259	985	794	3,438
1972		10.346	3,067	1,339	+ 82	279	1,079	778	3,942
1973		11,806	3,431	1,573	+ 250	358	1,230	797	4,304
1974		14,623	4,030	..	..	472	1,488	796	5,063
1975		17,615	4,803	..	..	474	1,808	773	6,214

Note: The figures for each year are for industries included in the census of production for that year. The figures for 1948, 1951 and 1954 are classified according to the 1948 edition of the Standard Industrial Classification (SIC). Those for 1954 below the line have been reclassified according to the 1958 edition of the SIC. The figures for 1958 and 1963 (above the line) are also based on the 1958 SIC. The reclassified figures for 1963 (below the line) and the figures for 1968, and from 1970 onwards are based on the 1968 edition of the SIC. The figures for 1974 and 1975 are provisional estimates only.

See footnotes on page 203.

Source: Business Statistics Office

Censuses of production: summary table

TABLE **8.1** *(continued)*

	Standard Industrial Classification 1968 order numbers	Estimates for all firms							
		Gross output (production) [1] [2]	Net output [3]	Stocks and work in progress [4]		Capital expenditure *less* disposals [5]	Wages and salaries	Average number of persons employed [6]	Net output per person employed
				At end of year	Change during year				
		£ million						Thousands	£
Chemicals and allied industries	IV, V								
1948		762	269	143	+ 16	38	122	351	766
1951		1,283	372	250	+ 80	103	163	387	961
1954		1,687	529	264	+ 37	97	206	401	1,319
		1,663	538	263	+ 38	113	211	409	1,316
1958		2,319	736	379	+ 1	198	291	444	1,656
1963		2,957	1,058	446	− 3	138	374	443	2,388
		2,900	1,068	447	− 4	143	392	468	2,282
1968		4,353	1,516	676	+ 68	311	527	449	3,375
1970		5,158	1,933	852	+ 94	467	662	462	4,184
		5,158	2,031	852	+ 94	467	662	462	4,396
1971		5,731	2,181	964	+ 114	501	718	450	4,847
1972		6,170	2,377	1,021	+ 52	395	771	432	5,502
1973		7,677	2,770	1,267	+ 265	284	844	427	6,493
1974		13,360	3,967	. .	. .	418	1,080	444	8,935
1975		14,906	4,334	. .	. .	682	1,404	446	9,717
Metal manufacture	VI								
1948		970	323	145	+ 21	29.	195	530	609
1951		1,479	443	210	+ 24	63	236	542	817
1954		1,879	519	268	+ 15	77	281	534	971
		1,778	533	274	+ 15	81	289	550	968
1958		2,325	689	404	− 6	131	382	568	1,213
1963		2,597	830	464	+ 3	144	472	573	1,449
		2,602	833	466	+ 3	144	474	576	1,447
1968		3,524	1,069	623	+ 48	123	602	546	1,958
1970		4,404	1,464	797	+ 63	286	799	576	2.541
		4,404	1,552	797	+ 63	286	799	576	2,694
1971		3,935	1,350	768	− 28	357	818	546	2,472
1972		4,236	1,480	796	+ 33	275	853	503	2,942
1973		5,270	1,887	935	+ 135	259	960	498	3,790
1974		7,210	2,565	. .	. .	400	1,184	496	5,171
1975		7,474	2,489	. .	. .	631	1,483	495	5,028
Engineering and allied industries	VII, VIII, IX, X, XI, XII								
1948		3,055	1,534	930	+120	86	975	2,961	518
1951		4,408	1,989	1,264	+263	126	1,224	3,134	634
1954		5,644	2,622	1,582	+ 54	168	1,618	3,338	786
		5,297	2,489	1,544	+ 56	160	1,497	3,098	804
1958		7,433	3,227	2,179	+ 52	253	2,019	3,261	990
1963		9,845	4,493	2,764	+ 76	337	2,619	3,422	1,313
		9,770	4,457	2,832	+ 69	334	2,596	3,395	1,314
1968		13,517	6,411	4,475	+280	457	3,571	3,414	1,878
1970		17,096	7,553	5,270	+ 649	666	4,497	3,539	2,143
		17,096	7,698	5,270	+ 649	666	4,497	3,539	2,175
1971		18,348	8,285	5,370	+ 215	584	4,889	3,451	2,401
1972		19,102	9,043	5,778	+ 317	522	5,153	3,288	2,750
1973		22,149	10,464	6,795	+1,221	676	5,943	3,351	3,123
1974		27,729	12,440	. .	. .	1,015	7,234	3,417	3,641
1975		33,030	14,964	. .	. .	1,100	8,969	3,335	4,487

See *Note* on page 201 and footnotes on page 203.

Source: Business Statistics Office

Censuses of production: summary table

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				At end of year	Change during year				
		£ million						Thousands	£
Textiles, leather and clothing	XIII, XIV, XV								
1948		1,968	733	410	+68	45	377	1,532	478
1951		3,339	935	669	+66	62	495	1,683	556
1954		2,934	968	603	+37	65	564	1,631	593
		2,892	964	606	+38	65	560	1,621	595
1958		2,763	967	589	–45	59	609	1,433	674
1963		3,226	1,245	686	+36	86	692	1,308	952
		3,204	1,236	683	+37	84	689	1,303	948
1968		3,933	1,614	821	+77	147	866	1,159	1,393
1970		4,420	1,796	922	+25	173	1,017	1,149	1,563
		4,420	1,838	922	+25	173	1,017	1,149	1,599
1971		4,643	1,981	931	+32	148	1,099	1,113	1,779
1972		4,987	2,150	1,003	+103	141	1,168	1,068	2,013
1973		5,911	2,565	1,200	+216	232	1,318	1,066	2,406
1974		7,157	2,883	. .	. .	288	1,573	1,054	2,735
1975		7,749	3,167	. .	. .	269	1,882	1,013	3,126
Other manufactures	XVI, XVII, XVIII, XIX								
1948		1,367	693	234	+37	51	384	1,217	569
1951		2,174	924	435	+147	70	492	1,310	705
1954		2,297	1,058	372	+34	85	605	1,322	800
		2,305	1,066	387	+36	88	611	1,338	797
1958		2,914	1,313	483	–3	129	786	1,348	974
1963		3,999	1,956	628	+21	184	1,065	1,457	1,342
		3,949	1,933	621	+20	182	1,053	1,444	1,339
1968		5,802	2,838	889	+90	288	1,488	1,466	1,935
1970		7,124	3,440	1,102	+92	334	1,840	1,514	2,272
		7,124	3,651	1,102	+92	334	1,840	1,514	2,411
1971		7,922	4,090	1,192	+69	354	2,022	1,477	2,769
1972		8,919	4,670	1,284	+105	366	2,226	1,453	3,214
1973		10,490	5,431	1,559	+363	472	2,539	1,475	3,682
1974		13,564	6,502	. .	. .	589	3,129	1,494	4,352
1975		14,980	7,227	. .	. .	560	3,738	1,443	5,008

See *Note* on page 201.

[1] For 1948, excluding payments to other firms for transport outwards on finished goods sold. For years prior to 1958, excluding goods for merchanting and canteen supplies. For years prior to 1963, excluding the value of services rendered to other organisations. [2] Figures of output include a substantial amount of duplication represented by the total value of partly manufactured goods sold by one industrial establishment to another. The extent of duplication varies from one census industry to another. [3] The definition of net output used for 1973 onwards does not provide for the deduction of amounts payable to other organisations for transport of goods within the United Kingdom. The 1970 (below the line), 1971 and 1972 figures have been reworked on the new basis. [4] The figures include goods for merchanting and canteen supplies in 1958, 1963, 1968, and from 1970 onwards, these were excluded in previous years. [5] New and second-hand plant, machinery and vehicles and new building work (excluding site values and development charges). For 1963, 1968, and from 1970, expenditure on land and existing buildings is also included. Expenditure on new establishments which had not commenced production in the year is included in the figures for 1951, 1954, and from 1970 and also in the figures for the coal mining, gas and electricity industries in 1958, 1963, and 1968. [6] The figures include working proprietors but exclude outworkers. The figures also include for the years 1958, 1963, 1968, and from 1970 onwards, persons engaged in merchanting or factoring and canteen workers. [7] The construction industry was not included in the Censuses for 1970, 1971, 1972 and 1973. [8] Great Britain only. From 1958 onwards, stocks of materials and work in progress are included for the coal mining industry. [9] Figures for stocks and work in progress exclude water undertakings and work in progress in the gas industry.

Source: Business Statistics Office

Censuses of production: summary table

TABLE **8.1** *(continued)*

	Standard Industrial Classification 1968 order numbers	Estimates for all firms							
		Gross output (production) [1] [2]	Net output [3]	Stocks and work in progress [4]		Capital expenditure less disposals [5]	Wages and salaries	Average number of persons employed [6]	Net output per person employed
				At end of year	Change during year				
		£ million						Thousands	£
Principal non-manufacturing industries									
Mining and quarrying [8]	II								
1948		509	407	9	+2	26	324	834	488
1951		617	471	12	+3	34	372	810	581
1954		775	577	14	—	79	462	833	693
		746	575	14	—	78	461	832	690
1958		988	723	139	+22	106	565	832	869
1963		1,051	772	124	−25	97	513	649	1,190
		1,049	771	124	−25	97	486	648	1,189
1968		1,040	727	149	−8	94	423	441	1,649
1970		1,202	802	99	−20	132	434	387	2,073
		1,202	892	99	−20	132	434	387	2,305
1971		1,205	868	113	+5	161	447	380	2,284
1972		1,452	1,068	133	+34	220	555	362	2,950
1973		1,443	989	119	−9	361	587	351	2,817
1974		. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .
1975		. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .
Construction	XX								
1948		1,216	631	. .	. .	. .	468	1,679	376
1951		1,600	770	. .	. .	34	576	1,659	464
1954		2,053	983	. .	. .	48	720	1,668	589
		1,997	933	. .	. .	46	674	1,567	595
1958		2,780	1,245	104	−2	66	883	1,574	791
1963		3,866	1,819	194	+10	106	1,235	1,691	1,076
		3,903	1,834	196	+10	107	1,265	1,678	1,093
1968		5,935	2,696	229	−1	163	1,665	1,586	1,699
1970 [7]		. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .
1971 [7]		. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .
1972 [7]		. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .
1973 [7]		. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .
1974		12,932	5,624	425	+66	351	3,298	1,509	3,728
1975		14,124	6,270	. .	. .	359	3,818	1,437	4,363
Gas, electricity and Water [9]	XXI								
1948		482	261	. .	. .	132	113	327	798
1951		607	327	. .	. .	211	149	370	884
1954		810	437	. .	. .	295	185	379	1,153
		795	438	. .	. .	298	186	379	1,156
1958		1,173	621	105	. .	369	243	383	1,625
1963		1,732	982	157	+15	655	339	406	2,417
		1,732	982	157	+15	655	338	406	2,417
1968		2,544	1,572	205	−18	841	460	409	3,843
1970		2,841	1,664	261	+4	784	537	381	4,374
		2,841	1,667	261	+4	784	537	381	4,375
1971		3,192	1,883	269	−3	761	603	366	5,144
1972		3,559	2,134	334	+3	742	676	352	6,062
1973		3,726	1,996	336	—	824	697	344	5,808
1974		4,882	2,502	. .	. .	1,027	894	346	7,235
1975		6,343	3,346	. .	. .	1,382	1,124	345	9,692

See *Note* on page 201 and footnotes on page 203.

Source: Business Statistics Office

Index of industrial production [1]

TABLE 8.2

Average 1970 = 100

	Order numbers and Minimum List Headings [2]	1970 Weights	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total all industries [3]	II-XXI	1,000	91.7	97.2	99.8	100.0	100.3	102.5	110.0	107.0	101.7	102.2
Mining and quarrying	II	37	114.5	111.2	104.0	100.0	100.0	84.1	92.6	78.8	86.0	89.2
Coal mining	101	30	126.8	117.1	107.7	100.0	98.4	76.4	84.2	70.0	81.1	74.7
Other mining and quarrying	102-109	7	81.6	86.8	89.0	100.0	106.5	116.3	127.1	115.0	106.1	149.1
Manufacturing industries: total [3]	III-XIX	745	89.8	96.0	99.6	100.0	99.5	102.1	110.7	109.1	102.5	103.4
Food, drink and tobacco	III	84	93.0	95.5	98.6	100.0	100.6	104.9	109.3	109.9	108.6	110.6
Food	211-229	52	95.6	97.3	99.5	100.0	99.9	104.0	106.3	104.5	101.1	103.2
Drink and tobacco	231-240	32	88.5	92.5	97.0	100.0	101.9	106.5	114.2	118.8	121.1	122.7
Chemicals, coal and petroleum products	IV-V	65	82.7	89.2	94.6	100.0	102.3	107.5	119.7	125.4	113.8	124.8
Coal and petroleum products	IV	7	76.4	83.7	91.7	100.0	103.3	102.5	110.0	106.0	92.0	96.3
Chemicals and allied industries	V	58	83.4	89.9	95.0	100.0	102.1	108.1	120.9	127.8	116.5	128.4
Metal manufacture	VI	57	92.0	98.0	100.3	100.0	91.3	91.4	100.0	91.7	78.6	85.2
Ferrous	311-313	43	91.4	96.8	100.4	100.0	89.8	89.4	97.3	87.7	74.2	82.0
Non-ferrous	321-323	14	94.0	101.5	99.8	100.0	95.8	97.3	108.5	104.2	92.2	95.2
Engineering and allied industries	VII-XII	319	90.0	95.1	100.3	100.0	98.9	99.3	107.5	108.7	103.7	99.8
Total engineering	VII-IX	182	87.5	91.2	97.1	100.0	99.8	99.4	110.2	113.7	109.2	103.6
Mechanical engineering	VII	100	88.3	92.0	97.0	100.0	98.0	94.1	102.8	107.2	105.2	97.3
Instrument engineering	VIII	15	76.9	86.0	92.2	100.0	103.3	102.0	110.2	118.0	118.6	114.3
Electrical engineering	IX	67	88.2	91.2	98.3	100.0	101.7	106.6	121.3	122.6	113.2	110.6
Shipbuilding	X	16	93.0	95.0	94.8	100.0	98.7	89.5	90.6	92.4	98.0	88.9
Vehicles	XI	73	94.5	102.9	106.9	100.0	100.2	104.0	107.6	103.0	96.7	96.8
Motor vehicles	381	45	83.8	93.5	99.1	100.0	100.5	102.2	104.6	95.5	87.8	89.4
Other vehicles	380,382-385	28	113.8	118.2	119.6	100.0	99.7	106.8	112.6	115.2	111.1	109.0
Metal goods not elsewhere specified	XII	48	90.2	98.3	104.1	100.0	93.3	95.4	102.9	103.6	95.2	93.6
Textiles, leather and clothing	XIII-XV	76	88.3	98.9	100.4	100.0	102.2	104.5	110.1	103.1	99.5	101.5
Textiles	XIII	49	84.1	97.1	100.2	100.0	100.6	102.9	108.6	99.2	93.8	97.3
Leather, leather goods and fur	XIV	3	96.7	104.4	103.0	100.0	103.0	104.5	101.1	94.9	92.9	95.3
Clothing and footwear	XV	24	97.8	101.8	100.4	100.0	105.4	107.8	114.6	112.2	112.2	111.1
Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.	XVI	27	97.7	103.7	104.1	100.0	108.1	115.2	126.0	116.6	107.7	110.4
Bricks, cement, etc.	461, 464-469	17	100.8	106.3	103.4	100.0	107.0	115.1	123.7	108.3	99.7	100.8
Pottery and glass	462,463	10	92.0	99.7	105.2	100.0	109.8	115.3	129.5	129.5	120.4	125.4
Timber, furniture, etc.	XVII	22	98.8	106.5	99.7	100.0	103.0	113.5	132.6	112.1	110.2	111.1
Paper, printing and publishing	XVIII	64	92.5	96.2	99.3	100.0	97.3	102.6	112.1	108.8	95.5	97.6
Other manufacturing industries	XIX	31	85.2	95.7	99.5	100.0	99.8	104.3	116.6	114.5	105.5	114.5
Construction	XX	146	100.4	102.7	102.0	100.0	103.1	104.9	107.0	97.9	92.6	88.9
Gas, electricity and water	XXI	72	86.0	91.5	96.0	100.0	103.9	111.4	118.1	118.7	120.6	123.9
Market sector analysis: [4]												
All industries other than construction	II-XIX, XXI (part)	850	90.2	96.2	99.5	100.0	99.9	102.1	110.6	108.6	103.3	104.5
Consumer goods industries		249		95.4	98.2	100.0	102.5	109.7	118.6	116.3	110.4	111.8
Cars, etc.		16		106.8	100.9	100.0	108.3	118.5	110.8	97.1	80.2	82.2
Other durables		45		92.5	96.9	100.0	106.0	120.7	138.7	133.6	125.6	123.4
Clothing and footwear, etc.		36		99.1	100.3	100.0	103.8	105.9	111.3	108.8	107.9	108.2
Food, drink and tobacco		75		95.8	98.5	100.0	100.8	105.1	109.3	110.5	108.9	110.2
Other		77		92.7	97.2	100.0	100.4	107.7	120.7	119.3	110.4	114.5
Investment goods industries		238		94.7	100.1	100.0	98.2	95.6	103.9	106.4	103.8	99.2
Electrical		57		93.3	98.7	100.0	99.9	97.1	107.8	112.2	107.5	106.5
Transport		73		100.8	105.8	100.0	98.0	97.4	103.4	102.4	101.0	98.4
Other		108		91.4	97.0	100.0	97.4	93.6	102.3	106.2	103.7	95.9
Intermediate goods industries		363		97.8	99.9	100.0	99.2	101.1	109.4	104.8	98.2	103.1
Energy		99		97.5	98.3	100.0	103.2	102.2	109.6	105.2	108.9	113.2
Materials		264		97.9	100.5	100.0	97.7	100.7	109.3	104.6	94.2	99.3

[1] The weights shown are those used in the compilation of the index from 1968 onwards. Figures for earlier years were recalculated on the 1970 base using the basic methods described in the May 1972 issue of *Economic Trends.* For further notes on the general method of constructing the index see *The Measurement of Changes in Production,* Studies in Official Statistics No 25 (HMSO 1976). [2] The Order numbers and Minimum List Headings are those of the Standard Industrial Classification 1968. [3] For certain industries within manufacturing, delivery rather than production indicators are used to represent output. An adjustment to allow for this effect is included in the estimates shown in table 14.10 for 1971 and later years. [4] Figures are not available before 1968.

Source: Central Statistical Office.

Total inland energy consumption

TABLE 8.11

Heat supplied basis

Million therms[1]

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Inland energy consumption of primary fuels and equivalents	76,803	76,562	79,293	81,992	84,146	82,741	84,432	88,301	83,839	80,421	81,709
Coal [2]	45,565	42,715	42,747	41,667	39,299	34,828	30,507	33,043	29,090	29,264	29,780
Petroleum [3]	28,597	30,621	32,520	35,103	37,615	37,994	40,782	41,368	38,185	34,259	33,758
Nuclear and hydro-electricity [4]	2,323	2,691	2,818	2,868	2,746	2,686	2,879	2,785	3,281	2,985	3,408
Natural gas [5]	318	535	1,208	2,354	4,486	7,233	10,264	11,105	13,283	13,913	14,763
less Energy used by fuel producers and losses in conversion and distribution	23,238	23,209	24,124	25,224	26,193	25,739	26,392	27,267	25,555	24,545	24,380
Total consumption by final users	53,565	53,353	55,169	56,768	57,953	57,002	58,040	61,034	58,284	55,876	57,329
Analysed by type of fuel											
Coal (direct use)	16,122	14,402	13,613	12,883	11,839	9,867	8,085	8,064	7,544	6,420	6,022
Coke and breeze	6,032	5,636	5,740	5,553	5,141	4,023	3,661	3,859	3,396	2,934	3,182
Other solid fuel [6]	623	667	767	856	867	926	951	905	856	785	703
Coke oven gas	483	461	483	452	462	444	441	512	387	412	433
Town gas	3,685	3,983	4,352	4,536	4,266	3,526	3,213	2,323	1,523	713	212
Natural gas (direct use)	—	1	82	426	1,454	3,744	5,980	8,172	10,217	11,597	13,182
Electricity	5,222	5,391	5,820	6,245	6,567	6,757	7,003	7,502	7,287	7,262	7,358
Petroleum (direct use)	21,034	22,492	24,063	25,628	27,198	27,617	28,634	29,623	27,024	25,715	26,193
Other fuels (direct use) [7]	364	320	249	189	159	98	72	74	50	38	44
Analysed by classes of consumer											
Agriculture	643	663	721	745	750	792	849	883	747	731	694
Iron and steel industry	6,849	6,490	6,871	7,087	7,193	6,561	6,312	6,575	5,542	4,890	5,302
Other industries	16,230	16,270	16,647	17,053	17,496	17,506	17,944	19,215	18,249	17,063	17,525
Railways	1,021	762	625	619	640	597	559	558	528	512	491
Road transport	6,886	7,341	7,795	8,080	8,505	8,897	9,343	9,974	9,712	9,507	9,922
Water transport	533	516	469	487	505	454	391	436	496	519	526
Air transport	1,164	1,309	1,424	1,480	1,536	1,686	1,792	1,908	1,675	1,723	1,777
Domestic	14,407	14,154	14,529	14,720	14,643	14,141	14,395	14,917	15,086	14,713	14,546
Public services	2,944	3,079	3,182	3,354	3,454	3,422	3,488	3,558	3,318	3,228	3,456
Miscellaneous	2,888	2,769	2,906	3,143	3,231	2,946	2,967	3,010	2,931	2,990	3,090

[1] Estimates of the gross calorific values used for converting the statistics for the various fuels to therms are given in the *Digest of United Kingdom Energy Statistics 1977* [2] Including net trade and stock change in other solid fuels. [3] Deliveries of petroleum products for inland consumption *plus* refinery fuel and refinery losses. Liquid fuels derived from coal (which are included in coal consumption) and petroleum products not used as fuels (chemical feedstock, industrial and white spirits, lubricants, bitumen and wax) are excluded. [4] The figures for nuclear and hydro-electricity are the thermal inputs that would have been required had the electricity supplied from these sources been produced at contemporary steam stations. [5] Natural gas includes both indigenous and imported natural gas and colliery methane piped to the surface and consumed at collieries or disposed of. [6] Including briquettes, ovoids, Phurnacite, Coalite, Rexco, etc. [7] Liquid fuels derived from coal.

Source: Department of Energy

Coal: supply and demand

TABLE **8.12**

Million tons

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Supply											
Production of deep-mined coal	167.6	165.0	157.2	144.2	134.5	134.3	107.4	118.1	98.4	115.5	108.5
Production of opencast coal	7.0	7.1	6.9	6.3	7.8	10.5	10.2	10.0	9.1	10.2	11.7
Total	174.6	172.1	164.1	150.5	142.3	144.8	117.6	128.1	107.5	125.7	120.2
Recovered slurry, fines etc.	1.5	2.7	3.1	2.7	2.5	2.3	2.3	1.8	1.2	0.9	1.6
Imports	–	–	–	–	0.1	4.2	4.9	1.6	3.5	5.0	2.8
Total	176.1	174.8	167.2	153.2	144.9	151.3	124.8	131.5	112.2	131.6	124.6
Change in colliery stocks	– 3.4	+ 8.2	+ 0.8	– 8.5	–10.1	+ 1.7	+ 0.6	+ 0.1	– 3.5	+ 4.8	+ 0.4
Change in stocks at opencast sites	+ 0.4	+ 0.9	–	– 1.0	– 1.3	+ 1.4	+ 0.1	– 0.1	– 1.3	– 0.2	– 0.4
Total supply	179.1	165.7	166.4	162.7	156.3	148.2	124.1	131.5	117.0	127.0	124.6
Home consumption											
Electricity supply industry[1]	68.6	67.2	73.2	75.9	76.0	71.7	65.6	75.6	66.0	73.4	76.6
Gas supply industry	16.9	14.6	10.7	6.9	4.2	1.8	0.6	0.5	0.1	–	–
Coke ovens	24.8	23.6	24.9	25.3	24.9	23.2	20.1	21.5	18.2	18.8	19.1
Low temperature carbonization plants	1.7	2.0	2.2	2.4	2.6	2.7	3.0	2.2	2.6	2.5	2.0
Manufactured fuel plants	1.0	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.7	1.5	1.3	1.1	1.5	1.4
Railways	1.7	0.8	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Collieries	3.1	2.9	2.4	2.0	1.9	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.2	1.2	1.1
Industry:											
Iron and steel	1.3	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.8	0.6	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.2
Other industries[2]	23.9	22.0	21.8	20.5	18.5	15.0	11.2	11.5	10.5	9.3	8.6
Agriculture	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	–	–
Water transport	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	–	–	–	–	–
Domestic:											
House coal[3]	20.9	18.8	18.1	16.8	15.2	12.9	10.4	10.3	9.8	7.9	7.5
Anthracite and dry steam coal[3] [4]	1.8	1.7	1.9	1.9	2.0	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.6	1.6	1.3
Miners' coal	3.8	3.6	3.2	2.9	2.7	2.5	2.2	2.2	2.0	2.0	1.9
Public services	3.4	3.2	3.0	3.1	2.9	2.4	2.1	2.0	1.9	1.5	1.6
Miscellaneous	1.4	0.9	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3
Total home consumption	174.7	163.8	164.5	161.1	154.4	138.7	120.9	131.2	116.0	120.3	121.7
Overseas shipments and bunkers	2.8	1.9	2.7	3.5	3.2	2.6	1.8	2.7	1.6	1.8	1.2
Total consumption and shipments	177.5	165.7	167.2	164.6	157.6	141.3	122.7	133.9	117.6	122.1	122.9
Change in distributed stocks[5]	+ 1.9	+ 0.2	– 0.6	– 1.7	– 1.0	+ 6.5	+ 1.0	– 2.3	– 1.2	+ 4.6	+1.9
Balance[6]	– 0.3	– 0.2	– 0.2	– 0.2	– 0.3	+ 0.4	+ 0.4	– 0.1	+ 0.6	+ 0.3	– 0.2
Stocks at end of year[7]											
Distributed[5]	18.4	18.6	17.1	15.4	14.4	20.9	21.9	16.8	15.6	20.2	22.1
At collieries	15.3	23.4	23.8	15.3	5.3	7.0	7.5	7.5	4.0	8.8	9.2
At opencast sites	3.3	4.3	4.2	3.2	1.8	3.2	3.4	3.2	1.9	1.7	1.3
Total stocks	37.0	46.3	45.1	33.9	21.5	31.1	32.8	27.5	21.5	30.7	32.6

TIME SERIES. Figures relate to periods of 52 weeks.

[1] Includes quantities used in the production of steam for sale. [2] From October 1973 the figures relate to colliery disposals to industry. [3] From April 1973 the figures relate to colliery disposals for the domestic market. [4] Including disposals of imports. [5] Great Britain. Stock change in 1973 and thereafter excludes industrial and domestic stocks. For an analysis of these stocks see Table 8.16. [6] This is the balance between supply and consumption, shipments and changes in known distributed stocks. [7] Figures shown for stocks at end of year for 1967 and 1972 relate to position at 23 December. Stock change in 1968 is calculated on stocks at 30 December 1967, and in 1973 is calculated on stocks at 30 December 1972.

Source: Department of Energy.

Coal: production[1]

Great Britain

TABLE 8.13

Years ended March

Million tons

	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72 [2]	1972/73	1973/74 [2]	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77
Total—Saleable mined coal	139.78	133.34	109.22	127.02	97.12	114.99	112.64	106.72
Scottish	11.15	11.24	10.36	11.11	8.81	9.97	9.67	9.00
North East	20.50	18.93	15.51	17.65	13.54	14.56	14.35	12.92
North Yorkshire	9.22	9.48	8.44	9.92	7.23	8.27	8.31	8.07
Doncaster	8.53	8.01	6.81	8.67	6.54	8.30	7.88	7.75
Barnsley	8.04	7.79	6.73	8.08	6.09	7.63	7.39	7.19
South Yorkshire	10.10	9.47	7.62	9.42	7.57	8.14	7.83	7.66
North Derbyshire	10.59	9.78	7.56	8.25	6.31	7.73	7.78	7.23
North Nottingham	11.78	12.10	9.57	11.80	9.03	10.83	10.59	10.48
South Nottingham	11.15	10.56	8.42	9.95	7.83	9.70	9.65	8.91
South Midlands	10.35	9.87	7.76	8.66	6.77	8.62	8.94	8.69
Western	15.58	14.43	10.74	12.72	10.03	12.58	11.93	11.16
South Wales	12.79	11.68	9.70	10.79	7.37	8.66	8.32	7.66

TIME SERIES. Figures relate to periods of 52 weeks.

[1] Mines operated by the National Coal Board. Excludes coal extracted in work on capital account (0.07 million tons in 1976/77). [2] Production was affected by a miners' strike in the first two months of 1972, and February/March 1974.

Source: Department of Energy

Coal: average number of wage-earners on colliery books[1]

Great Britain

TABLE 8.14

Years ended March

Thousands

	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77
Total	305.1	287.2	281.5	268.1	252.0	246.0	247.1	242.0
Scottish	30.6	29.7	29.4	27.5	25.2	24.4	24.2	23.1
North East	50.6	47.8	47.6	44.2	40.6	37.7	36.6	35.4
North Yorkshire	18.0	17.0	16.9	16.2	15.1	14.9	15.4	15.3
Doncaster	17.9	17.4	17.1	16.8	16.5	16.8	17.2	17.1
Barnsley	19.5	18.2	17.7	17.2	16.4	16.6	16.7	16.5
South Yorkshire	21.8	20.6	20.0	18.9	18.2	17.9	18.0	17.8
North Derbyshire	17.5	14.7	14.1	13.6	13.2	12.6	12.6	12.4
North Nottingham	18.8	18.6	18.8	18.5	17.6	17.4	17.7	17.6
South Nottingham	16.9	16.6	16.4	15.9	15.4	15.4	15.8	15.7
South Midlands	17.4	16.6	16.4	15.5	14.7	15.1	16.1	16.0
Western	33.5	31.4	29.9	28.8	26.8	25.8	25.7	25.0
South Wales	42.6	38.6	37.2	35.0	32.3	31.4	31.1	30.1

[1] Mines operated by the National Coal Board.

Source: Department of Energy

Coal: output per manshift

Great Britain

TABLE 8.15

Years ended March

Cwt

	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77
Total	43.4	44.1	41.9	45.8	42.3	45.0	44.8	43.6
Scottish	36.8	37.9	38.1	39.5	38.8	39.5	39.4	38.6
North East	37.3	36.6	34.9	38.3	36.0	37.4	38.6	36.4
North Yorkshire	49.4	53.1	54.9	59.8	52.9	52.0	51.7	50.6
Doncaster	47.9	47.8	45.4	53.6	47.5	50.7	48.4	48.2
Barnsley	42.0	43.2	43.6	47.4	42.4	46.1	45.1	44.4
South Yorkshire	46.2	45.1	42.7	49.0	47.2	44.7	43.5	43.1
North Derbyshire	56.0	60.9	57.3	58.6	52.5	58.1	59.2	55.6
North Nottingham	58.7	60.8	54.2	60.2	54.9	58.7	57.3	56.9
South Nottingham	58.6	57.3	54.3	58.3	53.6	57.7	57.9	54.1
South Midlands	52.7	52.6	48.3	51.7	48.2	52.1	51.5	51.1
Western	42.7	42.0	37.6	41.4	39.9	46.3	44.6	43.0
Wales	28.6	29.8	28.4	29.5	25.1	26.5	26.9	25.9

[1] Mines operated by the National Coal Board.

Source: Department of Energy

Coal: distributed stocks [1]

Great Britain

TABLE 8.16

End of period

Thousand tons

	Power stations	Gas works	Coke ovens	Other distributed stocks	Total
1965	10,027	1,445	1,295	334	13,101
1966	11,833	1,630	1,333	334	15,130
1967	12,744	1,261	1,385	246	15,636
1968	12,490	726	1,107	231	14,554
1969	11,018	461	1,231	225	12,935
1970	9,575	276	1,434	342	11,627
1971	15,712	72	1,777	421	17,982
1972 [2]	16,791	50	1,890	314	19,045
1973	14,537	27	1,937	265	16,766
1974	13,414	3	1,822	338	15,577
1975	17,668	2	2,296	250	20,216
1976 March	15,738	1	2,491	240	18,470
June	18,410	1	2,541	240	21,192
September	20,785	1	2,251	240	23,277
December	19,288	2	2,642	170	22,102
1977 March	15,586	2	2,319	170	18,077
June	17,066	1	2,227	180	19,474

[1] Excluding stocks held in merchants' yards and stocks held by the industrial sector. [2] At 23 December.

Source: Department of Energy

Coal-mining: persons killed and injured[1]

TABLE **8.17**

Great Britain

	Total underground and surface	Underground				Surface: all causes
		Total	By falls of ground	Haulage accidents	Other	
Number of persons killed						
1968	115	105	41	33	31	10
1969	100	84	28	30	26	16
1970	91	82	26	44	12	9
1971	72	66	24	21	21	6
1972	64	57	17	24	16	7
1973	80	74	18	18	38	6
1974	48	37	13	11	13	11
1975	64	55	8	22	25	9
1976	50	45	14	15	16	5
Death rates[2]						
1968	*0.14*	*0.18*	*0.07*	*0.06*	*0.05*	*0.05*
1969	*0.14*	*0.16*	*0.05*	*0.06*	*0.05*	*0.09*
1970	*0.14*	*0.17*	*0.06*	*0.09*	*0.02*	*0.05*
1971	*0.11*	*0.14*	*0.05*	*0.04*	*0.05*	*0.03*
1972	*0.12*	*0.15*	*0.04*	*0.06*	*0.05*	*0.05*
1973	*0.14*	*0.18*	*0.04*	*0.05*	*0.09*	*0.04*
1974	*0.10*	*0.10*	*0.04*	*0.03*	*0.03*	*0.09*
1975	*0.12*	*0.14*	*0.02*	*0.05*	*0.06*	*0.06*
1976	*0.10*	*0.12*	*0.04*	*0.04*	*0.04*	*0.04*
Number of serious injuries [3]						
1968	851	761	249	278	234	90
1969	712	638	188	231	219	74
1970	641	562	170	216	176	79
1971	641	570	148	185	237	71
1972	519	450	127	186	137	69
1973	553	490	122	175	193	63
1974	497	417	80	180	157	80
1975	586	525	136	198	191	61
1976	535	444	89	187	168	91
Serious injury rates[3]						
1968	*1.08*	*1.29*	*0.42*	*0.47*	*0.40*	*0.44*
1969	*1.02*	*1.24*	*0.37*	*0.45*	*0.42*	*0.40*
1970	*1.00*	*1.20*	*0.36*	*0.46*	*0.38*	*0.46*
1971	*1.00*	*1.21*	*0.31*	*0.39*	*0.51*	*0.42*
1972	*0.98*	*1.15*	*0.33*	*0.47*	*0.35*	*0.49*
1973	*1.00*	*1.20*	*0.30*	*0.43*	*0.47*	*0.43*
1974	*1.02*	*1.16*	*0.22*	*0.50*	*0.44*	*0.62*
1975	*1.08*	*1.30*	*0.34*	*0.49*	*0.47*	*0.44*
1976	*1.02*	*1.14*	*0.23*	*0.48*	*0.43*	*0.68*
Injuries which disabled for more than three days[2]						
1968	140,200	126,859	24,575	11,068	91,216	13,341
1969	117,683	105,636	20,351	8,543	76,742	12,047
1970	90,300	81,087	15,450	6,602	59,035	9,213
1971	77,104	69,303	12,624	6,174	50,505	7,801
1972	58,883	53,097	9,417	4,683	38,997	5,786
1973	66,061	59,921	10,090	5,138	44,693	6,140
1974	49,257	44,198	6,916	3,801	33,481	5,059
1975	53,898	48,595	7,735	3,364	37,496	5,303
1976	50,510	45,323	7,071	2,696	35,556	5,187
Total injury rates[2]						
1968	*178.58*	*217.69*	*42.17*	*18.99*	*156.53*	*65.94*
1969	*169.91*	*207.09*	*39.90*	*16.75*	*150.44*	*66.00*
1970	*141.80*	*173.97*	*33.15*	*14.16*	*126.66*	*53.97*
1971	*120.92*	*148.21*	*27.00*	*13.20*	*108.01*	*45.87*
1972	*112.01*	*137.81*	*24.44*	*12.15*	*101.22*	*41.21*
1973	*120.17*	*147.96*	*24.91*	*12.69*	*110.36*	*42.42*
1974	*102.08*	*124.59*	*19.50*	*10.71*	*94.38*	*39.59*
1975	*100.11*	*121.13*	*19.28*	*8.39*	*93.46*	*38.65*
1976	*97.02*	*116.88*	*18.23*	*6.95*	*91.69*	*39.04*

[1] Where a person sustains more than one injury in a year, each such injury is included. [2] The rates for underground and surface accidents are based upon the number of manshifts worked underground and on the surface, respectively. The figures quoted are rates per 100,000 manshifts. [3] Serious injuries are also included in injuries which disabled for more than three days.

Source: Health and Safety Executive

Coal-mining: earnings

Great Britain

TABLE 8.18

Years ended March

£

	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76
Average weekly earnings per wage-earner											
All ages:											
Total:											
All workers	20.36	21.50	22.54	23.86	25.45	28.95	33.01	38.19	40.09	60.53	78.30
Cash earnings:											
All workers	19.14	20.15	21.13	22.38	23.82	27.07	30.93	35.67	37.53	57.52	74.00
Underground	20.03	21.06	22.13	23.34	24.93	28.35	31.96	36.56	38.46	58.65	75.86
Surface	15.67	16.67	17.34	18.71	19.80	22.64	27.10	32.32	34.04	53.18	66.81
Value of allowances in kind:											
All workers	1.22	1.35	1.41	1.48	1.63	1.88	2.08	2.52	2.56	3.01	4.30
Adult wage-earners[1]:											
Total	21.06	22.15	23.25	24.53	26.11	29.59	33.96	39.10	40.83	60.98	79.05
Average earnings per manshift worked											
All ages:											
Total:											
All workers	4.28	4.50	4.68	4.90	5.20	5.81	6.65	7.88	9.33	12.54	15.98
Cash earnings:											
All workers	4.03	4.22	4.39	4.60	4.87	5.43	6.23	7.36	8.73	11.92	15.10
Underground	4.31	4.51	4.69	4.90	5.18	5.75	6.57	7.70	9.11	12.41	15.74
Surface	3.04	3.22	3.35	3.57	3.82	4.37	5.09	6.21	7.41	10.24	12.83
Value of allowances in kind:											
All workers	0.25	0.28	0.29	0.30	0.33	0.38	0.42	0.52	0.60	0.62	0.88
Adult wage-earners[1]:											
Total	4.40	4.62	4.80	5.01	5.25	5.88	6.77	8.01	9.43	12.61	16.09

[1] The figures, which are estimated, relate to adult male workers 21 years of age and over for the years to 1971/72, 20 years of age and over for 1972/73, 19 years of age and over for 1973/74 and 18 years of age and over from 1974/75.

Source: Department of Energy

TABLE 8.19

Coke: supplies and consumption

Million tons

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Production:											
Total	23.35	21.55	20.85	19.58	18.19	15.89	13.42	14.83	12.34	12.37	12.75
Gas works[1]	7.23	6.23	4.60	3.00	1.86	0.76	0.22	0.19	0.01	—	—
Coke ovens	16.12	15.32	16.25	16.58	16.33	15.13	13.20	14.64	12.33	12.37	12.75
Use at gasworks[2]	1.05	0.62	0.33	0.14	0.04	0.01	0.01	—	—	—	—
Use at coke ovens	0.12	0.09	0.07	0.05	0.03	0.11	0.08	—	—	—	—
Change in stocks:											
Gas works	−0.18	+0.10	−0.42	−0.66	−0.29	+0.05	−0.11	+0.07	−0.20	—	—
Coke ovens	−0.07	−0.02	−0.33	−0.60	−0.26	+0.67	+0.60	+0.44	−1.30	+0.93	+0.64
Losses in screening, etc.	0.85	0.67	0.78	0.79	0.82	0.71	0.67	0.70	0.91	0.79	0.76
Imports	—	—	—	—	—	0.02	0.09	0.05	—	—	—
Total supply	21.58	20.09	20.42	19.86	17.85	14.36	12.26	13.67	12.93	10.65	11.35
Consumption											
Total consumption and shipments	21.66	20.04	20.41	19.64	18.07	13.97	12.65	13.62	12.96	10.72	11.28
Inland consumption:											
Total	21.03	19.57	19.93	19.05	17.57	13.68	12.40	13.20	11.74	9.90	10.70
Blast furnaces	10.60	9.94	10.77	10.65	10.62	9.27	8.83	9.81	8.23	7.14	8.25
Railways	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.02	—	—	—	—	—
Domestic[3]	4.35	4.19	3.83	3.35	2.59	1.66	1.25	1.68	1.80	1.40	1.29
Other inland[4]	6.01	5.38	5.27	4.99	4.31	2.73	2.32	1.71	1.71	1.36	1.16
Shipments abroad[5]	0.63	0.47	0.48	0.59	0.50	0.29	0.25	0.42	1.22	0.82	0.58

TIME SERIES. Figures relate to periods of 52 weeks.

[1] Excluding coke used for heating retorts. [2] Including sales and transfers within Gas Board areas. [3] Prior to April 1973, the figures relate to disposals by merchants to consumers taking less than 10 tons a year, *plus* in the case of gas coke, direct sales to domestic premises by gas works. From April 1973, the figures relate to all disposals to merchants by producers, and from January 1975 includes issues to personnel at coke ovens. For gas coke, figures for disposals since June 1975 have assumed negligible proportions and details since then are not available. The figures shown for 1975, include gas coke up to the end of June 1975. [4] This is a balancing item after taking account of changes in known distributed stocks. [5] Disposals for export from coke ovens and gasworks.

Source: Department of Energy

Gas: fuel used and production[1]

TABLE **8.20**

Great Britain

	Unit	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Fuel used:												
Coal	Thous. tons	16,511	14,197	10,497	6,779	4,149	1,735	536	476	89	9	8
Oil	" "	3,143	4,059	5,117	5,203	3,335	1,664	1,356	1,550	884	388	124
Total gas available	Mn. cu. ft.	809,680	875,780	978,550	1,060,810	1,110,940	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Mn. therms	4,026	4,339	4,871	5,486	6,318	8,047	10,592	11,614	13,430	13,799	14,467
Gas made at gasworks:												
Total	Mn. therms	2,552	2,673	2,794	2,589	1,672	828	587	708	392	162	47
Coal gas	" "	1,215	1,035	768	491	296	126	34	31	8	2	1
Water gas and other gas	" "	404	239	141	75	40						
Oil gas	" "	933	1,399	1,885	2,023	1,336	702	553	677	384	160	46
Gas bought:												
Total	" "	1,474	1,666	2,077	2,897	4,646	7,219	10,005	10,906	13,038	13,637	14,420
From coke oven	" "	418	397	368	340	296	222	83	54	30	10	9
From oil refineries	" "	791	789	647	584	422	315	293	256	104	39	17
Natural gas	" "	265	480	1,062	1,973	3,928	6,682	9,629	10,596	12,904	13,588	14,394

[1] Public supply system.

Source: Department of Energy

Gas: sales [1]

TABLE **8.21**

Great Britain

Million therms

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total	3,629	3,869	4,416	4,973	5,750	7,490	9,757	10,700	12,634	13,081	13,969
Domestic	2,130	2,382	2,812	3,194	3,522	3,910	4,489	4,796	5,360	5,869	6,174
Industrial	931	894	956	1,081	1,472	2,720	4,278	4,827	6,011	5,870	6,258
Commercial	509	534	582	627	685	774	878	938	1,106	1,171	1,343
Public administration [2]	59	59	66	71	71	86	112	139	157	171	194

[1] Public supply system. [2] National and local government, including public lighting.

Source: Department of Energy

Electricity: production and fuel used[1]

TABLE 8.22

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
	GWh										
Electricity generated											
Total	184,835	191,789	205,102	219,087	228,900	236,417	243,438	259,503	251,115	251,952	255,610
England and Wales	164,480	170,189	182,244	193,474	200,421	208,070	212,911	225,237	218,848	219,249	222,124
South of Scotland Electricity Board	12,568	11,949	14,425	16,419	17,532	18,240	19,952	22,912	21,072	22,313	23,176
North of Scotland Hydro-Electric Board	4,124	5,763	4,271	4,599	6,034	4,925	4,950	5,165	5,340	4,514	4,269
Northern Ireland	3,006	3,258	3,537	3,910	4,249	4,505	4,932	5,486	5,206	5,187	5,351
Railway and transport authorities	657	630	625	685	664	677	693	703	649	689	690
Method of generation											
Steam plant (nuclear): Total	17,848	21,279	24,056	25,271	21,870	23,209	25,304	23,658	29,395	26,518	32,419
England and Wales	15,392	18,813	21,549	22,582	19,230	20,679	23,011	21,416	26,928	23,940	28,298
South of Scotland Electricity Board	2,456	2,466	2,507	2,689	2,640	2,530	2,293	2,242	2,467	2,578	4,121
Steam plant (other): Total	162,349	164,870	176,498	188,870	200,532	208,485	212,786	230,595	216,350	220,301	218,185
England and Wales	147,870	150,301	159,611	169,470	179,184	186,144	187,951	202,177	190,428	194,333	193,111
South of Scotland Electricity Board	9,698	9,052	11,533	13,392	14,540	15,502	17,338	20,408	18,293	19,484	18,779
North of Scotland Hydro-Electric Board	1,118	1,629	1,192	1,413	1,895	1,657	1,875	1,840	1,802	702	281
Northern Ireland	3,006	3,258	3,537	3,910	4,249	4,505	4,929	5,467	5,178	5,173	5,324
Railway and transport authorities	657	630	625	685	664	677	693	703	649	609	690
Gas turbines and oil engines: Total	759	594	700	1,017	1,517	969	1,611	1,347	1,139	779	487
England and Wales	572	419	475	771	1,306	806	1,391	1,089	899	460	210
South of Scotland Electricity Board	91	80	116	126	81	23	58	52	16	9	8
North of Scotland Hydro-Electric Board	96	95	109	120	130	140	159	187	196	216	242
Northern Ireland	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	19	28	14	27
Railway and transport authorities	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	80	—
Hydro-electric plant other than pumped storage plant: Total	3,442	4,189	2,997	2,807	3,856	2,844	2,865	3,235	3,534	3,201	3,138
England and Wales	225	245	188	183	259	161	189	188	245	172	153
South of Scotland Electricity Board	323	351	269	212	271	185	263	210	296	242	268
North of Scotland Hydro-electric Board	2,894	3,593	2,540	2,412	3,326	2,498	2,413	2,837	2,993	2,787	2,717
Pumped storage plant: Total	437	857	851	1,122	1,125	910	872	668	697	1,153	1,381
England and Wales	421	411	421	468	442	280	369	367	348	344	352
North of Scotland Hydro-electric Board	16	446	430	654	683	630	503	301	349	809	1,029
	Thousand tons										
Fuel used											
Coal: Total	68,419	67,221	73,510	75,855	76,047	71,612	65,009	75,306	65,800	73,150	76,345
England and Wales	62,569	61,959	67,082	68,865	69,422	65,317	57,908	66,868	58,459	64,437	67,730
South of Scotland Electricity Board	4,678	4,285	5,483	6,158	5,981	5,650	6,514	7,959	6,882	8,432	8,280
North of Scotland Hydro-Electric Board	151	101	137	100	93	23	—	—	—	—	—
Northern Ireland	744	637	665	630	487	584	584	479	459	281	335
Railway and transport authorities	277	239	143	102	64	38	3	—	—	—	—
Coke and coke breeze: Total	554	622	434	168	122	67	43	64	69	134	51
England and Wales	542	608	433	168	122	67	43	64	69	134	51
South of Scotland Electricity Board	12	14	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oil: Total	7,291	7,388	6,410	8,256	12,387	14,524	18,575	16,708	16,922	12,616	9,995
England and Wales	6,296	6,108	5,205	6,810	10,258	11,940	15,717	13,880	14,066	10,538	8,116
South of Scotland Electricity Board	226	267	220	280	699	1,142	1,182	984	1,083	441	357
North of Scotland Hydro-Electric Board	214	344	245	300	414	392	482	469	462	214	120
Northern Ireland	449	556	612	716	855	876	1,004	1,180	1,129	1,225	1,251
Railway and transport authorities	106	113	128	150	161	174	190	195	182	198	151
Natural gas [2]: Total	—	6	34	150	235	1,031	2,472	1,118	3,862	3,365	2,597
England and Wales	—	6	34	150	235	1,031	2,472	1,118	3,862	3,365	2,508
Railway and transport authorities	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	89

[1] Public electricity supply and railway and transport authorities. [2] Expressed in thousand tons of coal equivalent.

Sources: Department of Energy; Scottish Development Department; Department of Commerce (Northern Ireland)

Electricity: generating capacity of plant and demand [1]

Great Britain

TABLE 8.23

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Capacity of generating plant installed at end of year (Megawatt)	46,233	50,031	53,559	55,110	60,538	65,567	68,794	71,125	72,136	71,816	69,852
Simultaneous maximum load on generating stations during the year [2] (Megawatt)	37,909	39,966	42,059	43,027	43,270	44,914	45,868	44,883	46,526	46,677	47,902
Electricity generated (GWh)	181,173	187,901	200,940	214,492	223,987	231,234	237,813	253,314	245,260	246,076	249,569
Electricity supplied net (GWh)	168,123	173,824	185,881	198,268	206,877	213,732	220,053	235,222	227,459	228,372	230,743
System load factor [3] (Percentage)	*51.1*	*50.6*	*51.5*	*51.9*	*52.0*	*53.7*	*55.8*	*56.9*	*56.9*	*56.8*	*55.7*

[1] Public supply stations only. [2] Maximum occurring near the end of the year, or early in the following year. [3] The system load factor is the average hourly quantity of electricity sent out during the year (including purchases from other sources) expressed as a percentage of the maximum potential demand nearest the end of the year or early the following year.

Sources: Department of Energy; Scottish Development Department

Electricity: sales [1]

Great Britain

TABLE 8.24

GWh

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total	156,931	161,664	173,925	185,423	193,907	199,442	206,370	220,591	213,902	213,499	216,282
Domestic and farm premises	61,961	64,365	68,810	74,256	78,989	82,692	88,821	93,279	94,545	90,817	86,737
Domestic and commercial [2]	2,310	2,355	2,441	2,686	2,710	2,766	2,833	2,879	2,692	2,612	2,514
Shops, offices and other commercial premises	22,486	23,899	26,246	28,316	29,918	31,049	32,164	34,894	31,778	34,859	36,294
Factories and other industrial premises	66,732	67,446	72,724	76,304	78,300	78 840	78,486	85,412	80,734	80,656	86,132
Public lighting	1,328	1,379	1,452	1,573	1,682	1,764	1,822	1,946	1,826	2,073	2,150
Traction	2,114	2,220	2,252	2,288	2,308	2,331	2,244	2,181	2,327	2,482	2,455

[1] Public supply system. [2] Premises used for domestic and commercial purposes having a combined tariff.

Sources: Department of Energy; Scottish Development Department

Petroleum: supply and disposals[1]

TABLE 8.25

Thousand tonnes

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Arrivals of crude and process oils [2]	71,437	72,978	83,136	92,819	100,973	106,167	104,148	112,237	111,418	89,842	86,181
Refinery receipts from indigenous production											
Crude petroleum	78	89	84	77	84	83	83	88	88	996	11,376
Condensates[3]	—	—	—	8	34	55	144	147	162	160	135
Total supply.............	71,515	73,067	83,220	92,904	101,091	106,305	104,375	112,472	111,668	90,998	97,692
Throughput of crude and process oils	71,722	73,531	83,100	91,699	101,911	105,342	106,980	114,338	111,217	93,579	97,784
Refinery output[4]	70,952	72,714	82,204	90,723	100,724	104,429	105,788	113,007	110,006	92,678	96,626
Arrivals of refined products	21,692	23,924	22,627	20,571	20,132	19,071	20,440	17,808	14,256	12,461	10,422
Other[5]	350	318	301	225	189	166	236	247	217	233	409
Total supply	92,994	96,956	105,132	111,519	121,045	123,666	126,464	131,062	124,479	105,372	107,457
Inland deliveries[4]	73,683	79,380	84,148	90,760	96,868	97,704	104,120	106,397	99,288	87,698	86,633
Shipments	12,645	11,865	14,453	14,344	17,394	16,948	15,775	16,681	14,396	13,664	15,726
Bunkers	5,020	5,057	5,344	5,585	5,515	5,655	5,225	5,499	4,759	3,444	3,569
Total disposals...........	91,348	96,302	103,945	110,689	119,777	120,307	125,120	128,577	118,443	104,806	105,928

[1] Excluding miscellaneous products. [2] The figures are net of outgoing. In 1976 such shipments amounted to 4,285 thousand tonnes. [3] Only that condensate supplied to refineries for input (with crude oil) into distillation. [4] Including refinery fuel. [5] Petroleum products derived from other sources, comprising bitumen, lubricating oils, naptha (from North Sea gas condensate since 1968), benzole (from coal up to 1973) and ethane, propane, butane and condensates (excluding that for distillation units which is included in the crude supply from North Sea oil fields) extracted at gas separation (plants from 1975).

Source: Department of Energy

Throughput of crude and process oils and output of refined products from refineries[1]

TABLE 8.26

Thousand tonnes

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Throughput of crude and process oils	71,722	73,531	83,100	91,699	101,911	105,342	106,980	114,338	111,217	93,579	97,784
less: Refinery fuel[2]	4,641	4,748	5,155	5,636	6,028	6,184	6,420	7,053	6,946	6,031	6,342
Losses.................	770	817	896	976	1,187	913	1,192	1,331	1,211	901	1,158
Total output of refined products ..	66,311	67,966	77,049	85,087	94,696	98,245	99,368	105,954	103,060	86,647	90,284
Gases:											
Butane and propane	1,058	1,026	1,039	1,146	1,181	1,236	1,463	1,655	1,602	1,447	1,575
Other petroleum..........	571	628	595	515	370	284	369	394	272	151	158
Naphtha and other feedstock...	4,043	4,545	5,918	6,094	6,442	5,728	5,728	6,607	6,448	3,968	4,583
Aviation spirit..............	128	69	60	37	49	60	31	63	14	16	26
Wide-cut gasoline	502	387	377	279	243	124	392	314	254	234	213
Motor spirit................	8,816	8,965	9,530	10,227	11,347	12,522	13,632	14,842	14,520	13,940	15,232
Industrial and white spirits	175	156	251	198	189	131	125	150	150	94	109
Kerosene:											
Aviation turbine fuel	3,765	2,002	2,306	2,897	3,171	3,707	4,180	4,550	4,475	3,959	4,163
Burning oil..............		1,977	2,350	2,499	2,645	2,499	2,618	2,682	2,544	2,281	2,440
Vaporising oil............	87	65	70	57	37	41	31	35	20	18	18
Gas/diesel oil...............	14,899	14,229	17,145	19,478	22,514	24,455	25,536	27,853	27,641	23,323	24,198
Fuel oil	29,128	30,769	34,260	38,266	42,858	43,173	41,002	42,026	40,022	32,711	32,695
Lubricating oils.............	1,090	1,010	1,035	1,202	1,323	1,429	1,333	1,477	1,455	1,141	1,310
Bitumen..................	1,602	1,749	1,753	1,723	1,917	2,094	2,004	2,225	2,129	2,099	1,897
Paraffin wax	58	57	57	59	66	65	68	86	99	67	81
Miscellaneous products	389	332	303	410	344	697	856	995	1,415	1,198	1,586

[1] Crude and process oils comprise all feedstocks, other than distillation benzines, for treatment at refinery plants. Refinery production does not cover further treatment of finished products for special grade such as in distillation plant for the preparation of industrial spirits. [2] Approximately **48 per cent fuel oil and 40 per cent gases in 1976.**

Source: Department of Energy

Deliveries of petroleum products for inland consumption[1]

TABLE 8.27

Thousand tonnes

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total (including refinery fuel)	73,683	79,380	84,148	90,760	96,868	97,704	104,120	106,397	99,288	87,698	86,633
Total (excluding refinery fuel)	69,042	74,632	78,993	85,124	90,840	91,520	97,700	99,344	92,342	81,667	80,291
Gases:											
Butane and propane:											
For gas-works	927	904	793	723	606	428	356	261	72	53	46
Other uses	403	374	392	485	567	754	1,091	1,328	1,316	1,205	1,262
Other gases for gas-works	574	590	546	465	323	242	259	268	155	52	35
Feedstock:											
For petroleum chemical plants	3,685	4,685	5,427	6,262	6,336	6,054	6,315	7,196	7,212	4,934	5,676
Naphtha (LDF) for gasworks[2]	3,041	4,035	5,176	5,400	3,542	1,898	1,469	1,650	996	456	176
Aviation spirit	149	130	105	101	74	63	65	63	53	50	46
Wide-cut gasoline	283	311	347	282	153	83	77	72	63	32	2
Motor spirit: Total[3]	11,504	12,278	13,013	13,444	14,235	14,964	15,899	16,927	16,484	16,125	16,879
Dealers[3]:											
5 star	872	1,540	1,387	1,112	1,225	1,683	2,339	2,669	1,998	1,572	1,338
4 star	6,865	5,892	6,343	6,664	6,947	7,043	7,567	8,249	9,162	9,522	10,620
3 star		892	1,057	1,562	2,257	2,334	2,126	2,033	1,846	1,717	1,621
2 star	2,449	2,697	3,093	2,969	2,688	2,838	2,880	2,996	2,579	2,384	2,400
Commercial consumers[4]											
5 star	81	164	163	153	153	154	152	148	113	93	67
4 star	614	488	450	465	478	464	450	471	448	503	525
3 star		54	56	70	93	91	85	94	87	93	93
2 star	623	551	464	449	394	357	300	267	251	241	215
Industrial and white spirits	356	326	367	245	185	185	215	234	207	202	188
Kerosene:											
Aviation turbine fuel	2,191	2,517	2,764	2,968	3,254	3,667	3,929	4,202	3,690	3,834	3,989
Burning oil	1,677	1,776	1,999	2,244	2,481	2,566	2,928	3,184	2,782	2,628	2,620
Vaporising oil	100	89	75	65	54	48	41	35	27	17	13
Gas/diesel oil:											
Derv fuel	4,106	4,355	4,651	4,868	5,035	5,186	5,254	5,658	5,518	5,414	5,594
Other	7,708	8,202	9,170	10,515	12,109	12,569	15,113	15,100	13,581	13,050	12,984
Fuel oil	29,562	31,099	31,103	33,929	38,585	39,395	41,307	39,447	36,810	30,470	27,825
Lubricating oils	1,156	1,117	1,152	1,228	1,175	1,148	1,113	1,185	1,045	992	1,010
Bitumen	1,564	1,790	1,858	1,841	2,069	2,208	2,203	2,458	2,241	2,089	1,867
Paraffin wax	56	54	55	59	57	62	66	76	90	64	79

[1] Excluding miscellaneous products. [2] Including a small quantity supplied for use as fuel by other consumers, 15 thousand tonnes in 1976. [3] Classification changed to B S I Star rating in 1967. Before 1967, grades were Best (shown against 5 star), Premium (shown against 3 and 4 star) and Standard (shown against 2 star). [4] From 1968 agency pick-up sales have been included under dealers and not as previously under commercial consumers. These sales amounted to 8 thousand tonnes 5 star, 48 thousand tonnes 4 star, 12 thousand tonnes 3 star and 70 thousand tonnes 2 star in 1968.

Source: Department of Energy

Iron and steel

Summary of steel supplies, deliveries and stocks

TABLE **8.31**

Thousand tonnes

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total supply (ingot equivalent)	26,589	26,510	29,055	30,005	30,615	27,630	28,296	30,897	28,632	25,145	26,002
Home sources											
Total	25,397	24,357	26,253	27,200	27,779	24,947	24,744	27,120	23,423	20,090	20,542
Crude steel production	24,706	24,279	26,277	26,846	28,315	24,174	25,321	26,649	22,426	20,198	22,274
Re-usable material [1]	259	236	202	224	242	181	172	149	106	86	88
Deliveries to (–) or from (+) stock [2]	+432	−158	−226	+130	−778	+592	−749	+322	+891	−194	−1,820
Imported [3]											
Total	1,192	2,153	2,802	2,805	2,836	2,683	3,552	3,777	5,209	5,055	5,460
Ingots	34	115	91	435	197	18	3	19	18	19	8
Semi-finished	86	203	461	703	993	465	372	132	150	250	475
Finished	1,072	1,835	2,250	1,667	1,646	2,200	3,177	3,626	5,041	4,786	4,977
Distribution of supply (ingot equivalent)											
Exports [3]	4,534	4,997	5,510	5,013	5,240	6,382	6,037	5,512	4,252	4,155	4,833
Supply for home use	22,055	21,513	23,545	24,992	25,375	21.248	22,259	25,358	24,380	20,990	21,169
Estimated home consumption [4]	22,680	21,870	23,360	24,264	24,521	22,400	22,240	24,190	23,246	21,529	21,128
Net deliveries (actual tonnage) [5]	19,258	19,349	21,115	22,017	22,389	20,628	21,182	23,329	21,488	18,310	19,366
Exports [3]	3,330	3,701	4,103	3,700	3,842	4,706	4,444	4,026	3,120	3,021	3,543
Supply for home use	15,928	15,648	17,012	18,317	18,547	15,922	16,738	19,303	18,368	15,289	15,823
Stocks (end of period) (actual tonnage)											
Producers':											
Ingots and semi-finished steel	1,461	1,473	1,532	1,468	1,911	1,427	1,888	1,687	1,093	1,469	2,288
Finished steel [6]	1,162	1,277	1,390	1,352	1,408	1,510	1,672	1,600	1,392	1,229	1,894
Consumers' [7]	3,402	3,147	3,265	3,760	4,149	3,471	3,439	4,440	4,960	4,525	4,373
Merchants' [7]	605	600	608	641	876	715	727	582	872	923	1,081

TIME SERIES. The figures relate to periods of 52 weeks (53 weeks in 1970 and 1975).

[1] Second-hand tubes and other finished steel and old rails for re-rolling. [2] Stocks at producers' works of ingots and semi-finished steel, but excluding stocks held by consumers and stockholding merchants. [3] Based on statistics as shown in the *Overseas Trade Statistics of the United Kingdom.* [4] After allowing for changes in consumers' and merchants' stocks. [5] Finished steel, including that produced in the United Kingdom from imported ingots and semi-finished steel, and second-hand materials. Excluding deliveries of all material for intra-industry conversion. [6] Excluding stocks of tubes, pipes, forgings and steel castings. [7] Finished steel produced in the United Kingdom and imported. Wire is excluded and replaced by the material for its manufacture.

Sources: Department of Industry; Iron and Steel Statistics Bureau

Iron and steel

Iron ore, manganese ore, pig iron and iron and steel scrap

TABLE 8.32

Thousand tonnes

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Iron ore											
Production:											
Total	13,877	12,944	13,936	12,298	12,018	10,228	9,049	7,105	3,602	4,490	4,582
Phosphoric:											
Jurassic	13,473	12,539	13,565	12,015	11,721	9,937	8,810	6,875	3,421	4,322	4,456
West Coast hematite	253	254	225	145	166	158	148	147	120	132	126
Other	151	151	146	138	131	133	91	83	61	36	–
Consumption:											
Total [1]	30,078	28,235	30,989	30,444	31,804	27,477	26,632	28,504	22,220	20,476	23,414
Home produced [1]	13,742	12,812	13,794	12,291	11,881	10,128	9,181	7,064	3,951	4,709	5,131
Imported [1]	16,336	15,423	17,195	18,153	19,923	17,349	17,451	21,440	18,269	15,767	18,283
Manganese ore											
Consumption	395	368	420	413	456	380	399	448	299	292	393
Pig iron (and blast furnace ferro-alloys)											
Average number of furnaces in blast during period	60	55	54	55	56	51	42	45	40	35	36
Production:											
Total	15,962	15,396	16,695	16,653	17,672	15,416	15,316	16,838	13,902	12,131	13,835
Basic	14,169	13,901	15,164	15,014	15,839	13,964	14,147	15,830	13,075	11,265	13,123
Hematite	689	652	902	877	952	828	782				
Foundry								848	736	781	590
Forge	941	689	461	606	710	471	235				
Direct castings											
Ferro-alloys	163	154	168	156	171	153	152	160	91	85	122
Refined pig iron:											
Production	319	317	294	243	203	169	169	181	213	207	189
Consumption of pig iron:											
Total [2]	16,168	15,531	16,746	16,813	17,731	15,369	15,566	16,993	13,872	12,369	13,503
In steel works and steel foundries	14,553	14,157	15,356	15,336	16,262	14,255	14,535	15,872	12,940	11,507	12,838
In iron works and iron foundries	1,615	1,374	1,390	1,477	1,469	1,114	1,031	1,121	932	862	665
Stocks (end of period) [3]	866	772	753	622	478	667	496	452	608	523	776
Iron and steel scrap											
Receipts in steel works and foundries:											
Total	13,301	13,105	14,389	15,393	16,001	13,548	13,748	14,232	13,047	11,905	13,081
Bought [4]	6,290	6,307	7,079	7,590	7,940	6,251	6,915	6,969	7,055	6,417	7,107
Circulating (arising in own works) [4]	7,002	6,796	7,310	7,547	7,795	7,003	6,793	7,055	5,880	5,401	5,593
of which sold in other works	434	333	395	529	598	598	469	454	419	400	418
Imported	9	2	–	256	266	294	40	208	112	87	381
Consumption [5]	12,879	12,846	13,889	14,639	15,363	12,708	13,712	13,862	12,196	11,208	12,216
Stocks (end of period) [5]	928	769	850	1,084	1,133	1,351	892	791	1,186	1,512	2,081

TIME SERIES. The figures relate to periods of 52 weeks (53 weeks in 1970 and 1975).

[1] As charged. [2] Excluding refined and cylinder pig iron made other than in blast furnaces and consumed in iron foundries. [3] Stocks of pig iron at blast furnaces, steel works, steel foundries, iron foundries, wrought iron and refined iron works and stocks held by the British Iron and Steel Corporation Ltd. includes stocks of blast furnace ferro-alloys but excludes stocks of refined iron held by producers. [4] Receipts of scrap bought in the home market. [5] At steel works and steel foundries.

Sources: Department of Industry; Iron and Steel Statistics Bureau

Iron and steel

Regional [1] analysis of blast and steel furnaces and of production of pig iron and steel ingots and metal for castings

TABLE 8.33

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Blast furnaces (Number in existence at end of period)											
Total	82	80	75	71	71	61	60	59	58	53	57
North	22	22	19	17	17	14	13	13	13	13	13
Yorkshire and Humberside	13	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	10	10
East Midlands	11	11	9	8	8	7	7	6	4	4	4
South East	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
West Midlands	6	6	6	6	6	4	4	4	4	4	5
North West	5	5	5	4	4	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wales	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	18	15	18
Scotland	7	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
Steel furnaces (Number in existence at end of period) [2]											
Total	724	704	680	657	622	610	562	546	535	535	520
North	83	82	83	79	72	51	47	47	48	44	48
Yorkshire and Humberside	316	313	291	278	258	266	238	224	215	229	202
East Midlands	26	28	28	25	24	24	25	23	25	28	29
South East	32	32	32	41	34	35	36	37	41	39	45
West Midlands	63	61	61	57	65	72	63	65	65	61	70
North West	35	30	30	28	28	23	19	21	14	16	16
Wales	89	83	83	77	67	65	64	62	61	58	45
Scotland	80	75	72	72	74	74	70	67	66	60	65
Pig iron (Thousand tonnes)											
Total production	15,962	15,396	16,695	16,653	17,672	15,416	15,316	16,838	13,903	12,131	13,835
North	3,397	3,162	3,532	3,740	3,741	3,097	3,160	3,790	3,105	2,986	3,171
Yorkshire and Humberside	2,777	2,671	2,968	3,249	3,392	2,834	2,801	3,166	3,318	3,264	3,509
East Midlands	1,393	1,264	1,259	1,413	1,472	1,169	1,120	1,182	430	643	762
South East	267	265	273	225	309	283	286	298	245	237	136
West Midlands	605	588	658	696	659	507	532	584	572	467	435
North West	408	512	454	416	362	317	–	–	–	–	–
Wales	5,781	5,663	5,780	4,976	5,890	5,545	5,845	6,000	4,674	3,534	4,531
Scotland	1,334	1,271	1,771	1,938	1,847	1,664	1,572	1,818	1,559	1,000	1,291
Steel ingots and metal for castings [3] (Thousand tonnes)											
Total production	24,706	24,279	26,277	26,846	28,315	24,174	25,321	26,649	22,426	20,198	22,274
North	4,121	4,093	4,412	4,747	4,827	3,962	3,939	4,504	3,635	3,415	3,418
Yorkshire and Humberside	5,884	5,741	6,451	6,971	7,343	5,793	6,194	6,562	6,589	6,530	7,477
East Midlands	1,020	1,048	1,090	1,115	1,105	986	1,053	1,152	521	793	916
South East	37	34	41	67	39	38	122	240	251	407	419
West Midlands	1,798	1,794	1,903	2,014	2,096	1,732	1,933	1,967	1,825	1,569	1,537
North West	760	822	876	880	938	767	490	522	261	47	215
Wales	8,365	8,105	8,383	7,703	8,584	7,910	8,573	8,451	6,705	5,471	6,348
Scotland	2,721	2,642	3,121	3,349	3,383	2,986	3,017	3,251	2,639	1,966	1,944

TIME SERIES. The figures relate to periods of 52 weeks (53 weeks in 1970 and 1975).

[1] Standard regions. [2] Excluding crucible furnaces. [3] Figures prior to 1976 include liquid steel for continuous casting and for 1976 continuously cast product weight.

Sources: Department of Industry; Iron and Steel Statistics Bureau

Iron and steel

Number of furnaces and production of steel

TABLE 8.34

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Steel furnaces (Number in existence at end of period) [1]											
Total	724	704	680	657	622	610	562	546	535	535	520
Open hearth	232	217	202	181	167	137	124	107	97	86	78
Pneumatic	25	27	28	25	24	27	28	30	25	22	23
Electric	432	436	427	434	414	426	392	391	396	407	401
Stock converter	5	3	3	1	1	1	1	2	1	6	6
Tropenas	30	21	20	16	16	19	17	16	16	14	12
Production of steel ingots and castings (Thousand tonnes)											
Total	24,706	24,279	26,277	26,846	28,315	24,174	25,321	26,649	22,426	20,198	22,274
Ingots	24,161	23,803	25,793	26,331	27,719	23,660	24,875	26,142	21,875	19,674	21,785
Castings [2]	545	476	484	515	596	514	446	507	551	524	489
Alloy steel:											
High speed ingots [3]	16	14	15	16	20	14	18	20	19	13	14
Other [4]	1,773	1,586	1,888	2,104	2,141	1,684	1,853	2,203	2,071	1,835	1,977
Non-alloy steel	22,917	22,679	24,374	24,726	26,154	22,476	23,450	24,426	20,336	18,350	20,283
Open hearth:											
Acid: Ingots	253	130	149	160	153	134	59	28	16	11	–
Castings [2]	7	4	8	9	9	6	2	4	4	3	–
Basic: Ingots	14,339	13,734	14,252	14,005	13,210	10,037	9,298	8,420	6,168	4,432	4,026
Castings [2]	2	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	–	–	–
Pneumatic: Acid (ingots)	178	186	210	261	283	236	11,010	12,854	10,936	10,150	11,471
Basic (ingots)	6,466	6,708	7,396	7,419	9,102	9,359					
Electric: Ingots	2,925	3,045	3,786	4,486	4,971	3,894	4,508	4,840	4,754	5,081	6,288
Castings [2]	473	428	431	452	546	471	407	470	517	495	468
All other methods: Ingots and castings [2]	63	43	44	52	39	36	36	32	31	26	21
Production of semi-finished and finished iron and steel (Thousand tonnes)											
Iron castings	3,928	3,603	3,614	3,816	3,833	3,346	3,281	3,445	3,190	3,002	2,963
Wrought iron:											
Forge production	5	5	4	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .
Finishing mills production	7	6	5	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .
Semi-finished steel:											
Blooms, billets and slabs [5]	10,889	11,234	12,195	13,073	13,516	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .
Sheet bars and tinplate bars [6]	6,692	6,527	6,930	6,559	6,886	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .
Finished steel (principal products) [7]:											
Bright steel bars	572	520	579	635	649	519	515	738	706	520	544
Heavy rails, sleepers, etc. [8]	280	269	264	261	280	288	227	226	255	299	216
Heavy and medium plates [9]	3,153	3,046	3,318	3,649	3,932	3,126	3,090	3,409	2,873	2,418	2,324
Other heavy rolled products	2,506	2,576	2,682	2,876	2,873	2,253	2,222	2,546	2,355	2,017	1,951
Light rolled products [10]	6,523	6,223	6,828	7,436	7,757	6,258	6,196	7,167	6,209	5,446	5,937
Cold rolled strip	538	504	592	633	563	512	524	617	584	371	466
Sheets, coated and uncoated [11] [12]	4,065	3,839	4,401	4,440	4,507	4,412	4,567	4,448	3,410	2,270	2,985
Tinplate, terneplate and blackplate	1,234	1,257	1,273	1,342	1,297	1,258	1,204	1,330	1,195	992	1,127
Tubes, pipes and fittings [11] [13]	1,519	1,392	1,465	1,572	1,673	1,648	1,579	1,693	1,530	1,476	1,403
Steel castings	291	250	262	277	282	246	212	237	266	266	243
Steel forgings [11] [14]	185	159	162	168	174	152	129	116	125	128	121
Tyres, wheels and axles	91	79	81	84	88	78	66	66	71	85	69

TIME SERIES. The figures relate to periods of 52 weeks (53 weeks in 1970 and 1975).

[1] Excluding crucible furnaces. Certain small electric furnaces are included. [2] Metal for castings. [3] Steel containing by weight either 12 per cent or more tungsten or both molybdenum and tungsten in respective percentages such that when the percentage of molybdenum is multiplied by two and added to the percentage of tungsten the sum is not less than 12. [4] Ingots and metal for castings containing a minimum of 0.4 per cent of chromium or nickel, 0.1 per cent of molybdenum, tungsten or vanadium or 10.0 per cent of manganese. [5] For heavy and light re-rolled products, excluding forging and drop forging billets, etc., and excluding alloy. Excluding materials rolled direct from ingots into finished steel. [6] Excluding alloy. Including continuous mill slabs for all purposes. [7] Including material for further conversion. After 1970 all finished steel figures are deliveries from home production. [8] Rails 18 kg per metre and over and sleepers, fishplates and soleplates for use with them. [9] Plates 3 mm. thick and over including armour plate. [10] Including wire rods and hot rolled strip. [11] Deliveries. [12] Sheets under 3 mm. thick [13] Excluding flanges. Figures before 1971 exclude welded tubes over 400 mm. outside diameter but include fittings; figures thereafter include welded tubes over 400 mm. outside diameter, but exclude fittings. [14] Excluding drop forgings.

Sources: Department of Industry; Iron and Steel Statistics Bureau

Non-ferrous metals

TABLE **8.41**

Thousand tonnes

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Copper											
Production of refined copper:											
Virgin	43.8	36.0	49.7	49.3	49.4	49.5	59.6	75.9	69.1	75.5	51.6
Secondary	136.0	133.4	148.0	148.9	156.8	128.1	102.5	95.0	91.0	76.0	85.7
Home consumption:											
Virgin refined	592.4	514.2	539.1	546.8	553.7	517.3	534.6	541.2	496.9	450.5	457.6
Secondary refined											
Scrap (metal content)	150.0	141.6	140.5	143.6	119.8	127.8	133.2	177.5	164.1	124.4	147.0
Stocks (end of period) [1] [2]	31.3	22.9	32.0	27.5	40.8	55.9	76.1	26.8	36.8	93.9	116.7
Analysis of home consumption (virgin, secondary and scrap) [3]:											
Total	742.5	655.9	679.6	690.5	673.6	645.1	667.8	718.7	661.0	574.8	604.6
Wire [4]	324.4	284.0	273.9	285.4	294.8	287.5	305.6	321.5	298.1	263.8	273.5
Rods, bars and sections	112.8	100.6	115.2	116.0	107.9	100.1	103.9	122.3	106.7	80.4	88.0
Sheet, strip and plate	144.3	124.9	138.1	144.4	126.2	117.3	116.2	123.0	116.2	96.0	105.2
Tubes	92.9	84.2	87.7	83.9	85.0	81.0	85.5	92.6	81.3	79.3	83.7
Castings and miscellaneous	63.0	56.7	60.2	60.8	59.7	59.2	56.6	59.3	58.7	55.3	54.2
Copper sulphate	5.2	5.6	4.5								
Zinc											
Slab zinc:											
Production	101.3	104.3	142.9	160.0	146.6	116.5	73.8	83.8	84.4	53.4	41.6
Home consumption	272.6	258.6	279.7	288.9	227.8	273.7	279.3	305.4	268.5	207.1	240.4
Stocks (end of period) [5]	97.4	19.4	18.9	20.7	20.9	17.3	26.4	21.1	22.4	25.8	21.6
Other zinc (metal content):											
Consumption	82.4	79.1	86.1	89.9	92.5	84.4	86.0	89.5	84.6	69.2	67.9
Analysis of home consumption (slab and scrap):											
Total	355.1	337.7	365.8	382.3	370.3	358.0	365.3	394.9	353.1	276.2	308.3
Brass	113.1	101.3	114.4	116.3	107.3	99.4	100.0	112.6	100.6	76.1	83.8
Galvanized products	96.2	95.6	95.9	99.1	96.4	98.6	100.0	102.1	92.3	74.1	84.0
Zinc sheet and strip	27.2	23.5	25.7	27.2	25.8	26.4	25.2	28.9	22.2	17.4	18.3
Zinc alloy die castings	68.6	65.1	71.4	77.5	74.7	69.4	73.1	79.6	69.8	52.2	61.9
Zinc oxide	26.2	28.4	31.1	34.6	36.2	35.3	36.2	42.3	38.3	28.7	33.7
Other products	23.8	23.9	27.2	27.5	30.0	29.0	30.9	29.5	29.8	27.7	26.6
Lead											
Imported refined lead:											
Home consumption [6]	193.9	166.9	161.4	158.5	153.1	152.3	143.2	160.3	164.7	125.8	133.7
Stocks (end of period) [5]	52.0	46.5	57.7	70.5	80.8	79.6	80.8	79.7	76.2	98.3	128.5
English refined lead:											
Production [7]	112.6	125.9	143.7	141.6	146.7	142.8	149.6	145.0	139.9	123.4	119.3
Home consumption	99.5	109.4	115.4	116.8	108.6	124.4	135.2	121.9	101.8	111.9	112.4
Stocks (end of period) [5]	12.3	11.3	11.9	12.3	19.6	25.0	10.9	10.2	12.5	17.2	16.2
Scrap lead (metal content):											
Consumption	116.4	116.9	107.5	91.8	88.5	69.7	76.6	81.9	58.8	55.3	54.9
Analysis of home consumption (refined and scrap):											
Total	413.9	393.3	384.3	367.0	350.3	346.4	354.9	364.1	325.2	293.1	301.0
Cables	115.6	102.4	80.7	66.4	60.4	51.9	48.6	45.8	44.4	36.5	33.5
Batteries (excluding oxides)	48.1	46.0	48.1	47.3	48.8	49.8	50.8	54.2	38.5	37.3	39.1
Oxides and compounds:											
Batteries	40.8	41.0	48.0	51.9	45.9	51.5	49.6	52.3	41.6	28.9	30.8
Other uses	64.5	65.2	69.2	71.7	72.0	74.6	80.3	91.5	91.7	82.7	86.6
Sheets and pipes	67.3	67.4	66.2	58.4	53.1	54.0	55.1	55.3	47.5	50.3	48.2
White lead	4.5	4.0	4.5	3.6	2.9	3.2	3.1	1.7	1.1	2.5	3.0
Solder	16.3	14.2	14.5	15.6	14.0	14.4	16.0	16.4	15.1	12.2	13.1
Alloys	23.0	20.2	19.9	19.5	20.3	16.6	20.2	18.6	17.2	14.0	14.1
Other uses	33.9	32.7	33.3	32.5	32.8	30.4	31.3	28.2	28.1	28.7	32.6

[1] Unwrought copper (electrolytic, fire refined and blister). [2] Reported stocks of refined copper held by consumers and those held in LME warehouses in the United Kingdom. [3] Copper content. [4] Consumption for high-conductivity copper and cadmium copper wire represented by consumption of wire rods, production of which for export is also included. [5] Excluding government stocks. [6] Including toll transactions involving fabrication. [7] Lead reclaimed from secondary and scrap material and lead refined from domestic ores.

Sources: Department of Industry; World Bureau of Metal Statistics

Non-ferrous metals

TABLE 8.41 *(continued)*

Thousand tonnes

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Tin											
Tin ore (metal content):											
Production	1.3	1.5	1.8	1.6	1.7	1.8	3.3	3.6	3.2	3.3	3.3
Stocks (end of period)	2.5	2.5	2.2	4.0	4.5	1.0	0.6	0.9	1.2	0.6	0.2
Tin metal [1]:											
Production [2]	19.1	26.3	28.1	28.8	24.5	25.2	26.3	23.1	15.4	15.0	12.6
Home consumption [2]	20.0	19.5	19.4	19.6	18.6	18.1	17.9	18.4	16.7	14.4	15.2
Exports and re-exports [3]	6.1	9.6	10.8	14.0	12.9	9.6	13.6	16.3	9.4	11.4	6.9
Stocks (end of period):											
Consumers	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.4	2.0	1.7	1.1	1.2
Merchants and others	2.2	5.0	8.6	2.4	1.7	6.2	7.0	2.5	0.8	2.3	0.9
Analysis of home consumption (excluding scrap):											
Total	20.0	19.5	19.4	19.5	18.6	18.1	17.9	18.4	16.7	14.4	15.1
Tinplate	9.2	9.1	8.7	8.7	7.9	8.0	7.1	8.0	7.0	5.7	6.4
Alloys	6.0	5.9	6.2	6.1	6.3	5.9	6.0	5.9	5.5	5.1	4.9
Solder	1.6	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.4	1.1	1.0
Other uses	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.1	2.8	2.8	3.1	2.9	2.8	2.5	2.8
Virgin aluminium [4]											
Production	37.1	39.0	38.2	33.8	39.6	119.0	171.4	251.6	293.1	308.3	334.5
Despatches to consumers	369.3	360.5	394.9	396.0	412.0	346.7	473.6	554.5	566.4	440.8	577.1
Secondary aluminium											
Production	198.3	191.2	200.3	227.1	214.4	189.1	197.4	209.6	206.6	176.2	205.8
Despatches to consumers	195.6	189.8	201.9	227.2	210.3	192.6	198.8	219.2	206.0	175.9	202.4
Exports	19.5	17.3	15.3	16.7	23.5	21.8	17.5	..	..		
Fabricated aluminium											
Total production [5]	431.7	428.3	460.2	478.9	460.6	423.4	459.5	543.4	555.4	468.9	522.5
Sheet and strip [6]	185.0	178.7	192.3	195.0	178.3	156.4	179.0	223.0	231.7	181.1	216.1
Castings	117.4	115.3	127.2	139.1	135.2	132.9	133.7	146.6	134.2	120.6	121.1
Extrusions [7]	125.4	130.4	136.9	140.9	143.4	130.3	142.7	170.0	185.9	163.1	181.6
Forging from chillcast billets and extrude bar	3.9	4.0	3.9	4.0	3.7	3.8	4.1	3.8	3.6	4.1	3.7
Magnesium and magnesium alloys											
Production [8]	3.8	4.1	3.6	2.9	2.8	2.5	2.7	3.1	3.8	2.8	3.0
Consumption											
Total [5]	..	..	10.4	7.0	6.7	5.8	6.2	8.0	8.4	6.2	7.5
of which:											
Primary metal for fabrication and all alloys	8.2	8.0	7.3	6.9	6.1	4.7	4.8	5.1	7.1	..	..
Refined nickel (incuding ferro-nickel)											
Production	37.5	38.6	41.7	29.7	36.7	38.7	31.9	36.8	35.7	37.3	33.1
Home consumption	34.4	30.4	34.3	27.2	38.3	29.3	30.0	31.5	26.5	20.8	23.3
Exports and re-exports	43.7	40.7	43.4	29.7	..	..	..	..	33.5	25.5	..

[1] Including production from imported scrap and residues refined on toll. [2] Primary and secondary metal. [3] Including re-exports on toll transactions. [4] Including virgin alloys. [5] Despatches to consumers of virgin metal, primary and remelt alloys. [6] Including plate, circles and blanks. [7] Excluding forging bars, wirebars and almost two-thirds of despatches of hot rolled rod. [8] Primary and remelt alloys.

Sources: Department of Industry; World Bureau of Metal Statistics; Aluminium Federation

TABLE 8.42

Cotton, man-made fibres and wool

	Unit	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Raw cotton												
Imports	Thousand tonnes	212	170	192	163	167	142	137	171	93	113	122
Home consumption:												
Total	,,	212	181	179	176	172	149	138	133	118	106	120
Cotton spinning	,,	206	174	172	169	166	143	132	126	111	99	113
Other uses	,,	6	6	6	7	6	6	6	6	7	7	7
Stocks (end of period)	,,	47	38	52	40	36	33	29	45	22	25	29
Cotton waste												
Imports	,,	38.6	33.3	38.1	31.1	30.6	27.3	27.2	30.9	22.4	24.0	25.1
Cotton linters												
Imports	,,	40.8	35.3	39.0	42.1	42.2	35.5	40.2	50.2	36.4	23.0	30.2
Man-made fibres[1]												
Production: Total	,,	399.9	433.2	539.1	553.9	599.4	613.1	626.5	730.8	627.6	562.5	618.4
Continuous filament yarn	,,	186.6	198.9	241.8	252.5	257.6	276.4	264.0	305.6	271.0	246.5	270.7
Staple fibre	,,	213.3	234.4	297.4	301.5	341.9	336.7	362.5	425.3	356.6	316.0	347.7
Cotton and man-made fibre yarn												
Production of single yarn:												
Cotton[2]	,,	167.0	139.6	137.9	132.6	125.8	106.3	98.0	93.3	80.6	76.5	91.4
Cotton mixture yarn	,,	17.0	14.4	17.9	22.9	23.0	27.3	29.7	35.2	36.1	30.9	26.5
Spun man-made fibre yarn	,,	40.7	38.6	45.9	46.8	50.5	52.3	47.9	52.8	47.6	40.9	45.3
Cotton waste yarn[3]	,,	39.8	34.4	33.3	33.6	32.8	26.7	23.4	22.2	20.7	17.9	15.5
Other waste yarn	,,	4.1	3.7	3.7	3.5	3.4	3.3	3.9	4.2	3.9	4.5	4.1
Production of doubled yarn [4]:												
Cotton[2]	,,	55.9	49.0	49.9	46.8	43.2	85.0	75.4	82.1	74.7	68.4	69.4
Other yarns	,,	50.0	47.7	51.8	60.8	57.3						
Spindle activity[5]:												
Single yarn spindles:												
Total (ring equivalent)	Millions	4.5	3.8	3.5	3.3	3.2	2.9	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.3	2.2
Mule	,,	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	. .	. .	. .	. .
Ring	,,	4.1	3.5	3.3	3.4	3.1	2.8	2.5	. .	. .	. .	. .
Doubling spindles	,,	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3
Yarn consumed in cotton and man-made fibre weaving:												
Cotton yarn	Thousand tonnes	112.6	115.8	118.4	114.1	103.7	91.7	82.6	78.3	67.5	62.6	68.1
Waste yarns	,,	27.0										
Man-made fibres:												
Total:	,,	100.5	90.0	92.6	99.7	91.2	83.5	78.2	88.5	87.6	86.1	87.6
Continuous filament yarn	,,	80.0	71.3	73.7	81.0	75.3	67.6	61.2	67.3	66.6	67.0	71.6
Spun yarn	,,	20.5	18.7	18.9	18.7	15.9	15.9	17.1	21.3	21.0	19.1	15.9

TIME SERIES. Figures for consumption of raw cotton and production and consumption of cotton and man-made fibre yarn are for periods of 52 weeks (53 weeks in 1969 and 1975).

[1] Figures are based on returns from producers (excluding waste) and include all man-made fibres in commercial production. [2] Excluding waste yarns. [3] Yarns wholly of cotton waste, cotton yarn spun on condenser system and mixture yarns of cotton and cotton waste. [4] From 1971 onwards separate figures are not available. [5] Up to 1970 weekly average number of spindles running on cotton, spun man-made fibre and mixtures. From 1971 average of numbers running in last week of each month. Waste spinning spindles are excluded.

Source: Department of Industry

Cotton, man-made fibres and wool

TABLE **8.42** *(continued)*

	Unit	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Cotton and man-made fibre weaving												
Production of woven cloth:												
Cotton	Million linear metres	837	681	668	661	627	559	513	454	409	405	375
Man-made fibres	"	498.8	417.9	425.5	443.8	398.2	380.5	370.2	389.4	390.6	398.8	385.8
Cotton/man-made fibre mixtures	"	65.1	66.5	81.8	94.4	86.1	99.3	99.6	112.9	114.7	104.2	107.1
Loom activity:												
Average number of looms running on cotton and man-made fibres	Thousands	105.9	87.0	78.5	74.9	67.6	57.8	51.8	49.9	48.9	42.8	39.1
Wool												
Virgin wool (clean weight):												
Production[1]	Million kilogrammes	39	39	36	31	31	31	31	32	33	33	32
Imports		161	161	174	164	142	114	146	108	88	94	114
Exports[2]	"	22	20	23	21	19	19	15	17	18	23	26
Re-exports	"	5	5	4	3	2	2	8	6	2	2	
Stocks[3]	"	86	90	100	93	87	71	67	63	45	49	46
Consumption:												
Wool	"	176.0	163.3	177.4	174.6	152.9	141.1	152.3	136.6	112.6	110.5	119.8
Hair	"	10.8	8.9	10.5	11.0	9.3	9.4	12.3	12.5	8.0	8.0	10.2
Man-made fibres	"	62.8	63.3	76.1	80.4	83.6	76.6	86.3	104.3	102.3	85.8	87.2
Other fibres[4]	"	44.3	41.3	37.7	36.1	33.4	30.5	28.3	29.3	24.7	23.4	21.3
Tops												
Production:												
Total	"	132.8	119.7	133.0	134.2	124.3	102.8	121.0	118.1	98.7	91.2	103.8
Wool and hair	"	104.2	92.1	96.6	92.1	79.7	66.2	75.1	62.2	43.9	46.8	56.5
Man-made fibres	"	28.5	27.6	36.4	42.2	44.6	36.6	45.9	55.9	54.8	44.4	47.4
Stocks[3]	"	19.9	20.5	19.1	16.6	15.4	12.8	10.4	9.7	8.0	5.5	7.0
Worsted yarns[5]: Deliveries	"	100.2	89.6	98.2	93.9	89.5	83.8	91.6	88.6	76.5	67.0	72.4
Semi-worsted yarns[5] [6]: Deliveries	"	. .	. .	. .	6.6	8.1	9.2	10.0	11.4	10.7	8.4	8.5
Woollen yarn[1]: Production	"	143	138	147	142	129	131	131	135	123	112	108
Woven woollen and worsted fabrics[7]: Deliveries	Million square metres	252.8	246.2	246.4	239.3	215.2	185.8	183.4	192.4	174.7	151.4	143.1
Blankets: Deliveries	"	25.5	24.0	27.3	26.9	24.6	28.5	28.8	30.6	28.1	24.7	22.8

TIME SERIES. The figures for cotton and man-made fibre weaving relate to periods of 52 weeks (53 weeks in 1969 and 1975).

[1] Estimated. [2] Including imported wool and wool from imported skins, scoured, etc. in the United Kingdom. [3] At 31 August. [4] Including noils, broken tops, wastes, mungo and shoddy. [5] Including all yarn spun on the worsted system. [6] Before January 1969 these small quantities of semi-worsted yarn were divided between the woollen and worsted yarn headings. [7] Includes mixture and man-made fibre fabrics classified as wool or worsted, but excludes blankets.

Source: Department of Industry

Jute and hemps

TABLE **8.43**

Thousand tonnes

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Raw jute											
Home consumption	122.44	113.79	110.80	107.72	88.43	77.66	77.20	68.92	59.31	52.47	51.92
Imported jute goods											
Yarn	4.19	1.48	1.22	2.18	1.28	1.45	2.79	1.45	0.81	0.22	1.31
Jute fabrics and jute sacks and bags	46.22	50.24	54.88	43.82	41.28	32.13	27.74	28.06	25.56	20.89	22.25
Jute yarn											
Production	122.8	113.8	111.5	107.9	89.2	77.6	74.7	68.2	57.5	51.1	52.7
Jute cloth											
Production[1]	73.1	64.6	59.7	52.7	41.7	32.0	26.5	24.2	20.9	16.3	16.1
Hard hemps											
Home consumption:											
Sisal line	59.25	48.39	51.44	50.63	50.33	42.66	43.41	39.16	24.60	15.80	. .
Manila hemp	11.71	10.26	9.55	9.32	9.42	8.74	8.71	8.73	7.68	4.69	. .
Stocks (end of period):											
Sisal line	7.81	9.34	7.71	6.88	8.98	7.24	3.79	4.88	2.94	1.43	. .
Manila hemp	3.14	3.12	2.21	1.79	2.07	2.26	1.68	1.65	2.80	1.91	. .

TIME SERIES. The figures for raw jute and for jute yarn and cloth are for periods of 52 weeks (53 weeks in 1970 and 1976).

[1] Estimated from consumption of yarn by weavers.

Source: Department of Industry

Manufacturers' sales of selected packaging

Products of paper and board [1]

TABLE **8.44**

£ thousand

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Rigid boxes	25,422	23,934	25,204	26,914	28,359	29,325	31.732	35,633	49,415	47,956	56,271
Cartons	85,418	86,653	98,551	109,509	117,322	123,665	140,148	171,845	227,287	253,715	304,512
Fibreboard packing cases:											
Solid	13,395	12,445	13,261	13,902	15,420	15,349	13,850	15,506	22,586	21,219	25,981
Corrugated	99,839	101,108	117,818	131,909	141,232	143,806	164,722	197,896	298,593	293,255	354,934
Paper bags	21,926	21,296	22,223	23,009	25,011	26,596	27,954	33,448	46,649	50,791	56,078
Paper carrier bags	4,672	4,648	4,871	4,645	5,080	5,518	5,864	5,404	6,191	5,796	5,302
Paper sacks	. .	. .	. .	. .	38,963	37,827	42,445	52,285	80,599	77,627	96,717

[1] The source of these figures changed in April 1970, but earlier figures have been adjusted to make the series consistent.

Source: Department of Industry

Woodpulp, paper and paper-making materials

TABLE 8.45

Thousand tonnes

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Woodpulp											
For paper-making[1]:											
Consumption	2,541.0	2,480.2	2,528.2	2,627.4	2,539.6	2,144.0	2,084.6	2,189.4	2,139.4	1,630.8	1,720.0
Stocks (end of period)	378.9	298.9	344.1	290.2	427.0	285.0	309.3	268.1	250.4	229.6	248.7
For manufacture of rayon and transparent cellulose film:											
Consumption[2] [3]	311.0	318.4	349.0	352.0	353.9	251.5	..	..	..	..	..
Stocks (end of period) [4]	39.0	44.4	43.6	46.5	45.6	46.3	..	..	..	..	..
Other paper-making materials											
Total (paper equivalent):											
Consumption	1,725.6	1,779.8	1,906.2	2,052.9	2,100.7	2,044.4	2,033.5	2,187.5	2,206.8	1,834.7	2,147.9
Stocks (end of period)	294.4	240.9	197.7	191.4	234.1	265.0	220.2	161.9	277.4	288.0	259.4
Imported pulpwood											
Consumption	220.5	260.7	232.4	291.9	243.2	144.2	33.0	38.2	..	..	..
Stocks (end of period) [4]	137.0	99.4	125.4	55.2	95.9	35.5	9.6	11.1	..	..	..
Other pulpwood (including wood waste, chippings and rejected pitprops)											
Consumption	536.5	670.1	647.6	833.1	883.0	907.9	997.1	981.2	886.9	896.4	957.8
Stocks (end of period)	147.7	102.8	83.4	140.0	105.7	177.3	146.7	87.4	225.4	194.4	149.0
Esparto											
Consumption	101.8	71.1	56.7	44.4	26.3	19.3	5.5	3.1	5.2	4.0	..
Stocks (end of period)	7.7	7.2	5.8	3.8	1.4	1.7	0.4	0.7	0.2	0.8	0.3
Other vegetable fibre (including straw) [5]											
Consumption	11.0	8.7	10.3	12.7	15.7	15.5	14.9	15.6	15.1	11.4	..
Stocks (end of period)	5.5	6.1	3.6	5.6	7.7	7.7	7.2	6.6	8.6	7.8	5.8
Rags, waste ropes, etc.											
Consumption	95.5	86.5	80.4	70.6	62.0	57.6	46.8	44.0	41.8	36.2	37.9
Stocks (end of year) [6]	18.7	15.3	15.1	12.2	10.1	15.3	6.0	6.8	9.3	6.8	6.5
Waste paper											
Consumption	1,592.1	1,593.1	1,793.2	1,855.8	1,946.5	1,835.2	1,881.1	2,069.8	2,121.8	1,703.5	2,071.0
Stocks (end of year) [6]	167.7	154.5	91.1	115.0	154.2	190.6	178.7	134.7	195.5	241.7	228.4
Newsprint [5]											
Production	748.6	714.5	735.3	789.4	756.9	575.4	467.5	441.9	381.5	315.1	326.2
Home consumption	1,422.8	1,379.6	1,444.9	1,478.1	1,429.3	1,368.5	1,446.7	1,639.1	1,493.3	1,253.5	1,280.2
Exports	2.2	2.0	1.5	1.6	1.8	0.3	0.2	0.1	2.2	4.8	9.3
Stocks (end of period)	137.1	119.4	94.4	102.5	114.4	92.6	88.3	56.8	122.4	102.8	158.5
Other paper and board											
Production: Total [7]	3,851.0	3,758.1	3,966.6	4,180.9	4,184.2	3,792.3	3,906.7	4,265.2	4.245.3	3,343.2	3,856.0
Paper: Total	2,630.4	2,534.4	2,676.1	2,873.6	2,899.5	2,603.3	2,698.1	2,986.9	2,985.1	2,377.4	2,717.3
Printings and writings	1,060.6	1,045.8	1,031.2	1,075.0	1,060.4	1,002.6	1,071.7	1,148.3	1,146.2	849.6	951.1
Food wrappings	86.1	81.5	75.2	77.0	77.6	58.8	54.7	65.8	60.9	44.8	54.0
Kraft wrappings	321.2	267.2	268.6	281.9	281.0	211.2	177.2	195.0	187.8	147.0	140.0
Other wrappings and packings	593.0	563.6	679.9	775.9	801.6	762.0	808.9	946.6	976.7	783.2	968.8
Household toilet papers and tissues [7]	208.9	222.2	255.0	275.8	285.2	305.7	316.8	356.8	348.7	351.5	373.4
Other tissues	38.8	33.2	30.7	34.1	30.3	29.0	30.2	26.2	22.2	19.8	22.0
Industrial and special purpose papers	321.8	320.9	335.5	353.9	363.5	234.0	238.6	248.2	242.6	181.5	207.9
Board: Total	1,220.6	1,223.8	1,290.6	1,307.4	1,284.7	1,189.0	1,208.6	1,278.3	1,260.2	965.8	1,138.7
Packaging boards	926.3	925.8	964.4	970.3	944.2	857.0	861.7	901.8	889.9	649.7	778.6
Building boards	58.7	36.4	37.4	38.6	38.0	31.9	36.4	35.3	29.3	24.6	30.2
Boards for industrial and special purposes	184.4	194.7	210.8	210.9	207.5	209.4	228.1	242.8	229.3	204.2	228.0
Other boards	51.2	66.9	78.0	87.6	95.0	90.8	82.4	98.4	111.7	87.3	102.0
Home deliveries [7]	5,135.0	5,347.0	5,645.0	5,820.4	5,885.6	5,583.1	5,720.4	6,374.3	..	4,958.6	5,615.7
Exports	113.4	108.2	135.7	168.1	182.5	183.2	195.4	222.0	252.6	171.4	199.9
Stocks (end of period) [8]	235.5	243.5	234.3	247.1	244.9	227.7	228.7	173.4	173.1	169.7	173.5

TIME SERIES. The figures relate to periods of 52 weeks (53 weeks in 1970).

[1] Including woodpulp for cellulose wadding. [2] 52 weeks in 1970. [3] Figures shown for 1971 are for January to September only. Inquiry discontinued. [4] In 1971 stock is at 30 September. [5] Including consumption and stocks at certain pulping plants. [6] Excluding stocks held by merchants. [7] The figures are not adjusted for changes in merchants' or users' stocks. [8] Stocks held by paper makers only.

Source: Department of Industry

TABLE 8.46

Timber

	Unit	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970 [2]	1971 [3]	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Softwood	Thousand cubic metres											
Deliveries:												
Total	,,	8,479	8,973	9,238	8,453	8,510	8,565	8,922	10,077	7,901	6,688	7,641
Imported	,,	8,248	8,734	8,971	8,165	8,221	8,235	8,626	9,775	7,633	6,447	7,347
Home grown [1]	,,	231	239	267	288	289	330	296	302	268	241	294
Stocks(end of period):												
Imported	,,	3,179	2,876	3,091	2,748	2,621	2,545	2,171	2,270	3,338	2,132	1,983
Hardwood												
Deliveries:												
Total	,,	1,566	1,504	1,574	1,396	1,374	1,178	1,243	1,480	940	942	991
Imported	,,	1,192	1,138	1,203	1,048	1,048	1,027	1,085	1,322	804	816	838
Home grown [1]	,,	374	362	371	348	326	151	158	158	136	126	153
Stocks (end of period):												
Imported	,,	445	351	357	377	351	313	291	417	352	284	286
Plywood												
Deliveries:												
Imported	,,	816	984	1,056	986	1,132	1,026	1,130	1,384	948	885	1,020
Home produced	,,	37.6	32.5	31.3	28.9	26.8	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .
Stocks (end of period):												
Imported	,,	125	147	167	144	187	170	153	259	236	181	221
Pitwood												
Production:												
Total	,,	858.0	834.3	761.8	758.8	718.0	692.4	513.3	532.0	447.3	520.2	492.5
Sawn [4]	,,	621.4	621.1	559.8	569.7	561.6	457.4	355.2	355.3	310.6	365.9	344.4
Round [4]	,,	236.6	213.2	202.2	189.1	156.4	235.0	158.1	176.7	136.7	154.3	148.1
Consumption:												
Sawn [4]	,,	776.4	698.4	680.4	622.4	615.8	485.6	366.3	368.9	326.0	383.3	358.0
Round [4]	,,	476.6	407.9	359.9	255.0	265.3	405.2	295.0	325.2	262.8	289.5	255.5
Stocks (end of period):												
Sawn [4]	,,	90.3	88.9	60.2	85.8	101.4	65.8	37.8	36.3	79.4	61.3	49.3
Round [4]	,,	556.5	435.6	236.8	219.8	274.3	279.3	249.9	240.2	250.1	266.2	204.1
Wood chipboard	Thousand tonnes											
Production		164.9	150.0	182.4	193.1	182.3	162.3	170.3	195.8	241.4	354.8	451.6
Stocks (end of period)	,,	31.8	16.4	20.1	37.8	23.3	12.1	8.0	13.4	31.1	44.9	23.8

TIME SERIES. Figures for pitwood and wood chipboard relate to periods of 52 weeks.

[1] Home grown excludes mining timber and relates to sawn and planed only. [2] Sales of home grown timber and plywood in 1970 include estimates for the period October-December. [3] From January 1971 sales of home grown timber and of plywood are in respect of firms employing 25 employees and over. [4] From January 1971; pitwood splits are included under round pitwood.

Source: Department of Industry

Fertilizers

TABLE 8.47

Years ended 31 May

Thousand tonnes

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
P_2O_5 (Phosphate) [1]											
Total production	427	416	441	444	445	539	473	467	438	445	393
Single superphosphate	82	73	70	62	55	53	44	43	48	51	41
Ground basic slag	82	85	88	81	85	91	77	71	38	28	38
Ground phosphate	6	12	11	8	11	15	10	23	21	15	12
All others	255	245	272	293	295	380	341	330	332	350	302
Total home deliveries [2]	435	453	450	451	431	466	496	370	456	338	355
Ground basic slag	89	94	98	87	96	102	93	80	49	34	40
Other straight	14	12	11	9	9	7	7	6	12	13	10
In compound form	330	345	340	355	326	358	395	282	394	293	305
N (Nitrogen) [1]											
Production	665	733	800	841	710	748	772	751	755	885	821
Home deliveries [3]	690	761	833	855	690	801	930	788	874	917	904
Deliveries for export [4]	76	94	134	148	133	99	44	64	58	42	24
K_2O (Potash) [1]											
Home deliveries [3]	418	431	459	444	443	493	450	437	472	454	414
Compounds [1] [5]											
Production	2,754	2,846	2,941	2,835	2,702	3,005	2,954	2,786	2,837	2,674	2,855
Home deliveries	2,770	2,890	2,861	2,890	2,646	2,838	3,186	2,288	3,212	2,472	2,746

[1] Natural organic fertilizers are excluded. Total production and deliveries of manufactured fertilizers are covered in terms of the content of the nutrients P_2O_5 (phosphate), N (nitrogen) and K_2O (potash) either in straight or compound form. Straight fertilizers contain only one of the three primary nutrients; compounds contain either two or three of the nutrients. Double counting is avoided in the figures. [2] Manufacturers' deliveries to merchants or to farmers whether in compound form or straight, *plus* imported fertilizer delivered for direct application. [3] Deliveries by manufacturers to first buyers and deliveries of imported fertilizer, whether for straight application or for further processing by other manufacturers into compounds. [4] Including exports of ammonium sulphate for non-agricultural use. [5] Total weight of compound fertilizers.

Source: Department of Industry

Synthetic dyestuffs, colours, paint, varnish and allied products

TABLE 8.48

	Unit	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Dyestuffs and pigments [1] [2]	Thousand tonnes										
Finished synthetic dyestuffs	,,	–	–	–	–	–	–	38.0	53.6	43.2	52.5
Synthetic organic pigments	,,	–	–	–	–	–	–	12.6	15.6	11.8	16.7
Inorganic pigment colours	,,	–	–	–	–	–	–	22.2	23.4	16.5	22.4
Ochres and mineral colours	,,	–	–	–	–	–	–	13.4	20.2	17.0	23.3
Titanium dioxide	,,	–	–	–	–	–	–	160.3	183.2	157.7	197.8
White lead	,,	–	–	–	–	–	–	1.7	1.5	1.2	1.1
Others	,,	–	–	–	–	–	–	. .	. .	. .	. .
Paint, varnish and allied products											
Sales by larger establishments [3]											
All paints and varnishes: Total	Million litres	379.6	401.0	410.5	433.2	463.3	497.1	569.0	556.4	558.2	585.0
Emulsion paints	,,	69.6	77.7	85.9	99.6	118.6	131.5	152.6	145.6	150.1	167.0
Other water paints	,,	13.2	14.1	14.5	14.5	18.6	17.6	18.3	20.5	21.5	26.5
Cellulose based varnishes, lacquers and clear solutions and pigmented cellulose paints	,,	31.8	34.1	33.2	35.0	29.2	39.0	43.7	42.3	40.0	41.9
Varnishes, lacquers and staines (other than cellulose)	,,	5.0	5.0	5.0	4.1	2.7	5.3	6.5	6.0	4.9	5.0
Others [4]	,,	259.6	270.5	272.3	280.0	294.2	303.7	347.9	342.0	341.7	344.6
Manufactured thinners (solvent mixtures), removers and strippers [5]	,,	43.6	46.4	46.4	48.6	50.7	56.4	62.4	58.2	50.4	53.9
Mastics and putty [6]	Mn. kilogrammes	39.8	40.1	34.9	34.8	58.8	61.6	96.6	89.2	57.3	55.4

[1] Figures relate to sales by manufacturers in the United Kingdom employing 25 or more persons. [2] Figures of dyestuffs and pigments in 1973 are for April to December only. [3] The figures are based on returns received from manufacturers employing 25 or more persons. A new sales inquiry was introduced at the beginning of 1971 and, although the coverage was not significantly different, figures prior to 1971 are not strictly comparable. [4] Including oil and/or synthetic based non-aqueous products, marine paints, bituminous paints and paste fillers. [5] Removers and strippers are included from 1971 to 1974 only. [6] Figures prior to 1975 include sealants (oil-based, preformed bituminous strips).

Source: Department of Industry

Inorganic chemicals

TABLE **8.49**

Thousand tonnes

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Materials used for the manufacture of sulphuric acid											
Anhydrite:											
Consumption	994.9	1,153.5	1,277.6	1,228.6	1,203.9	1,050.1	740.8	387.5	348.9	244.1	–
Stocks (end of period)	16.1	13.2	11.3	9.0	7.1	15.0	5.7	–	–	–	–
Zinc concentrates:											
Consumption	258.0	255.4	325.7	358.3	381.1	301.5	141.2	201.4	202.9	156.8	129.3
Pyrites:											
Consumption	243.1	241.0	220.8	224.2	194.5	204.9	137.2	36.4	20.6	1.1	–
Stocks (end of period)[1]	93.6	102.0	110.5	77.0	32.0	38.6	19.0	6.2	6.4	5.2	3.9
Spent oxide:											
Consumption	174.4	154.9	115.7	90.2	70.6	50.8	38.6	27.5	8.9	10.3	12.0
Stocks (end of period)	102.8	113.4	127.9	151.0	150.1	132.1	87.3	61.1	6.6	6.3	7.3
Sulphur:											
Production[2]	40.5	46.9	47.1	43.4	36.9	34.8	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .
Consumption (for acid production)[3]	645.7	647.5	670.1	666.3	718.3	809.0	929.0	1,163.2	1,166.0	977.8	1,056.4
Stocks (end of period)[3]	81.3	77.1	78.5	63.2	65.8	53.9	51.9	45.2	69.9	50.4	55.6
Sulphuric acid[4]											
Production	3,168.0	3,233.6	3,334.8	3,286.5	3,351.5	3,459.1	3,449.3	3,885.8	3,855.0	3,165.7	3,271.2
Consumption[5] : Total	3,338.6	3,411.4	3,640.4	3,725.2	3,770.6	3,813.0	3,807.4	4,282.4	4,015.0	3,370.3	3,561.2
Fertilizers	1,164.8	1,187.0	1,231.2	1,210.2	1,176.9	1,234.7	1,215.8	1,359.7	1,300.8	1,229.5	1,097.4
All other chemical uses	1,353.4	1,398.2	1,490.3	1,544.9	1,611.7	1,601.3	1,612.1	1,755.2	1,735.0	1,390.4	1,691.5
Metallurgy	131.8	131.9	143.1	136.8	126.3	123.2	120.7	124.4	107.5	77.6	83.8
Textiles Other	688.6	694.4	775.9	833.4	855.7	853.8	858.8	1,043.2	871.7	672.8	688.5
Stocks (end of period)	116.5	102.9	101.8	121.1	114.4	136.8	106.9	150.2	168.2	174.6	172.3
Calcium carbide											
Production (Thousand tonnes)	253.9	203.2	171.0	164.3	92.3	80.5	71.7	71.7	13.9	–	–

[1] Excluding government stocks. [2] Recovered and by-product sulphur, including other than for acid use. [3] Filter cake and boiler bottom are included. [4] As 100 per cent acid. [5] Including recovered acid.

Source: Department of Industry

Organic chemicals: production [1]

TABLE **8.50**

Thousand tonnes[2]

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Ethylene[3]	580.4	647.9	702.2	889.2	997.7	1,040.1	1,121.8	1,246.8	1,274.7	958.9	1,286.1
Propylene[3]	315.7	384.3	418.3	486.0	455.3	506.2	552.1	641.6	662.5	565.6	744.7
Butadiene[3]	115.3	113.6	119.8	172.5	172.9	187.6	200.4	216.7	212.0	169.0	230.2
Benzene[4]	48.4	128.5	195.5	416.8	463.1	549.6	556.2	768.1	695.6	581.8	927.7
Toluene[5]	55.5	90.5	151.6	237.4	211.2	262.7	321.8	293.0	252.0	183.8	. .
Formaldehyde[6]	93.0	91.1	101.0	111.6	121.7	111.6	121.8	126.9	135.0	110.2	130.9
Maleate esters	0.9	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.7	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .
Phosphate esters	25.0	26.0	25.8	25.1	28.4	25.8	25.6	. .	. .	. .	. .
Propyl alcohols	144.0	153.0	161.4	184.6	189.8	142.9	165.8	170.6	158.5	102.6	130.9
Ethylene oxide[7]	97.4	103.0	108.0	133.0	177.4	191.6	198.1	210.6	. .	. .	. .
Acetone	128.4	134.3	139.4	142.3	144.5	139.9	159.2	196.3	193.0	118.1	149.0
Phenol (synthetic)	78.7	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	146.4	184.9	196.1	131.8	184.6
Phthalic anhydride	67.0	68.8	69.8	58.9	74.1	. .	67.2	100.4	98.0	68.8	. .
Phthalates, organic	92.1	92.9	105.1	101.5	100.1	95.1	101.2	110.2	111.2	97.1	105.5
Ethyl alcohol[8] (Million proof gallons)	59.8	55.0	56.0	63.5	67.5	64.5	60.1	71.9	113.3	76.2	96.2

[1] Figures relate to total production i.e. 'captive use' is included. [2] Except for Ethyl alcohol which is measured in million proof gallons. [3] Produced from oil base, other than for use as fuel. [4] Includes production obtained by dealkylation of toluene (excludes production from coal). [5] Includes that used for the production of benzene, but excludes production from coal. [6] Including paraformaldehyde (expressed as 100 per cent formaldehyde). [7] Including ethylene oxide used in the production of ethylene glycols. [8] Industrial alcohol made from molasses and derived from other processes. The figures include a small quantity of beverage spirits produced by rectification of spirits distilled from molasses. In the financial year ended 31 March, 1976 this amounted to about 0.46 million proof gallons a month. The 1976 figure is therefore provisional.

Sources: Department of Industry; HM Customs and Excise

Production of synthetic resins [1]

TABLE **8.51**

Thousand tonnes

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
All synthetic resins [2]	1,017.0	1,108.3	1,233.6	1,319.0	1,448.0	1,446.9	1,607.6	2,463.4	2,426.7	2,051.5	2,509.8
Products of condensation, polycondensation and polyaddition	321.1	326.9	358.2	376.6	376.4	377.5	386.0	796.8	804.9	717.9	826.3
Alkyds (including styrenated alkyds and unsaturated polyesters):											
Solid and liquid alkyd resins including solutions, emulsions and dispersions (net resin content including oil but excluding solvent)	59.0	65.3	65.0	64.3	66.4	71.3	60.6	104.2	104.3	112.2	116.5
Unsaturated polyester resins (including reactive monomer, but excluding filler)	25.9	27.7	34.0	38.5	40.8	39.4	47.8	65.8	56.7	51.3	62.8
Aminoplastics:											
Alkylated resin solutions (actual weight including solvent)	10.3	10.2	11.6	12.2	12.7	11.6	12.0	11.4	140.4	121.9	142.4
Solid resins	15.4	15.8	15.2	14.6	21.4	26.7	26.4	132.3			
Other liquid resins and solutions (actual weight including solvent)	95.2	92.5	103.2	109.4	102.9	99.4	104.6				
Phenolics:											
Straight liquid resins, including aqueous solutions and dispersions (actual weight including water)	31.5	30.0	31.6	33.6	27.6	25.3	25.5	41.6	29.2	24.4	27.3
Straight resins, solid or in organic solution	27.8	27.2	30.4	32.9	26.2	23.9	23.3	24.4	23.6	17.8	19.6
Modified resins, including those in solution	7.3	7.4	6.4	6.9	6.0	6.1	5.7	7.1	6.5	4.5	6.6
Polyurethanes	25.5	27.2	33.3	31.4	33.4	36.4	41.8	47.1	59.5	57.3	72.6
Epoxide resins (net resin content excluding added non-reactive solvent and/or filler)	7.0	7.2	8.5	11.1	13.6	15.3	14.8	18.7	18.5	16.4	21.1
Other [3]	16.2	16.4	19.0	21.6	25.2	22.2	23.3	344.2	366.2	312.1	357.4
Products of polymerisation and copolymerisation	678.4	763.5	860.1	926.5	1,056.3	1,054.7	1,207.3	1,537.0	1,487.9	1,227.8	1,571.3
Acrylics:											
Latices, dispersions and solutions	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	20.0	49.5	38.7	46.4
Moulding and extrusion compounds, cast sheet, cast rod and cast tube (based on methyl methacrylic monomer)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	30.4			
Polyolefines:											
Polyethylene	259.7	284.0	291.8	308.8	384.1	372.3	435.6	534.3	491.0	382.9	468.1
Polypropylene	26.7	48.6	63.8	70.8	74.1	90.1	117.7	166.7	210.9	169.7	248.6
Polyvinyl acetate, including solutions and dispersions (net resin content exlcuding plasticiser)	29.3	31.1	34.6	39.3	42.6	42.3	44.4	60.5	63.0	66.2	86.1
Polyvinyl chloride (including latices, solutions and dispersions)	201.9	227.6	271.3	283.2	314.5	314.4	344.3	400.0	367.0	334.0	416.9
Styrene polymers and co-polymers:											
Non-toughened straight polystyrene resins, moulding and extrusion compounds	35.1	35.7	36.7	36.4	38.8	35.2	39.4	53.3	53.0	39.6	57.2
Toughened grades of resins, moulding and extrusion compounds	48.8	54.1	62.6	77.4	86.2	92.5	107.4	119.5	110.9	86.6	115.6
Other, including solutions, emulsions and dispersions, co-polymer resins and non-toughened co-polymer moulding and extrusion compounds but excluding styrene-butadiene copolymers	22.3	23.6	30.1	34.2	37.0	32.8	37.1	66.5	60.3	58.4	64.9
Other	54.7	58.8	69.2	76.3	79.0	75.2	81.4	85.7	82.4	51.7	67.6
Cellulosics and other plastics and modified natural resins	17.5	17.9	15.3	15.9	15.3	14.7	14.3	129.6	134.0	105.8	112.2
Cellulose ester and ether sheet, film, foil, rod, tube profile shapes and photographic film base	9.0	9.7	10.5	10.7	10.0	10.3	9.7	..	..	..	..
Cellulose ester moulding and extrusion compounds	4.5	4.0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Resin ester gums	4.0	4.2	4.8	5.2	5.3	4.4	4.6	..	..	..	..
Regenerated cellulose film, including laminates	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	92.2	91.1	64.6	81.7
Other cellulosics and other plastics and modified natural resins (including casein, alginates and resin ester gums)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	37.5	42.8	41.2	30.5

[1] Unless separately specified, all figures are in terms of net resin content and co-polymers are recorded against the heading for resins made from the major monomeric ingredient of the co-polymer. [2] A new enquiry was introduced at the end of 1972 and the figures from 1973 onwards are not comparable with those for previous years. [3] Figures from 1973 onwards include production of polymers and co-polymers of polyamide and polyester by firms classified to man-made fibre industry.

Source: Department of Industry

TABLE 8.52

Rubber and carbon black

Thousand tonnes

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Natural rubber											
Imports: Total	188.9	194.2	203.0	202.1	201.8	195.7	178.6	195.4	175.1	174.8	177.0
Crude	161.5	167.5	173.0	173.2	177.8	172.5	151.1	170.1	151.2	158.0	158.7
Latex	27.3	26.6	30.0	28.9	24.0	23.2	27.5	25.3	23.8	16.8	18.3
Home consumption [1]:											
Total	175.8	170.4	185.9	181.3	178.0	177.0	163.9	161.5	157.7	157.3	159.8
Crude	150.8	145.6	158.9	157.4	157.1	158.0	144.3	142.7	140.8	142.1	
Latex	25.0	24.8	27.0	23.9	20.9	19.0	19.6	18.8	16.9	15.2	
Re-exports: Total	6.6	9.0	8.9	4.3	7.4	7.0	6.9	7.9	13.3	6.0	5.8
Crude	5.0	7.3	7.9	3.6	4.6	2.9	3.1	5.7	10.6	4.2	
Latex	1.6	1.7	1.0	0.7	2.8	4.1	3.8	2.2	2.6	1.8	
Stocks (end of period) [2]:											
Total	26.1	24.0	23.3	26.7	25.9	29.8	27.4	28.5	23.0	21.7	25.1
Crude	21.9	20.1	20.3	21.6	22.0	25.8	22.2	24.7	18.1	18.4	
Latex	4.2	4.0	2.9	5.0	3.8	4.0	5.2	3.8	4.9	3.3	
Synthetic rubber											
Production	194.1	209.9	243.9	281.4	315.6	285.5	316.5	364.4	335.8	260.8	320.4
Imports: Total	62.0	70.6	75.3	89.5	93.5	110.1	107.8	131.5	115.3	110.2	134.1
Dry	56.1	65.8	67.3	82.5	84.9	97.8	94.8	116.4	100.4	91.8	111.5
Latex	5.9	4.8	7.9	7.0	8.5	12.3	13.0	15.1	14.9	18.3	22.6
Exports and re-exports	59.2	55.7	70.9	98.5	117.2	128.2	144.6	171.2	168.6	104.0	131.3
Home consumption [1]:											
Total	182.8	189.2	217.6	239.6	257.4	261.4	256.2	264.1	256.0	221.6	259.5
Dry	163.3	166.1	189.8	203.0	210.8	215.7	208.6	216.1	205.8	185.5	
Latex	19.5	23.1	27.8	36.6	46.5	45.7	47.6	48.0	50.2	36.1	
Stocks (end of period) [3]:											
Total	25.2	33.8	38.1	50.5	64.9	57.4	59.1	53.2	56.4	57.0	54.8
Reclaimed rubber											
Production	35.8	34.7	36.8	35.4	30.0	30.0	25.7	26.0	26.5	24.2	24.3
Home consumption [1]	30.0	29.3	29.4	26.2	22.0	21.0	19.0	18.0	17.8	16.3	16.5
Exports	7.4	6.0	8.7	8.1	7.5	6.3	5.7	7.8	9.1	7.7	9.7
Stocks (end of period)	3.8	3.6	3.0	3.8	2.2	3.3	3.1	1.9	2.3	2.0	2.2
Natural, synthetic and reclaimed rubber:											
Total consumption	388.5	387.4	431.5	445.6	456.8	459.0	439.1	443.6	430.7	395.2	435.8
Natural and synthetic rubber (analysis of consumption by products) [4]											
Total	358.6	359.6	403.6	420.8	435.4	438.4	420.1	425.5	422.5	378.9	419.4
Tyres and tubes	199.7	198.7	224.1	229.9	233.3	241.7	223.4	224.8	213.6	213.9	230.3
Cables	5.7	6.6	5.5	5.5	5.3	5.7	4.8	5.1	4.7		
Belting	8.4	8.6	8.4	10.1	10.9	8.3	8.7	10.5	10.5		
Footwear (including soles, heels and soling sheet)	16.2	14.0	15.3	14.1	13.2	13.9	12.1	12.7	11.6		
Cellular products	16.5	17.0	20.6	19.5	19.8	19.4	23.1	18.9	15.1		
Other and unclassified uses	112.2	114.6	129.5	141.7	152.8	149.4	148.1	153.7	167.0	165.0	189.1
Carbon black											
Production [5]	165.8	162.9	183.8	198.2	210.5	217.9	204.0	218.1	200.9	209.9	217.5

[1] Figures are obtained from returns completed by manufacturers of rubber goods because of a change in the method of collection, from 1976 the breakdown between crude and latex is no longer available. They are slightly lower than the total amount of rubber consumed for all purposes as evident from net imports, production and stock changes. [2] Excluding government stocks. [3] Excluding importers stocks. [4] Figures obtained from returns completed by manufacturers. From 1975 figures for Cables, Belting, Footwear and Celluar products are included in Other. [5] Including lamp and vegetable black; excluding acetylene and bone black.

Source: Department of Industry

TABLE 8.53

Sales of rubber products

£ million

	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Tyres and tubes	249.2	286.5	304.8	363.8	439.7	548.8
Belting [1]	21.5	25.0	30.9	42.4	73.6	75.6
Hose and tubing	35.8	42.5	50.8	63.9	77.6	88.4
Other products	213.8	230.7	268.8	334.6	391.9	469.3
Total sales	520.3	584.7	655.3	804.7	982.8	1,182.1

[1] In 1971 excludes automotive v-belts and timing belts, which are included with other products.

Source: Department of Industry

Minerals: production

TABLE **8.54**

Thousand tonnes

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976 [12]
Chalk	19,351	18,322	19,011	18,295	15,982	17,758	19,995	2,160	20,488	17,924	15,941
Chert and flint	131	58	55	15	23	16		142	362	. .	. .
China clay	2,552	2,653	2,826	3,055	3,233	2,799	3,014	3,458	4,296	3,232	3,861
China stone [1]											
Potters' clay [2]	692	693	742	830	837	732	699	753			
Clay, shale, etc. [3]	34,084	37,295	37,854	37,315	32,086	31,683	33,672	33,948	30,896	. .	. .
Fireclay	1,977	1,718	1,969	1,703	1,967	2,230	2,107	1,832	1,704	1,606	1,513
Industrial sand [4]	815	682	638	661	683	569	569	885	5,990	6,139	5,578
Sand and Gravel [5]	104,994	110,378	110,245	106,779	107,827	109,420	113,660	138,841	104,478	110,060	101,814
Igneous rock [6]	28,712	34,222	34,074	35,806	36,108	37,327	40,587	47,625	43,084	42,017	36,940
Limestone [7]	67,850	77,406	81,188	83,935	89,948	94,458	94,216	108,403	102,533	95,213	87,221
Sandstone [8]	7,667	9,615	13,465	16,636	13,473	11,735	13,012	16,912	14,758	. .	
Slate [9]	85	85	78	70	65	68	59	64	64	58	134
Barytes:											
Not ground	6	4	1	1	. .	. .	. .	59	50	52	50
Ground (unbleached)	26	26	25	23	. .	. .	. .				
Witherite	5	6	5	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Calcspar	24	33	28	27	25	28	19	20	21	19	16
Fluorspar [10]	149	148	178	188	199	228	221	227	227	235	217
Gypsum [11]	4,326	4,594	4,790	4,596	4,276	4,173	4,164	4,208	3,802	3,479	3,350
Salt obtained from brine	1,478	1,413	1,518	1,605	1,733	. .	. .	1,643	1,862	1,740	1,918
Salt contained in brine and used for purposes other than salt making	4,808	4,997	5,131	5,582	5,698	. .	. .	5,754	5,569	5,136	5,477
Salt, rock	1,047	703	1,105	1,539	1,598	1,854	1,298	1,121	988	. .	. .

[1] Excluding china stone from 1974. [2] Including ball clay. [3] Including diatomite produced in Northern Ireland. [4] Including Moulding and Pig-bed sand and from 1974 silica sand. [5] Including silica sand until 1973, but excluding production from dredging operations which amounted to 11.2 million tonnes in 1975 and 12.1 million tonnes in 1976. [6] Including perlite and granite. [7] Including Dolomite. [8] Including silica stone, ganister, grit and conglomerate. [9] From 1974, includes waste used for constructional fill and powder and granules used in manufacturing. From 1976 includes all powder granules and fill. [10] Excluding mineral obtained from some old mine dumps for which returns are not made to the Department of the Environment. [11] Includes anhydrite. [12] Provisional.

Sources: Department of the Environment; Business Statistics Office; Department of Commerce (Northern Ireland)

Soaps, detergents and polishes

TABLE **8.55**

Thousand tonnes

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971 [1]	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Soap											
Total production [2]	344.2	325.1	316.3	279.7	265.9	260.3	236.3	. .	. .	. .	. .
Hard, in bars or tablets	47.7	41.0	36.9	34.3	30.7	27.6	23.8	22.8	23.5	20.8	19.2
Flakes and chips	21.2	19.8	19.8	18.1	15.3	15.3	9.6	8.2	7.5	6.9	6.6
Powders and dry soaps (other than abrasive)	168.9	158.4	149.9	110.5	103.6	101.4	101.4	. .	. .	. .	. .
Toilet	89.9	87.6	92.8	101.2	98.2	94.9	95.2	105.8	114.1	118.3	125.3
Other [3]	16.7	18.4	17.0	15.6	18.0	21.0	6.4	7.5	9.1	8.8	9.1
Scouring preparations [4]	106.6	100.7	108.6	103.5	100.0	92.6	102.9	106.2	102.5	92.6	93.7
Synthetic detergents and surface-active materials [5]											
Net sales [6]	371	393	421	492	506	463	591	639	687	688	711
Polishes											
Manufacturers' sales [7]:											
Floor and furniture polishes	25.5	25.0	26.4	26.0	28.1	32.8	40.5	45.9	43.5	41.4	44.8
Leather polishes	5.9	5.1	5.7	5.9	5.6	4.2	4.3	4.1	3.8	3.9	9.7
Car polishes [8]	2.9	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	5.1	4.6	4.4	5.0	
Sanitary cleansers [9]	24.4	22.4	21.4	23.0	19.3	21.4	19.0	22.8	20.8	18.1	23.7

[1] From July 1971 new enquiries were introduced for these commodities and figures for the second half of the year were not comparable with previous years and the first six months of 1971. Figures for 1971 have been estimated on the old enquiry basis. [2] For household, domestic and industrial (including laundries) purposes. Figures relate to deliveries by manufacturers employing 25 or more persons. [3] Including soft soap, liquid soap, lathering shaving soap and cream and soap shampoos. [4] Deliveries by manufacturers employing 25 or more persons. Including products for cleaning floors, paintwork, metal, wood or synthetic surfaces which may contain phosphates or silica in suspension, shampoos for carpets and furnishing fabrics and soap or synthetic based scouring powders. Sanitary cleansers are excluded. [5] Excluding wetters, disinfectants, spreaders and emulsifiers, abrasive and scouring preparations containing synthetic detergents. Sales by larger manufacturers in the United Kingdom, free of double counting of materials at different stages of manufacture, expressed in terms of weight of product as sold. [6] Excluding export figures for liquid, paste or other forms, from 1972. [7] Figures relate to firms employing 25 or more persons. [8] Including pre-cleaners. [9] Sales by firms employing 25 or more persons. Including sweeping powders and compositions.

Source: Department of Industry

TABLE 8.61

Building materials and components: production [1]

Great Britain

	Unit	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Building bricks (excluding refractory and glazed) [2]	Millions	7,072	7,208	7,465	6,734	6,062	6,541	6,938	7,183	5,575	5,046	5,406
Cement [3]	Thousand tonnes	16,792	17,617	17,940	17,460	17,171	17,697	18,048	19,986	17,781	16,891	15,780
Building sand [4] [5]	,,	17,862	18,921	19,520	18,786	18,450	19,743	21,314	23,619	20,295	21,444	20,351
Concreting sand [5]	,,	31,722	32,783	33,180	33,401	33,523	33,329	33,147	37,587	32,468	32,667	30,957
Gravel [5] [6]	,,	55,606	59,566	58,428	56,596	57,331	58,754	62,873	67,943	59,876	63,069	58,580
Manufactured lightweight aggregates [7]	,,	. .	. .	. .	814	792	984	1,050	1,092	1,012	1,274	1,546
Ready mixed concrete [3]	Million m^3	16.6	19.7	21.8	23.0	23.3	25.2	27.1	31.7	27.8	26.7	24.8
Silica refractory and moulding sands	Thousand tonnes	4,803	4,679	4,920	5,550	5,782	5,645	5,478	6,384	. .	. .	. .
Asbestos cement products:												
Corrugated sheets	,,	369.0	373.1	394.3	352.6	353.5	380.2	395.7	433.9	406.0	291.9	301.7
Flat sheets	,,	67.5	66.2	65.1	51.2	50.0	45.2	48.5	46.8	48.4	41.7	49.2
All other products	,,	142.4	145.7	136.3	134.0	112.0	123.7	117.3	118.8	93.5	89.1	93.0
Clay roofing tiles [8]	Thousand m^2	1,643	1,551	1,444	1,132	953	969	1,151	1,238	1,195	1,108	1,173
Concrete roofing tiles [2]	,,	25,921	27,446	28,627	25,867	22,349	27,787	30,144	30,669	27,359	26,302	29,839
Concrete building blocks [2]	,,	44,309	49,877	51,242	46,471	49,817	57,767	68,404	72,767	56,541	62,133	69,761
Concrete pipes: [9]	Thousand tonnes											
Flexible jointed		145.0	167.3	157.1	133.1	136.2	142.7	130.2	156.0	1,330	1,424	1,370
Extra strength	,,	246.2	312.2	337.0	432.2	475.7	537.5	683.3	821.8			
Other pipes and fittings	,,	335.1	372.4	354.4	377.5	375.9	396.9	457.8	492.6			
Pitch fibre pipes and conduits	,,	34.6	37.1	41.5	41.7	32.8	33.9	31.7	30.1	24.5	16.8	17.4
Roofing slates	,,	33.0	39.0	31.9	24.1	18.5	19.1	16.4	17.0	18.0	17.4	15.8
Slates (damp-proof course) [10]	,,	3.3	3.8	2.6	1.4	1.0	1.1	0.9	0.9	0.6	0.5	
Gypsum (excluding anhydrite)	,,	2,575	2,714	2,600	2,855	2,847	3,027	3,386	3,689	3,115	3,206	3,148
Plaster	,,	992	962	1,004	942	868	942	1,019	1,125	1,038	1,047	1,053
Plasterboard	Thousand m^2	64,718	76,059	85,285	82,824	82,118	95,401	103,241	112,801	110,861	104,396	116,999
Insulation board, laminated wall board and hard board	Thousand tonnes	58.7	36.4	37.4	38.6	38.0	31.9	36.4	35.3	29.3		
Unglazed quarry tiles [8]	Thousand m^2	1,298	1,356	1,431	1,616	1,565	1,298	1,259	1,325	1,241	1,146	1,019
Unglazed floor tiles	,,	1,027	1,023	1,078	1,263	1,362	1,392	1,528	1,840	1,906	1,704	1,769
Glazed tiles	,,	13,147	13,003	15,433	16,327	14,122	15,289	16,185	17,142	16,376	14,212	15,410
Cast iron pipes and fittings [3] [11] [12]	Thousand tonnes	100	85	75	70	61	52	46	43	40	40	50
Pressure pipes and fittings [3] [12]	,,	652	614	455	451	460	365	389	350	340	291	267
Vitrified clay pipes [8]	,,	697	799	793	727	671	715	750	753	. .	. .	. .
Lead sheet and pipe [3]	,,	67	67	66	58	53	54	55	55	47	. .	. .
Copper pipe [3]	,,	78	71	73	69	69	67	74	79	66	64	73
Copper sheet, strip and plate [3]	,,	63	57	63	58	54	54	53	58	55	. .	. .
Metal windows and casement doors: [2]												
Steel	Tonnes	59,940	55,836	52,307	44,176	45,060	40,990	41,670	40,115	33,203	27,061	24,319
Aluminium	,,	7,531	6,944	7,315	7,400	7,785	8,391	14,092	15,085	17,540	27,464	27,743

TIME SERIES. The figures relate to periods of 52 weeks for insulation board, etc.

[1] The figures are summaries of returns made by manufacturers and producers. They represent total production and not merely the quantities available for building purposes. [2] From 1975 figures include additional sites. The change has had the following effects: Building bricks production increased by 1%; metal windows production increased by 14.0%; concrete building blocks production increased by an average of 11.0%, manufactured lightweight aggregate 24% and concrete roofing tiles production increased by less than 1%. [3] United Kingdom. [4] Including sand used in the production of sand lime bricks. [5] The 1975 and 1976 figures relate to production resulting from the Annual Minerals Revised Inquiries. These include additional sites not covered by the quarterly inquiries on which data prior to 1975 is based. [6] Figures include hoggin, irrespective of purpose. [7] Including Aglite, Foamed Slag, Leca, Lytag and Solite. [8] From April 1971 figures relate to manufacturers' sales by firms employing 25 or more persons. [9] From 1974 figures relate to manufacturers' sales by firms employing 11 or more persons. From 1975 figures relate to manufacturers' sales by firms employing 25 or more persons. [10] From 1976 roofing and damp proof courses have been rolled. [11] Including rainwater, hot water and soil pipes and gutters. [12] 1970 is a 53-week year.

Sources: Department of the Environment; Business Statistics Office; Department of Industry; World Bureau of Metal Statistics

Construction: value of output in Great Britain [1] [2]

TABLE 8.62

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
All work: total	4,336	4,635	5,029	5,201	5,517	6,116	6,951	8,877	10,040	11,421	12,527
New work: total	3,098	3,331	3,623	3,762	3,967	4,422	4,966	6,347	7,049	7,997	8,766
New housing: total	1,246	1,376	1,513	1,470	1,426	1,628	1,915	2,539	2,589	3,021	3,588
For public sector	594	672	731	727	689	688	697	867	1,122	1,479	1,798
For private sector	652	705	782	743	737	941	1,218	1,672	1,467	1,543	1,790
Other new work: total	1,852	1,955	2,110	2,291	2,541	2,794	3,051	3,808	4,459	4,975	5,177
For public sector	882	1,013	1,133	1,206	1,357	1,452	1,595	1,939	2,142	2,510	2,742
For private sector:											
Total	970	942	976	1,085	1,185	1,341	1,457	1,869	2,317	2,465	2,436
Industrial	506	463	498	578	620	658	690	844	1,073	1,174	1,211
Commercial	465	479	479	508	564	683	767	1,025	1,243	1,291	1,225
Repair and maintenance: total	1,238	1,304	1,406	1,439	1,550	1,694	1,985	2,530	2,992	3,425	3,761
Housing	520	564	628	639	685	765	940	1,277	1,503	1,659	1,786
Public other work	508	528	539	548	593	647	744	875	998	1,234	1,358
Private other work	209	213	239	253	271	282	301	378	491	531	617

[1] Output by contractors, including unrecorded estimates by small firms and self-employed workers, and by the public sectors' direct labour departments classified to construction in the 1968 Standard Industrial Classification. [2] Series revised by removing output by some firms including those producing steel oil drilling platforms reclassified to Structural steel fabrication from Construction.

Source: Department of the Environment

Construction: value of new orders obtained by contractors [1]

Great Britain

TABLE 8.63

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974 [2]	1975	1976 [3]
New work: total	2,879	3,394	3,222	3,172	3,384	4,069	5,059	6,613	5,795	6,206	7,124
New housing: total	1,156	1,421	1,260	1,079	1,171	1,345	1,823	2,314	1,880	2,513	2,868
From public sector	565	708	637	522	542	520	625	802	1,034	1,404	1,453
From private sector	591	712	623	557	629	825	1,198	1,512	847	1,109	1,415
Other new work: total	1,724	1,973	1,963	2,093	2,213	2,724	3,235	4,299	3,914	3,692	4,255
From public sector: total	939	1,226	1,138	1,151	1,177	1,599	1,876	2,156	1,966	2,273	2,402
Gas, electricity, coalmining	162	186	100	87	126	155	104	124	239	318	435
Railways and air transport	19	29	35	26	26	58	42	56	50	83	75
Schools	140	195	183	175	198	275	349	333	275	312	283
Universities	57	37	30	35	28	31	34	42	19	23	27
Health	119	102	139	108	98	184	163	212	160	205	191
Offices, factories, etc. [4]	60	82	84	93	135	118	164	240	217	288	316
Roads	162	242	280	334	219	257	381	447	380	382	372
Harbours	22	50	17	28	26	22	40	39	73	82	54
Water	25	39	47	44	39	58	61	64	72	93	114
Sewerage	75	114	87	90	129	179	250	280	144	197	191
Miscellaneous	99	151	137	131	152	262	288	319	338	290	346
From private sector: total [5]	784	747	825	942	1,036	1,125	1,359	2,143	1,948	1,419	1,854
Industrial: total	427	448	483	561	565	462	554	1,012	994	664	872
Commercial: total	358	299	341	382	471	663	805	1,131	954	755	981
Offices	86	79	81	106	147	200	367	523	470	294	471
Shops	84	77	95	106	117	129	174	261	182	178	211
Entertainment	64	64	81	70	118	214	123	158	126	89	134
Garages	29	20	17	23	24	32	33	40	31	21	34
Schools and colleges	13	5	4	5	5	8	11	17	15	9	12
Miscellaneous	83	53	64	71	60	80	97	133	132	164	120

[1] Series revised by removing orders obtained by some firms including those producing steel oil drilling platforms reclassified to Structural steel fabrication from Construction [2] Figures from July 1974 include orders received from firms, mostly small, which have now been added to the statistical register. [3] From April 1976, figures are not precisely comparable with those for earlier periods because of revisions to estimates methods and minor changes in type of work classification. [4] Including garages and shops. [5] Figures for private sector include work to be carried out by contractors on their own initiative for sale.

Source: Department of the Environment

Manufacturers' sales of selected product groups

TABLE 8.71

Standard Industrial Classification 1968

	Minimum List Heading	Unit	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976 [1]
Order VII										
Mechanical engineering[2]										
Agricultural machinery (excluding tractors [3]	331	£ million	75.2	72.0	73.6	82.0	106.1	133.2	155.9	187.9
Metal-working machine tools	332	"	204.6	240.6	228.6	230.1	273.3	319.6	418.5	458.4
Pumps, valves, compressors and fluid power equipment	333	"	. .	. .	. .	351.8	416.8	517.2	676.8	801.7
Pumps [4]	333.1	"	. .	. .	. .	83.5	99.7	137.5	193.5	245.7
Valves [4]	333.2	"	. .	. .	. .	106.1	108.1	147.9	207.9	234.7
Compressors [4]	333.3	"	49.2	53.2	59.7	52.9	65.7	231.8	275.4	321.3
Fluid power equipment [4]	333.4	"	. .	. .	. .	75.3	106.7			
Industrial engines	334	"	. .	. .	. .	142.9	166.4	210.2	347.2	407.0
Textile machinery and accessories	335	"	139.6	144.5	152.0	173.5	201.7	234.9	260.7	256.6
Construction and earth-moving equipment [3]	336	"	232.0	255.7	245.9	309.2	385.3	428.7	562.4	707.2
Mechanical handling equipment [5]	337	"	193.4	245.0	265.3	328.2	388.9	506.4	670.9	723.9
Office machinery [3]	338	"	105.1	125.8	122.3	128.0	134.8	141.0	155.8	149.4
Mining machinery	339.1	"	65.8	72.6	95.3	115.7	137.7	174.6	281.7	310.2
Printing, bookbinding and paper goods machinery	339.2	"	. .	. .	. .	89.4	106.8	131.0	148.4	157.2
Refrigerating machinery, space heating, ventilating and air conditioning equipment	339.3/4	"	117.7	129.4	133.3	227.1	291.5	322.9	380.0	427.8
Refrigerating machinery [3] [6]	339.3	"	36.8	38.0	37.5	47.4	64.9	81.1	81.3	104.7
Space heating [6]	339.4	"	80.9	91.4	95.8	88.6	101.1	100.4	125.2	136.8
Ventilating and air conditioning equipment [6] [7]						72.7	97.0	116.1	107.4	117.2
Scales and weighing machinery and portable power tools	339.5/6	"	. .	. .	. .	63.6	88.9	107.2	117.2	140.9
Food, drink processing machinery and packaging and bottling machinery	339.7/8	"	76.7	91.9	87.7	112.7	126.3	153.9	193.7	225.2
Food and drink processing machinery [6]	339.7	"	47.9	59.5	54.7	63.1	65.8	76.4	104.4	124.5
Packaging and bottling machinery [6]	339.8	"	28.8	32.4	33.0	43.2	52.6	67.2	77.5	86.6
Miscellaneous (non-electrical) machinery	339.9	"	351.5	391.4	313.3	350.6	420.6	481.8	552.2	644.9
Industrial (including process) plant and steelwork [8]	341	"	. .	. .	. .	620.1	748.3	954.1	1,275.2	1,494.0
Boilers and boilerhouse plant [6]	341.1	"	119.0	121.3	141.3	117.7	119.0	137.8	187.6	237.4
Other industrial (including process) plant and steelwork [6]	341.2	"	. .	. .	. .	106.7	121.8	147.5	210.8	220.8
Constructional steelwork [6]	341.4	"	. .	. .	. .	157.2	213.5	288.9	389.0	437.2
Fabricated iron and steelwork [6]	341.5	"	. .	. .	. .	152.1	174.1	240.3	306.5	358.7
Ball, roller, plain and other bearings	349.1	"	78.0	89.3	96.2	129.1	146.8	175.4	213.9	242.2
Precision chains and other mechanical engineering products	349.2/3	"	. .	. .	. .	323.7	385.9	482.0	610.7	689.8
Order VIII										
Instrument engineering [9] [10]										
Photographic and document copying equipment	351	"	51.3	72.9	71.2	70.3	91.9	105.3	113.4	132.3
Photographic cameras and projectors		"	. .	. .	. .	7.4	10.2	12.3	12.9	20.4
Cinematographic cameras and projectors		"	. .	. .	. .	1.5	1.4	1.6	1.8	1.5
Other photographic and cinematographic equipment [11]		"	. .	. .	. .	60.6	79.2	90.2	97.5	107.2
Watches and clocks	352	"	18.8	21.6	22.6	29.1	35.6	46.7	59.6	66.6
Clocks: mechanical		Millions	3.6	4.0	. .	4.1	4.2	4.3	3.7	3.4
electric		"	1.5	1.6	. .	1.5	1.7	1.7	2.2	2.4
Wrist watches [12]		"	4.9	5.1	. .	4.2	4.9	5.7	6.3	5.8
Surgical instruments and appliances	353	£ million	. .	. .	. .	77.6	94.0	110.5	131.1	152.8
Surgical, dental and veterinary instruments and appliances		"	. .	. .	. .	50.7	59.1	71.3	89.9	106.1
Spectacles, etc.		"	17.3	19.5	23.6	19.5	25.8	28.1	28.3	33.4
Scientific and industrial instruments and systems	354	"	. .	. .	. .	371.3	409.8	475.6	580.0	698.4
Optical		"	. .	. .	. .	25.6	31.2	31.4	41.7	49.5
Other		"	. .	. .	. .	328.5	358.2	421.3	513.2	616.2

[1] Figures for 1976 are provisional. [2] Figures from 1973 are not completely comparable with those for earlier years. [3] The values for 1969 to 1971 are taken from the product series. [4] Excluding waste products, work done and unclassified sales in 1972 and 1973. [5] Including powered industrial trucks in 1969 and subsequent years. [6] Excluding waste products, work done and unclassified sales from 1972 onwards. [7] Excluding ducting and parts in 1975 onwards. [8] Excluding process plant engineering contractors. [9] The value of work done had been added to total figures for each Minimum List Heading only. [10] Figures from 1972 onwards are not completely comparable with those for earlier years. [11] Including document copying machines and microfilm equipment, but excluding lenses, chemicals and sensitised materials. [12] Including other watches prior to 1971. [13] Excluding turbines prior to 1972. [14] Figures for 1971 and earlier years relate to production. [15] Excluding alarms and signalling equipment prior to 1972. [16] Including industrial water heaters in 1974 and 1975. [17] Figures before 1972 include sales of imported goods. [18] Figures from 1974 exclude non-electric refrigerators. [19] Coverage was extended in 1968 by under 10 per cent and from 1970 onwards differs from previous years. [20] Including kettles and teapots, cookware, bakeware and other domestic metal hollow-ware.

Source: Department of Industry

Manufacturers' sales of selected product groups

Standard Industrial Classification 1968

TABLE 8.71 *(continued)*

	Minimum List Heading	Unit	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976[1]
Order IX										
Electrical engineering[2] [9]										
Electrical machinery	361	£ million	414.6	441.3	477.3	. .	647.7	804.7	1,009.3	1,211.7
Machinery for generating, transmitting and distributing electric power[13]		"	128.1	136.1	153.6	. .	228.0	295.6	359.8	448.4
Switchgear and control gear		"	179.2	185.7	191.3	. .	187.6	226.1	298.0	366.5
Other		"	107.3	119.5	132.4	. .	163.3	205.1	253.8	287.1
Insulated wires and cables	362	"	285.3	332.2	338.1	. .	411.2	536.1	524.2	580.1
Telegraph and telephone apparatus and equipment	363	"	197.2	219.0	228.5	. .	402.1	417.6	496.1	540.7
Radio and electronic components	364	"	226.9	261.5	263.9	. .	570.0	644.1	640.3	779.2
Valves and other active components		"	100.9	115.3	110.3	. .	159.0	158.7	145.8	164.3
Integrated circuits		"	11.8	13.1	11.3	. .	30.6	40.8	37.4	49.1
Passive components		"	114.2	133.1	142.3	. .	365.7	427.0	425.1	536.1
Gramophone records and tape recordings	365.1	"	. .	. .	40.8	. .	79.6	102.2	115.4	112.5
Records: 33⅓ r.p.m.[14]		Millions	59.6	65.9	72.3	. .	120.2	133.3	118.7	102.2
Other speeds[14]		"	46.8	47.1	48.2	. .	75.6	90.1	92.3	74.6
Broadcast receiving and sound reproducing equipment	365.2	£ million	143.4	188.9	254.1		423.7	419.5	388.5	418.5
Television receivers: monochrome		Millions	1.76	1.73	1.56	1.55	1.01	0.67	0.54	0.56
colour		"	0.14	0.49	0.83	1.48	2.12	1.95	1.58	1.54
Electronic computers and related equipment	366	£ million	141.8	209.2	193.4	205.3	352.8	412.7	489.3	627.9
Radio, radar and electronic capital goods[15]	367	"	309.8	371.4	378.3	. .	389.2	480.2	611.5	813.6
Public broadcasting equipment		"	17.1	12.2	10.6	5.8	16.0	22.2	23.2	30.2
Radio, radar and other navigational aid		"	151.9	188.9	181.3	189.1	207.4	270.2	328.5	457.9
Hearing aids with transistor amplification		"	2.1	2.3	2.5	. .	. .	1.5	3.9	5.0
Electrical appliances primarily for domestic use	368	£ million	206.6	215.4	250.4	. .	372.2	391.5	513.2	570.9
Water heaters[16]		"	3.44	3.58	4.09	4.42	8.91	12.62	15.74	19.72
Cookers, 5 KW and over		Millions	0.65	0.76	0.82	0.79	1.03	0.81	0.76	0.72
Vacuum cleaners		"	1.89	2.09	2.16	2.55	1.69	1.80	2.61	2.84
Washing machines		"	0.83	0.95	1.05	1.25	1.32	0.99	1.25	1.24
Refrigerators and deep-freeze units[17] [18]		"	1.10	1.12	1.01	1.05	1.24	1.18	1.38	1.63
Electrical equipment for motor vehicles, cycles and aircraft	369.1	£ million	110.0	118.4	126.2	. .	217.1	245.0	267.4	329.5
Primary and secondary batteries	369.2	"	75.3	76.6	89.6	. .	. .	143.9	167.5	198.9
Primary batteries		"	28.1	28.7	32.3	. .	. .	47.2	58.0	72.2
Secondary batteries: total		"	47.2	47.9	57.3	. .	74.6	95.8	108.7	125.6
for motor vehicles and cycles		Millions	. .	. .	. .	. .	7.06	6.13	5.57	6.12
Electric lamps, electric light fittings, wiring accessories, etc.	369.4	£ million	177.5	197.9	207.8	. .	233.5	263.2	288.6	348.3
Light fittings, wiring accessories, etc.		"	134.4	146.0	152.5	. .	136.4	161.7	174.3	218.9
Discharge lamps[14]		Millions	48.6	59.2	61.1	54.1	67.6	69.9	54.1	60.5
Filament lamps, bulbs, exceeding 28v[14]		"	293.9	298.2	263.7	275.6	308.2	276.1	271.4	269.2
Order X										
Shipbuilding	370	£ million	. .	. .	. .	653.2	749.9	815.1	946.4	1,271.1
Order XI										
Vehicles	380-385	"	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .			
Wheeled tractors	380	"	. .	. .	. .	. .	320.7	392.4	583.7	784.3
Motor vehicles	381.1	"	. .	. .	. .	. .	3,370.2	3,668.8	4,156.6	5,327.2
Trailers, caravans and freight containers	381.2	"	. .	. .	. .	. .	198.5	213.3	208.3	288.7
Motorcycles and pedal cycles	382	"	. .	. .	. .	63.8	71.6	65.4	84.2	87.9
Aerospace equipment	383	"	. .	. .	. .	1,001.6	1,067.2	1,233.4	1,594.9	1,845.1
Railway locomotives, carriages and wagons	384/5	"	. .	. .	. .	154.0	159.4	191.1	237.4	299.4
Order XII										
Miscellaneous metal goods:										
Engineers' small tools and gauges[2] [19]	390	"	111.6	135.4	128.6	119.2	196.6	230.4	268.4	289.2
Hand tools and implements[2]	391	"	45.8	47.8	52.6	55.2	70.7	86.4	98.7	120.4
Cutlery, spoons, forks and plated tableware	392	"	. .	. .	. .	52.0	63.5	76.6	83.6	94.4
Finished cutlery for domestic use[10]		"	7.1	7.6	7.6	6.1	7.2	8.6	10.4	10.6
Spoons and forks (other than silver and gold)[10]		"	5.4	5.2	4.8	3.9	4.2	4.7	4.5	4.8
Jewellery	396.2	"	. .	. .	. .	66.0	96.8	133.1	155.4	176.2
Metal furniture	399.1	"	. .	69.2	74.3	90.5	109.6	129.8	134.4	151.6
Domestic hollow-ware[2] [20]	399.6 (part)	"	26.2	28.4	30.6	29.8	29.8	36.8	44.7	46.8

See footnotes on page 235.

Source: Department of Industry

Volume index numbers of sales and orders for the engineering industries

TABLE 8.72

	Total			Home			Export		
	Orders on hand end of period	Net new orders	Sales	Orders on hand end of period	Net new orders	Sales	Orders on hand end of period	Net new orders	Sales
	End–December 1970 = 100	1970 Average monthly sales = 100		End–December 1970 = 100	1970 Average monthly sales = 100		End–December 1970 = 100	1970 Average monthly sales = 100	
Engineering industries combined									
SIC Orders VII, VIII and IX									
1969[1]	101	100	97	102	99	99	100	102	91
1970	100	99	100	100	99	100	100	100	100
1971	93	97	101	95	98	101	89	93	102
1972	99	103	101	103	108	105	90	91	92
1973	133	134	113	134	136	117	131	131	102
1974	128	109	111	123	105	111	139	118	113
1975	99	90	108	91	87	105	113	98	115
1976	91	100	105	78	92	99	117	119	117
Percentage change 1976 on 1975[2]	*−8.0*	*+11.0*	*−3.0*	*−14.5*	*+5.5*	*−5.5*	*+3.5*	*+21.5*	*+1.5*
Mechanical engineering									
SIC Order VII									
1969[1]	102	106	97	103	103	100	101	112	90
1970	100	99	100	100	98	100	100	100	100
1971	84	90	100	87	90	98	79	89	104
1972	83	93	95	88	96	98	75	88	90
1973	127	133	104	127	134	108	128	132	96
1974	123	101	104	117	97	103	134	109	105
1975	87	80	103	83	78	100	95	84	110
1976	73	89	99	66	84	94	87	99	107
Percentage change 1976 on 1975[2]	*−16.0*	*+11.5*	*−4.0*	*−20.5*	*+7.5*	*−6.0*	*−8.5*	*+18.0*	*−2.5*
Instrument engineering									
SIC Order VIII									
1969[1]	98	93	92	100	96	94	92	89	88
1970	101	101	100	100	100	100	102	103	100
1971	104	101	101	96	98	100	126	108	101
1972	113	96	92	109	99	93	123	90	92
1973	144	115	102	134	109	97	171	125	110
1974	144	105	105	130	95	97	186	123	118
1975	119	89	101	104	82	95	161	103	111
1976	112	98	102	105	97	97	132	101	110
Percentage change 1976 on 1975[2]	*−6.0*	*+10.0*	*+1.0*	*+1.0*	*+18.5*	*+2.0*	*−18.0*	*−2.0*	*−1.0*
Electrical engineering									
SIC Order IX									
1969[1]	101	94	98	101	96	99	101	89	94
1970	100	100	100	100	99	100	101	100	100
1971	105	104	102	107	107	104	101	96	97
1972	120	118	112	124	124	115	111	99	98
1973	140	140	127	143	142	131	133	131	113
1974	134	120	123	131	115	122	143	135	128
1975	113	103	115	102	97	112	140	123	126
1976	115	115	113	91	100	106	168	163	140
Percentage change 1976 on 1975[2]	*+2.0*	*+11.5*	*−1.5*	*−11.0*	*+3.0*	*−5.5*	*+20.0*	*+32.5*	*+11.0*

[1] Figures for net new orders include an estimate for January 1969. [2] The percentage changes have been based on the unrounded values and are given to the nearest half percentage point.

Source: Department of Industry

Merchant shipbuilding[1] : vessels of 100 gross tons and over [2]

TABLE 8.73

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Completions											
Value (£ million): Total	140	155	116	141	180	180	220	230	228	270	375
For export[3]	34	54	47	38	34	51	59	61	62	98	144
Number of vessels: Total	211	199	152	138	144	134	139	137	134	144	140
Tankers of 300 gross tons and over	19	17	13	13	21	15	19	9	10	12	14
Cargo and passenger[4]	58	59	49	53	54	53	56	50	35	38	44
Other (excluding non-propelled) [5]	90	85	72	56	62	57	54	67	85	81	76
Non-propelled	44	38	18	16	7	9	10	11	4	13	6
For export[3]	38	58	39	38	25	38	30	26	31	41	43
Thousand gross tons[6] : Total	1,130	1,192	1,046	814	1,297	1,259	1,208	1,069	1,189	1,203	1,460
Tankers of 300 gross tons and over	401	155	239	47	519	469	412	221	457	592	720
Cargo and passenger[4]	630	891	757	723	741	734	747	804	673	573	691
Other (excluding non-propelled) [5]	92	138	47	40	35	54	44	40	56	34	42
Non-propelled	7	8	4	4	2	3	6	4	3	5	7
For export[3]	287	611	590	315	260	357	398	327	235	365	589
Net new orders[6]											
Value (£ million): Total	69	115	287	324	329	122	184	989	364	59	104
For export[3] [7]	33	19	100	65	53	104	61	90	285	−13	145
Number of vessels: Total	145	125	205	190	196	54	103	292	140	22	87
Tankers of 300 gross tons and over[7]	10	14	30	31	9	8	11	58	2	−1	−12
Other	135	111	175	159	187	46	92	234	138	23	99
For export[3]	34	20	54	41	38	17	19	63	52	3	38
Thousand gross tons[6] [7] : Total	384	1,035	2,566	2,031	1,461	761	822	4,357	90	−76	−523
Tankers of 300 gross tons and over[7]	−2	658	915	649	43	682	573	3,233	−535	−125	−919
Other[7]	386	377	1,651	1,383	1,418	79	249	1,124	625	49	397
For export[3] [7] [8]	127	68	1,112	398	182	858	185	−30	723	−118	192
Orders on hand (at end of year)											
Value (£ million): Total	267	230	401	588	737	678	643	1,402	1,538	1,327	1,057
For export[3]	106	71	120	147	166	219	222	251	474	363	364
Not yet laid down											
Number of vessels: Total	90	62	114	143	200	115	69	217	210	114	85
Tankers of 300 gross tons and over	10	10	22	30	26	19	11	54	42	31	7
Other	80	52	92	113	174	96	58	163	168	83	78
For export [3]	35	14	33	39	49	35	24	56	72	38	35
Thousand gross tons[6] ; Total	895	972	2,464	3,139	3,282	2,730	2,065	5,384	4,256	3,002	1,190
Tankers of 300 gross tons and over	118	641	1,285	1,473	1,086	1,289	1,216	3,982	2,841	2,147	470
Other	777	331	1,179	1,666	2,196	1,442	848	1,402	1,414	855	720
For export[3]	590	174	853	913	798	1,265	1,045	781	1,075	576	460
Under construction											
Number of vessels: Total	164	118	119	142	136	141	151	158	171	145	119
Tankers of 300 gross tons and over	14	10	15	25	17	17	17	23	27	25	23
Other	150	108	104	117	119	124	134	135	144	120	96
For export[3]	47	36	33	29	31	24	25	32	38	34	33
Thousand gross tons[6] : Total	1,363	1,096	1,095	1,617	1,612	1,634	1,904	1,881	1,951	1,945	1,754
Tankers of 300 gross tons and over	272	241	268	679	572	557	786	1,029	1,202	1,189	1,216
Other	1,091	855	827	937	1,040	1,078	1,119	852	749	755	538
For export[3]	650	562	383	386	403	408	403	313	507	521	348

[1] Includes naval vessels registered as merchant ships. [2] Gross tonnage (100 cubic feet per g.t.) is the total volume of the enclosed spaces of a vessel. [3] Vessels recorded for export if they are for other than UK registration. [4] Includes bulk carriers, container ships, coasters (300 gross tons and over), colliers, tramps, passenger liners and passenger/cargo liners. [5] Ferries, trawlers, tugs, dredgers and other miscellaneous self-propelled vessels. [6] The total tonnage specified on ordering vessels differs slightly from the total actual measured tonnage at completion. Figures with a minus sign show the effects of cancellations, alterations of tonnage and changes of registration of ships already on order. [7] Modifications and cancellations exceed new orders for the types and periods, indicated by a minus sign. [8] Tonnage switched during 1971 from UK to export registration exceeded total cancellations.

Source: Department of Industry

TABLE 8.74

Motor vehicles, cycles and aircraft production

Number

	Minimum List Heading	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Wheeled and half track tractors of 10 brake h.p. and over [1] [2]	380	179,212	180,439	160,703	151,500	134,295	119,306	119,600	141,700	136,500
Motor vehicles [3]	381									
Passenger cars:										
Total		1,815,936	1,717,073	1,640,966	1,741,940	1,921,311	1,747,321	1,534,119	1,267,696	1,333,449
1,000 c.c. and under		258,342	242,879	245,217	272,129	245,137	234,014	205,106	165,164	134,748
Over 1,000 c.c. but not over 1,600 c.c.		1,133,760	1,079,337	992,529	972,773	1,025,686	907,965	784,379	649,062	736,020
Over 1,600 c.c. but not over 2,800 c.c.		363,182	326,117	324,011	424,994	573,118	523,174	467,106	403,921	404,712
Over 2,800 c.c.		60,652	68,740	79,209	72,044	77,370	82,168	77,528	49,549	57,969
Commercial vehicles Total		409,186	465,776	457,532	456,206	408,119	416,623	402,566	380,705	372,057
Goods vehicles, etc. [4] Total		390,649	442,454	434,298	429,688	377,956	386,187	368,899	345,062	338,881
Car derivatives [5]		97,435	114,844	110,497	113,611	112,396	100,670	92,644	80,503	82,060
Other										
By gross vehicle weight:										
Not over 10 tons [6]		204,267	222,567	220, 505	224,281	201,470	209,880	199,372	175,488	183,892
Over 10 tons		75,254	88,284	84,969	76,502	53,667	63,261	64,423	79,601	63,496
Motive units for articulated vehicles		13,693	16,759	18,327	15,294	10,423	12,376	12,460	9,470	9,433
Buses and coaches										
Single deck buses		17,273	22,044	21,561	24,578	27,795	28,689	31,776	33,202	30,761
Double deck buses		1,264	1,278	1,673	1,940	2,368	1,747	1,891	2,441	2,415
Trailers: [1] [7]										
Caravans		81,479	80,993	88,294	85,338	113,341	127,820	92,914	81,732	101,077
Other [8]		42,223	46,966	44,617	37,540	49,045	57,467	43,101	30,516	. .
Pedal cycles [1] (Thousands)	382	1,504	1,624	1,605	1,769	2,007	2,081	1,934	1,925	1,833
New aircraft [9]	383	278	500	352	380	246	293	364	339	341

TIME SERIES. Figures for cars and commercial vehicles relate to periods of 52 weeks (53 weeks in 1969). All other figures relate to calendar years.

[1] Deliveries. [2] Prior to 1972 tractors were classified by belt h.p. Tractors for agricultural and industrial use are included but those for road haulage are excluded. [3] Including taxis, and chassis delivered as such by manufacturers. [4] Excluding battery-operated electric road vehicles. [5] That is vans derived from car chassis. The figures for 1972 and earlier relate to goods vehicles of not over 1½ tons gross vehicle weight. In practice, the coverage is almost the same.. [6] The figures for 1972 and earlier relate to goods vehicles of over 1½ tons, not over 10 tons gross vehicle weight. [7] From 1972 onwards figures are based on the results of the new quarterly inquiry, which is more comprehensive in coverage. [8] Including detachable semi-trailers. [9] Deliveries. Including military aircraft for the Services.

Source: Department of Industry

Hosiery, knitwear and gloves: manufacturers' sales [1]

TABLE 8.75

Millions

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Underwear, shirts and nightwear [2], [3]											
Men's: Total	66.2	58.7	61.3	62.0	61.8	56.7	60.9	60.0	55.5	48.8	53.4
Cotton	58.0	52.4	54.7	54.4	53.6	44.8	44.4	41.6	34.6	31.0	35.6
Women's: Total	83.8	80.8	87.6	85.1	78.1	80.5	76.7	81.0	78.4	81.3	73.4
Cotton	47.6	44.1	41.1	35.7	30.9	32.9	29.4	29.4	29.0	30.0	26.7
Children's and infants': Total	55.6	46.1	54.3	55.1	53.9	61.3	59.5	58.0	51.5	44.6	45.1
Cotton	41.1	34.9	34.7	31.5	27.5	27.5	23.3	20.0	18.7	15.2	19.0
Outerwear [2]											
Pullovers, jumpers, cardigans, etc.:											
Men's: Total	17.9	17.0	20.4	23.9	23.2	30.7	27.7	29.4	27.3	26.6	28.7
Wool	14.1	13.2	14.8	17.0	15.8	19.5	17.3	17.8	14.7	11.4	11.8
Women's: Total	55.9	53.4	65.2	59.4	62.0	63.3	67.0	77.3	76.7	79.3	84.0
Wool	16.6	14.4	14.3	13.3	12.5	9.5	10.0	10.3	8.8	8.5	9.1
Children's and infants' [4]: Total	23.2	20.2	21.7	25.4	26.1	41.3	43.1	43.0	40.0	27.1	26.9
Wool	4.0	2.6	2.6	2.4	2.1	2.0	2.3	2.2	1.8	1.1	1.1
Socks and stockings (Pairs)											
Men's	91.9	85.6	89.5	91.8	96.8	97.4	102.6	113.2	112.7	110.7	114.0
Women's:											
Full length stockings	454.1	456.7	351.2	189.0	113.6	98.1	69.5	56.4	61.0	42.7	41.6
Tights and pantihose [5]	–	–	115.6	245.8	355.0	443.2	513.1	512.4	524.3	453.1	433.1
Ankle socks and three-quarter hose	6.0	4.7	3.0	3.7	8.6	8.1	8.7	10.4	9.8	15.8	25.9
Children's and infants' socks, three-quarter hose and stockings	66.5	63.1	70.3	77.8	77.5	82.7	69.3	83.6	82.7	97.5	96.5
Gloves [6] (Pairs): Total	35.09	32.53	36.16	37.09	38.44	40.96	36.86	42.42	41.49	29.44	32.74
Leather	12.36	11.93	12.70	13.14	12.98	15.52	14.27	14.34	10.77	8.07	7.66
Fabric [7]	21.32	19.72	22.65	22.80	24.56	24.48	21.63	26.83	29.32	20.27	23.33
Knitted	1.41	0.87	0.81	1.15	0.90	0.96	0.98	1.25	1.40	1.10	1.75

TIME SERIES. In 1966 the figures for hosiery and other knitwear (including knitted gloves) relate to year ended 31 January.

[1] The figures relate to sales by establishments employing 25 or more persons. [2] Including garments made-up from knitted fabrics of all types by establishments engaged in knitting, except those engaged mainly in warp knitting. [3] From 1967 the figures do not include shirts. [4] Excluding infants' gloves, bootees, infantees, etc. [5] Prior to 1968 figures for women's tights and pantihose were not collected separately. [6] Excluding rubber gloves and sports gloves. As from 1971 the figures relate to sales by manufacturers employing 11 or more persons. [7] Including gloves of vinyl, supported or unsupported.

Source: Department of Industry

Made-up clothing, leather (tanning and dressing) and fellmongery, leather goods and fur

TABLE **8.76**

Manufacturers' sales and work done [1]

£ million

	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Weatherproof outerwear	50.2	52.2	55.3	68.6	89.1	101.1
Men's and boys' tailored outerwear	220.8	233.6	252.2	277.5	319.8	334.0
Women's and girls' tailored outerwear	125.7	138.6	163.6	190.2	230.8	232.2
Overalls and men's shirts, underwear, etc.	117.1	132.0	155.3	183.0	197.7	240.1
Women's and girls' light outerwear, lingerie, infants' wear, etc.	262.1	283.8	322.6	381.9	416.9	491.5
Hats, caps and millinery	. .	14.8	17.6	18.8	19.9	21.9
Corsets and miscellaneous dress industries [2]	74.1	79.6	88.3	94.5	115.0	128.5
Leather (tanning and dressing) and fellmongery	124.9	152.8	184.6	175.0	193.4	272.7
Leather goods [3]	37.9	42.0	51.2	56.8	66.4	71.7
Fur [4]	. .	14.2	17.4	19.2	21.4	28.4

[1] The figures relate to the total sales of the products listed by establishments employing 25 or more persons. For clothing they include the making up of clothes cut from purchased knitted fabric, but not the manufacture of knitted goods by establishments engaged in knitting. [2] Includes swimwear, umbrellas, walking sticks and other clothing accessories. [3] Includes trunks, suitcases, handbags, etc., and saddlery of leather or leather substitutes (including plastics and fibre glass). [4] Includes dressed and dyed furs and fur garments.

Source: Department of Industry

Footwear: manufacturers' sales [1]

TABLE **8.77**

	Unit	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total	£ million	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	286.2	294.4	344.8	374.8	418.5	468.6
Complete footwear	Million pairs	193.8	190.1	200.8	194.1	190.5	194.2	184.4	189.3	173.1	163.5	156.7
Footwear (other than slippers, house shoes and ballet shoes) with uppers wholly or mainly of leather:												
Total	£ million	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	188.8	194.6	209.8	217.2	252.2	299.4
	Million pairs	121.3	109.6	113.2	107.1	96.0	96.1	91.5	82.7	69.7	68.5	69.5
Men's	£ million	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	71.9	76.5	86.2	89.9	103.5	118.8
	Million pairs	41.2	38.8	43.0	41.6	40.9	30.9	29.3	27.4	22.9	22.8	22.0
Women's	£ million	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	73.7	71.2	68.8	68.4	81.7	100.7
	Million pairs	67.7	58.8	57.8	52.9	42.5	32.5	30.2	24.1	20.1	19.8	21.0
Children's [2]	£ million	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	38.2	40.7	48.0	50.1	56.0	64.7
	Million pairs	10.7	9.9	10.0	10.0	9.8	29.5	28.7	28.0	23.6	22.2	22.1
Sports shoes	£ million	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	5.0	6.2	6.8	8.8	11.0	15.2
	Million pairs	1.8	2.1	2.4	2.6	2.8	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.1	3.7	4.4
Footwear (other than slippers, house shoes and ballet shoes) with uppers wholly or mainly of materials other than leather: [3]	£ million	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	62.5	62.8	91.7	100.8	103.0	100.2
	Million pairs	24.1	31.1	36.8	38.6	47.1	51.1	45.9	57.2	53.1	46.9	41.8
Slippers, house shoes and ballet shoes	£ million	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	22.8	24.8	28.7	35.7	38.7	40.5
	Million pairs	38.3	39.7	40.6	37.9	37.6	38.1	38.8	41.0	41.3	38.9	36.6
Rubber protective footwear	£ million	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	4.5	4.1	4.5	5.0	5.3	5.4
	Million pairs	5.7	5.4	5.2	5.3	4.2	3.2	3.0	2.8	2.7	2.5	2.1
Plastic protective footwear	£ million	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	2.0	1.7	1.8	3.3	3.6	4.1
	Million pairs	2.1	2.0	2.6	2.5	2.9	3.1	2.5	2.7	2.7	3.0	3.0
Safety footwear	£ million	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	5.6	6.4	8.3	12.8	15.7	19.0
	Million pairs	2.3	2.2	2.5	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.7	2.9	3.5	3.7	3.7

[1] From 1971 all figures relate to sales by manufacturers employing 25 or more persons. [2] From 1971 includes youths' and boys', maids' and girls', previously included with Men's and Women's respectively. [3] Including sports shoes with uppers of materials other than leather and single texture plimsolls, and sand shoes.

Source: Department of Industry

TABLE 8.78

Domestic furniture, divans, floor coverings and miscellaneous household equipment: manufacturers' sales [1]

	Unit	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Domestic furniture[2]	Value £ mn.	157.2	152.4	181.4	178.0	204.7	252.8	318.5	420.0	430.7	578.7	654.6
Divans[3]												
Single	Millions	0.96	1.00	1.09	1.06	1.01	1.05	1.13	1.14	0.96	1.00	1.05
Double	,,	0.80	0.81	0.88	0.82	0.91	0.99	1.05	1.09	0.93	1.04	1.09
Floor coverings[4]												
Linoleum[5]	Million square metres						6.1	5.2	5.6	4.6	4.0	3.9
Plastic floor coverings	,,						53.7	49.1	54.1	50.5	47.4	51.3
Coir matting	,,	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .
Carpets and rugs:												
Woven wool	,,	32.8	29.8	33.4	32.8	31.8	31.4	33.4	32.6	27.1	25.6	23.9
Tufted	,,	36.0	44.1	49.7	52.9	60.7	70.7	89.7	102.2	102.8	109.5	125.8
Other	,,	17.6	18.2	20.0	25.3	26.8	29.7	27.7	27.8	27.3	26.1	24.9
Brushes and brooms[4]	Value £ thousand						30,619	34,133	39,336	46,696	46,567	52,234
Domestic pottery[6]												
Earthenware	,,	27,163	27,470	29,182	32,681	36,818	40,098	44,698	52,644	66,999	90,406	103,969
Jet and Rockingham	,,	323	319	327	349							
China	,,	13,963	14,446	15,864	18,605	20,861	23,758	26,341	28,441	36,704	49,253	64,484
Stoneware	,,	2,401	2,634	3,156	3,475	4,098	4,864	6,293	7,022	9,320	13,383	15,589
Cutlery, spoons and forks[7]												
Finished cutlery:	,,											
Tools of trade	,,	347	334	330	242	254	302	1,885	2,383	3,683	5,050	5,509
For domestic use[8]	,,	7,377	6,727	8,405	7,073	7,633	7,589	6,057	7,333	8,569	10,412	10,641
Spoons and forks (other than of silver, silver plated and gold)	,,	5,409	4,859	4,877	5,377	5,249	4,829	3,903	4,154	4,731	4,522	4,811
Domestic hollow-ware	,,	24,353	23,465	24,965	26,225	28,378	30,571	29,827	33,922	36,812	44,723	46,799

TIME SERIES. Calendar years or annual rates based on the 12 months beginning nearest 1 January.

[1] Prior to 1970 figures for domestic furniture are deliveries by firms with more than ten employees engaged on domestic furniture production in Great Britain; figures for divans are manufacturers' deliveries. From 1970 manufacturers' sales of both domestic furniture and divans are by firms with 25 or more employees. [2] Excluding items made entirely of metal. [3] Excluding un-upholstered metal divans; including upholstered spring bases. [4] The figures are based on a new inquiry which was introduced at the beginning of 1971, and are not comparable with figures for earlier years, as published in previous issues of the *Abstract.* [5] In sheet and tile form including both hessian-backed and felt-backed standard linoneum, and also hardened linoneum, but excluding printed feltbase. [6] From 1971 manufacturers' sales of domestic pottery are by firms with 25 or more employees. In the same period sales of earthenware include those for Jet and Rockingham. [7] From 1972 figures for cutlery, spoons and forks are on a new basis. [8] Scissors of all types are included in cutlery for domestic use.

Source: Department of Industry

Toys, indoor games and sports equipment: manufacturers' sales [1]

TABLE **8.79**

£ thousand

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Toys											
Dolls [2]	5,214	4,122	4,313	4,573	4,122	6,369	7,543	8,230	5,878	9,011	10,287
Soft toys [2]	2,447	2,217	2,102	2,206	2,509	3,280	3,352	4,658	5,709	4,678	5,959
Metal	18,139	20,266	24,190	26,459	21,279	27,768	28,673	31,114	47,050	54,865	64,195
Plastic	16,194	14,559	17,852	21,186	15,767	20,253	21,160	26,602	34,139	39,570	49,802
Rubber	1,360	1,115	1,117	1,193	1,077	1,791	1,961	1,906	2,462	2,553	3,056
Wooden	1,899	2,332	2,407	2,330	2,296	2,917	3,918	5,909	7,211	7,158	6,378
Wheeled [3]	6,508	6,683	7,473	7,774	8,750	9,070	9,082	10,860	11,339	14,751	15,545
Paper and paperboard	450	388	369	189	734	1,518	1,619	1,827	843	514	471
All other toys	7,617	6,742	6,949	8,103	10,865	15,840	17,663	21,868	29,661	34,783	40,826
Indoor games [4]	5,399	4,732	5,802	5,624	6,567	8,255	9,082	12,608	21,316	26,961	31,732
Sports equipment [5] [6]	17,836	17,925	20,375	21,720	19,408	27,983	33,058	41,826	55,123	63,831	73,313

TIME SERIES. The figures relate to a Calendar year.

[1] From 1 April 1970 figures are in respect of firms employing 11 or more for toys and games and 25 or more for sports equipment; from 1973 figures for toys and games relate to firms employing 25 or more. Figures for 1970 relate to the period April to December only. [2] Excluding dolls and soft toys of rubber. [3] Including toy bicycles and tricycles, scooters and pedal cars, doll's prams and doll's push chairs. [4] Including chess, draughts, and domino sets, jigsaw puzzles and card games (including playing cards). [5] Including darts and dart boards, table tennis tables and equipment and accessories for billiards, but excluding billiard tables. [6] Includes billiards tables from 1975.

Source: Department of Industry

Pens and pencils: manufacturers' sales

TABLE **8.80**

£ thousand

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970 [4]	1971 [5]	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Fountain pens	3,297	3,273	3,492	3,433	3,209	2,652	2,963	3,457	4,549	4,630	5,365
Ball point pens	4,605	4,872	5,428	5,570	6,106	5,583	6,843	7,849	10,355	11,106	13,205
Refills for ball point pens	741	810	772	921	970	1,147	1,195	1,544	1,613	1,470	2,212
Cartridge refills	..	..	..	..	..	248	297	275	385	368	339
Felt tip pens and markers	677	778	1,140	1,294	3,464	2,977	3,736	4,350	4,999	5,580	5,769
Fibre tip pens and markers	592	696	927	1,209							
Mechanical pencils [1]	388	421	473	472	499	389	416	585	843	858	839
Other pencils [2]	1,985	2,030	2,226	2,330	2,358	2,430	2,578	3,033	4,561	4,317	5,016
All other [3]	564	539	724	832	949	1,299	1,615	1,968	2,539	2,468	5,094

[1] Including propelling and sliding pencils. [2] Including coloured pencils. [3] Relate only to pencil leads, crayons, etc. [4] Figures in 1970 include estimation for the 4th quarter. [5] From January 1971 figures are in respect of firms employing 25 and over.

Source: Department of Industry

Alcoholic drink

TABLE **8.81**

	Unit	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Spirits [1]												
Production	Million proof gallons	145.1	130.3	127.0	141.5	154.8	161.7	184.0	197.3	202.4	171.3	153.9
Consumption [2]												
Total	,, ,,	17.8	17.9	18.6	17.5	20.1	21.1	24.2	30.1	33.2	31.6	35.6
Imported: Rum	,, ,,	1.6	1.5	1.7	1.6	2.0	2.2	2.6	3.4	3.6	3.3	3.3
Brandy	,, ,,	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.6	1.8	2.2	2.8	2.6	2.3	2.6
Other	,, ,,	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.6	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.6
Home produced:												
Mature	,, ,,	9.0	9.2	9.8	9.2	10.5	11.1	12.6	15.3	17.4	16.3	18.7
Immature	,, ,,	4.7	4.7	4.5	4.1	4.6	4.8	5.0	7.2	8.1	8.2	9.4
Medical (rebated) [3]	,, ,,	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	. .	. .	. .	. .
Beer												
Production	Million bulk barrels	30.2	30.7	31.4	32.9	33.7	34.7	35.3	37.0	38.5	39.5	40.1
Consumption [2]												
Total	,, ,,	30.8	31.5	32.0	33.4	34.4	35.8	36.7	38.3	39.1	40.1	40.7
Home produced	,, ,,	29.5	30.1	30.6	31.9	32.8	33.9	34.8	36.0	37.4	38.4	38.9
Imported	,, ,,	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.8	1.9	2.2	1.7	1.7	1.8
Imported wine												
Consumption [2]												
Total	Million gallons	28.3	32.0	35.4	33.7	35.4	42.2	49.7	63.7	65.5	64.1	69.4
Heavy	,,	10.9	12.2	12.9	12.0	12.8	14.4	15.9	18.3	18.3	17.5	38.9
Light	,,	16.0	18.2	20.6	20.0	20.7	25.6	31.1	42.1	44.4	43.9	27.6
Sparkling	,,	1.4	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.9	2.2	2.7	3.3	2.8	2.7	3.0
British wine												
Consumption [2]	,,	9.4	9.6	11.1	11.1	10.4	11.7	12.2	14.8	17.0	13.4	11.3

[1] Potable spirits distilled including spirits produced from molasses. [2] Quantities retained for home use. [3] From 8 August, 1972, duty on medical spirits was abolished and quantities are no longer recorded.

Source: HM Customs and Excise

Tobacco

TABLE **8.82**

Million lb.

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Stocks (end of period) [1]	397.3	367.3	370.4	354.3	349.2	340.7	298.4	245.5	263.6	332.6	325.5
Clearances											
Gross: Total [2]	302.5	306.9	311.1	310.4	311.2	298.4	320.0	341.0	333.6	328.5	334.4
Unmanufactured leaf:											
Full rate [3]	132.3	148.3	168.2	167.2	166.5	149.5	146.9	157.7	156.7	173.6	200.2
Other preferential rates	168.5	156.8	140.3	138.9	138.2	139.0	157.7	163.3	156.7	134.1	112.3
Manufactured products	1.7	1.8	2.6	4.3	6.5	9.8	15.3	20.0	20.3	20.8	21.9
Net [4]	237.8	240.5	238.5	233.1	229.4	220.1	234.0	247.6	235.9	224.0	229.5

[1] Quantities of imported unmanufactured tobacco remaining in bond; quantities in transit are excluded. [2] Duty-paid clearances of tobacco including manufactured tobacco. [3] From 1 July, 1973, also EEC rate. [4] Gross clearances *less* quantity on which drawback has been paid.

Source: HM Customs and Excise

IX. Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

Agricultural censuses and surveys

Up to 1969, the figures for Great Britain relate to agricultural holdings exceeding one acre in extent, but in June, 1968, about 47,000 holdings were excluded from the census in England and Wales on the grounds that they were not statistically significant. In Scotland, 16,000 holdings were excluded on the same grounds with effect from June, 1970.

Up to 1972, figures for Northern Ireland relate to holdings of one acre or more, except for numbers of livestock, which were collected from all owners, irrespective of the size of the holding, and also from landless stockholders.

From June, 1973, some 8,000 statistically insignificant holdings were excluded from the census.

The exclusion of these statistically insignificant holdings has not affected the cropping and stocking figures for the United Kingdom to any significant extent.

Between June, 1969, and June, 1970, some 10,000 holdings in England and Wales were 'statistically amalgamated'. These holdings, farmed with other holdings as part of a larger single farm unit, were formerly returned separately but are now returned as part of the larger unit.

The definition of agricultural holdings has been widened to include, as from June, 1970, some 2,300 statistically significant holdings on one acre or less of agricultural land in Great Britain and, as from June, 1973, about 2,000 statistically significant but landless stock-holdings in Northern Ireland. The cropping and stocking figures returned by holdings on one acre or less in Great Britain account for significant differences between the June, 1970, census results and those for previous years only in the case of pigs and fowls.

From June, 1973, the threshold of significance in Great Britain was raised from 26 to 40 standard man-days (a standard man-day (smd) represents 8 hours productive work by an adult male worker under average conditions), excluding from the census a further 8,000 or so holdings on about 185,000 acres of land, mostly permanent grass and rough grazing. The net result of this change, together with the elimination of 6,000 or so holdings in Northern Ireland, has been to exclude some 14,000 holdings on about 225,000 acres of land in the United Kingdom.

The United Kingdom figures now relate to all known holdings with 40 smd or more; in England and Wales and Northern Ireland holdings with less than 40 smd are included only if they have 10 acres or more of crops and grass or at least one regular whole-time worker.

Crops and grass exclude rough grazing.

Rough grazing (including common rough grazings) includes the total area of deer forest land in Scotland. The fall of 1,031,000 acres between 1969 and 1970 is largely accounted for by exclusion from the census of the 16,000 holdings in Scotland referred to above.

Agricultural output, input and net income at current prices [1]

TABLE **9.1** Years ended May £ million

	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77 [2]
Output											
1. Farm crops [3]: Total	401	409	388	434	444	466	533	831	931	1,211	1,589
Wheat	81	94	89	91	126	137	156	269	305	273	384
Barley	142	146	134	144	137	139	169	313	325	330	400
Oats	8	11	10	10	12	10	12	16	15	16	22
Potatoes	112	92	89	123	98	98	118	121	164	449	610
Sugar beet	39	42	43	41	44	57	49	69	59	85	96
Hops	8	7	6	7	8	9	9	9	9	9	10
Beans for stockfeed	3	4	5	5	4	3	6	7	8	6	8
Grass and clover seed	2	3	2	3	3	3	4	8	8	5	8
Other [4]	6	8	10	10	12	10	10	19	38	38	52
2. Horticulture: Total	219	231	253	268	277	292	343	414	488	551	595
Vegetables (including mushrooms)	125	132	142	152	158	163	184	247	301	354	384
Fruit	45	47	56	56	56	63	86	86	98	98	101
Other [5]	49	52	55	60	63	65	74	80	89	99	110
3. Livestock: Total	678	725	746	808	912	966	1,178	1,450	1,672	2,001	2,287
Fat cattle and calves	274	314	312	337	388	407	521	575	745	960	1,046
Fat sheep and lambs	88	88	87	84	95	103	128	167	164	206	260
Fat pigs	208	209	220	249	281	292	348	449	482	520	596
Poultry	100	107	118	127	138	152	167	239	261	294	361
Other [6]	8	7	10	11	10	11	14	20	20	21	24
4. Livestock products: Total	612	637	655	665	727	795	859	1,096	1,232	1,510	1,736
Milk and milk products	416	438	442	455	512	584	642	751	928	1,187	1,340
Eggs	178	180	196	192	199	194	198	324	281	296	366
Clip wool	16	16	14	14	13	14	14	16	17	20	23
Other [7]	2	2	3	4	2	3	4	5	6	7	7
5. Sundry output: Total [8]	10	11	11	12	12	15	24	28	32	34	34
6. Total output i.e. items 1–5	1,920	2,012	2,053	2,187	2,372	2,533	2,936	3,820	4,355	5,308	6,242
7. Sundry receipts: Total	24	58	29	31	26	49	25	32	35	36	40
Deficiency payments on retained cereal	14	16	16	19	3	25	6	—	—	—	—
PMB compensation payments	—	5	—	—	11	10	—	4	—	—	—
CAP support	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	2	4	3
Brucellosis incentive scheme	—	—	—	—	—	2	3	3	9	2	4
Animal disease compensation	2	28	2	2	2	1	4	7	9	13	15
Other [9]	8	10	12	10	10	11	12	14	15	17	18
8. Production grants: Total	96	90	100	100	116	119	90	104	163	113	131
Fertilisers and lime	38	37	38	36	45	46	15	20	4	5	5
Other [10]	58	53	62	64	70	73	75	84	158	108	126
9. Total receipts i.e. items 6–8	2,040	2,160	2,182	2,318	2,514	2,701	3,051	3,955	4,553	5,456	6,413
10. Work in progress [11]: Total	+12	–6	–4	+19	+14	+44	+77	+65	–69	–50	–17
Growing crops	+2	—	–13	+6	–1	–3	–5	+1	–16	+13	–1
Livestock numbers	+10	–6	+9	+13	+15	+47	+82	+64	–53	–63	–16
11. Gross output i.e. items 9–10	2,052	2,153	2,178	2,336	2,528	2,745	3,128	4,020	4,484	5,406	6,396
12. Intermediate output [12]: Total	133	154	153	151	157	151	218	348	378	350	490
Feed [13]	109	131	130	125	130	127	188	302	326	272	368
Seed	24	23	22	26	27	23	30	46	52	78	122
13. Final output i.e. item 11 *minus* 12	1,920	1,999	2,025	2,185	2,371	2,594	2,911	3,672	4,106	5,056	5,905

See footnotes on page 247.

Sources: Agricultural Departments

Agricultural output, input and net income at current prices [1]

Years ended May

TABLE 9.1 (*continued*)

£ million

	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/6	1976/77 [2]
Input										
14. Expenditure: Total	1,124	1,174	1,220	1,389	1,469	1,587	2,175	2,428	2,794	3,533
Feedingstuffs	499	513	545	637	606	735	1,106	1,136	1,242	1,714
Seeds	47	48	51	54	49	64	91	101	143	210
Livestock (imported and interfarm expenses)	64	71	71	76	99	96	97	108	122	109
Fertilisers and lime (before subsidy)	144	150	140	169	225	154	251	291	344	394
Machinery: Total	145	154	162	180	198	217	254	320	383	475
Repairs	69	73	78	87	95	104	116	146	176	220
Fuel and oil	54	56	57	66	72	77	98	128	142	175
Other (including contract services)	22	24	26	28	32	36	41	46	65	79
Farm maintenance: Total	83	88	93	100	106	116	131	152	178	206
Tenant-type	30	31	33	36	39	44	55	66	76	89
Landlord-type	53	56	60	64	67	72	77	86	102	117
Miscellaneous expenditure [14]	142	150	158	172	186	204	244	320	381	425
15. Stock [15]	– 4	– 4	+ 5	– 3	–14	+ 2	–33	+32	+21	–18
16. Gross input i.e. items 14–15	1,120	1,170	1,226	1,386	1,455	1,588	2,142	2,460	2,815	3,515
17. Net input i.e. 16 *minus* 12	966	1,017	1,075	1,230	1,304	1,371	1,794	2,082	2,465	3,024
18. Gross product i.e. items 11 *minus* 16 or 13 *minus* 17	1,034	1,008	1,111	1,141	1,290	1,540	1,878	2,024	2,591	2,881
19. Depreciation: Total	151	164	178	195	226	261	333	427	523	599
Tenant-type:										
Machinery	112	121	130	140	162	181	230	296	365	424
Other	11	12	14	14	16	17	20	24	28	32
Landlord-type	28	31	34	40	48	63	83	108	131	143
20. Net product i.e. items 18 *minus* 19	883	844	932	946	1,064	1,279	1,545	1,596	2,068	2,282
Labour	324	333	341	367	400	467	540	678	808	896
Net rent [16]	51	53	56	56	52	45	32	21	22	32
Interest [17]	32	35	41	39	37	54	81	97	99	119
21. Farming net income (excluding stock appreciation)	476	422	495	484	575	713	892	799	1,139	1,235
22 Stock appreciation: Total	+ 44	+ 76	+ 90	+111	+133	+259	+333	+511	+538	+516
Livestock	+ 25	+ 36	+ 56	+60	+ 74	+183	+183	+233	+354	+356
Crops and other	+ 19	+ 40	+ 34	+ 50	+ 59	+ 75	+150	+278	+184	+160
23. Farming net income (including stock appreciation)	520	498	585	595	708	972	1,225	1,310	1,676	1,751

[1] The figures relate to commercially significant holdings, which, broadly speaking, are holdings requiring 26 standard man-days or more per year where a standard man-day represents 8 hours' productive work by an adult male worker under average conditions. Output values include deficiency payments on products sold. [2] Forecast prepared in December 1976. [3] Includes receipts from crops sold off farms and subsequently bought back for feed or seed; excludes deficiency payments on retained cereals and compensation payments on unsold potatoes which are included under Sundry Receipts. [4] Maize, mixed corn, rye, hay and dried grass, oilseed rape and other farm crops. [5] Flowers, bulbs and nursery stock, seeds and other minor products. [6] Breeding animals exported, poultry for stock and export, rabbits and game, knacker animals and other minor livestock. [7] Honey, goat milk, export of eggs for hatching and other minor livestock products. [8] Own account capital formation, timber, osiers, peat and turf. [9] Dividends from Agricultural Co-ops; other miscellaneous receipts. [10] Hill livestock, calf and beef cow subsidies and other non-capital production grants. [11] Closing level *minus* opening level, each valued at estimated cost. [12] Sales included in Output (see footnote [3]), but subsequently repurchased and so re-appearing as Input. [13] Cereals, potatoes, beans, hay and dried grass. [14] Electricity, veterinary expenses, pesticides, rates and other miscellaneous costs. [15] Feed (including retentions) and fertilisers. Opening stock *minus* closing stock. [16] Net rent represents landlords' agricultural net income from the ownership of agricultural land and buildings before any charges for interest or taxes. Gross rent is the sum of net rent and the landowner share of maintenance and of depreciation. The figures for gross rent corresponding to those for net rent in the columns of the above table, in £ million, were as follows: 1966/67 122; 1967/68 132; 1968/69 140; 1969/70 151; 1970/71 161; 1971/72 168; 1972/73 180; 1973/74 192; 1974/75 214; 1975/76 254; 1976/77 292. [17] On commercial debt for current farming purposes.

Sources: Agricultural Departments

Agricultural output, input and net product at constant prices [1]

Prices averaged over period 1968/69 to 1971/72

TABLE 9.2

Years ended May

£ million

	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77 [2]
Output									
1. Farm crops [3]: Total	420	418	438	456	457	482	485	406	405
Wheat	98	95	122	128	132	136	164	127	136
Barley	142	150	129	134	145	159	154	143	129
Oats	10	10	11	10	10	9	8	7	8
Potatoes	101	95	106	106	102	103	103	72	71
Sugar beet	44	42	45	54	44	48	29	32	35
Hops	7	7	8	8	6	7	7	6	6
Beans for stockfeed	5	5	3	3	4	3	4	2	2
Grass and clover seed	2	3	3	3	4	4	3	3	3
Other [4]	10	10	10	10	10	12	13	13	15
2. Horticulture: Total	250	273	282	283	281	305	287	272	252
Vegetables (including mushrooms)	140	153	161	161	164	182	174	163	149
Fruit	51	58	61	61	53	57	52	48	44
Other [5]	59	62	60	61	64	65	62	61	59
3. Livestock: Total	821	843	884	884	878	900	967	942	893
Fat cattle and calves	349	358	377	359	345	352	450	451	377
Fat sheep and lambs	97	90	93	91	94	98	104	106	102
Fat pigs	240	254	270	277	271	280	256	223	241
Poultry	123	130	135	146	156	157	145	148	160
Other [6]	11	11	10	10	12	14	12	13	13
4. Livestock products: Total	692	706	716	729	754	768	761	783	782
Milk and milk products	484	493	502	513	544	566	563	587	586
Eggs for food	191	195	197	198	192	184	180	179	179
Clip wool	14	13	14	14	14	14	15	15	14
Other [7]	3	4	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
5. Sundry output [8]: Total	12	12	12	14	19	19	19	19	18
6. Total output i.e. items 1–5	2,196	2,251	2,332	2,366	2,389	2,474	2,519	2,422	2,349
7. Sundry receipts: Total	29	27	37	41	33	36	36	29	27
Deficiency payments on retained cereals	14	16	14	18	18	15	16	13	12
PMB compensation payments	–	–	11	10	–	3	–	–	–
CAP support	–	–	–	–	–	2	1	2	1
Brucellosis eradication incentive	–	–	–	2	2	2	5	1	1
Animal disease compensation	2	2	2	1	3	5	5	6	6
Other [9]	12	10	10	11	10	9	9	8	7
8. Production grants: Total	103	102	110	120	94	101	113	92	94
Fertilisers and lime	38	36	42	50	33	47	38	43	46
Other [10]	65	66	68	71	61	54	75	49	47
9. Total receipts i.e., items 6–8	2,327	2,380	2,479	2,527	2,516	2,612	2,669	2,544	2,470
10. Work in progress [11]: Total	–6	+19	+13	+39	+60	+45	–40	–26	–6
Growing crops	–15	+6	–1	–3	–4	+1	–7	+5	–
Livestock numbers	+9	+13	+14	+42	+64	+44	–33	–31	–6
11. Gross output i.e. items 9–10	2,321	2,398	2,493	2,566	2,577	2,657	2,629	2,518	2,465
12. Intermediate output [12]: Total	154	150	156	152	160	157	166	128	131
Feed [13]	130	125	130	127	134	132	142	103	106
Seed	24	25	26	24	26	26	24	25	25
13. Final output i.e. 11 *minus* 12	2,167	2,248	2,337	2,414	2,416	2,500	2,462	2,390	2,334

See footnotes to Table 9.1

Sources: Agricultural Departments

Agricultural output, input and net product at constant prices [1]

Prices averaged over period 1968/69 to 1971/72

TABLE **9.2** (*continued*)

Years ended May

£ million

	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77 [2]
Input									
14. Expenditure: Total	1,282	1,287	1,329	1,356	1,304	1,337	1,261	1,282	1,322
Feedingstuffs	566	575	587	572	599	582	549	554	591
Seeds	51	52	51	50	54	53	50	54	54
Livestock (imported and interfarm expenses)	81	76	78	83	64	59	67	62	47
Fertilisers and lime (before subsidy)	158	150	172	204	134	192	153	171	185
Machinery: Total	171	173	174	177	182	177	168	173	177
Repairs	84	85	82	84	83	83	78	80	82
Fuel and oil	60	61	64	65	70	64	58	60	60
Other (including contract services)	26	27	28	28	30	31	31	34	35
Farm maintenance: Total	96	97	97	98	99	98	95	95	94
Tenant-type	35	35	35	35	35	35	34	34	34
Landlord-type	61	62	62	62	63	62	61	60	60
Miscellaneous expenditure [12]	160	164	169	172	172	176	179	174	174
15. Stocks [13]	–3	+6	–6	–31	+8	–9	+16	+5	+13
16. Gross input i.e. items 14–15	1,279	1,293	1,323	1,325	1,311	1,328	1,277	1,287	1,335
17. Net input i.e. items 16 *minus* 12	1,124	1,143	1,167	1,173	1,151	1,171	1,110	1,159	1,204
18. Gross product i.e. items 11 *minus* 16 or 13 *minus* 17	1,042	1,105	1,170	1,241	1,265	1,329	1,352	1,232	1,130
19. Depreciation: Total	184	191	193	193	198	209	210	209	207
Tenant-type:									
Machinery	137	141	139	135	136	144	143	139	138
Other	13	14	14	14	14	16	16	18	18
Landlord-type	34	36	40	44	47	49	51	52	52
20. Net product i.e. items 18 *minus* 19	859	914	977	1,048	1,068	1,120	1,142	1,023	923
Index of net product Average of 1968/69 to 1971/72 = 100	*90*	*96*	*103*	*110*	*112*	*118*	*120*	*108*	*97*

See footnotes to Table 9.1

Sources: Agricultural Departments

Agriculture — land use

TABLE 9.3

Area at the June census (1)

Thousand hectares

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Cereals											
Wheat	906	933	978	833	1,010	1,097	1,127	1,146	1,233	1,034	1,231
Barley	2,481	2,439	2,401	2,413	2,243	2,288	2,288	2,267	2,214	2,345	2,182
Oats	367	409	382	382	376	363	315	281	253	232	235
Mixed corn for threshing	29	36	45	63	79	55	61	51	42	35	28
Rye for threshing	4	4	4	4	5	6	6	5	4	6	8
Maize for threshing	–	–	–	–	–	1	2	1	1	1	1
Potatoes											
Early crop	271	287	279	29	30	30	26	26	26	24	27
Main crop				220	241	227	210	198	190	180	195
Fodder crops											
Beans for stockfeeding	42	57	93	89	77	62	53	60	66	40	44
Turnips, swedes and fodder beet	122	117	109	105	100	100	97	98	102	107	103
Mangolds	17	14	13	10	10	9	8	7	7	7	6
Maize fed green or for silage	–	–	–	–	1	2	4	7	16	26	29
Rape for stockfeeding	37	36	32	32	28	29	28	27	24	25	23
Kale, cabbage, savoys and kohl rabi	86	79	73	71	64	63	62	62	63	64	59
Other crops for stockfeeding	10	10	13	15	15	12	11	11	12	19	20
Mustard for seed, fodder, or ploughing in	7	8	9	9	6	6	6	7	7	7	4
Horticultural crops											
Orchards and small fruit	98	93	91	84	83	80	77	75	73	71	68
Vegetables grown in the open:											
Brussels sprouts	16	18	20	20	22	18	17	16	15	15	15
Cabbage, savoys, kale and winter cauliflower	16	16	18	26	24	22	21	20	21	21	20
Cauliflower (summer and autumn)	12	13	14	9	8	9	10	10	9	9	9
Carrots	11	12	14	17	16	15	13	14	13	15	16
Parsnips	2	2	2	3	3	3	2	2	2	2	3
Turnips and swedes	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	4	4
Beetroot	3	3	3	3	3	4	3	3	2	3	3
Onions	3	3	4	4	5	6	6	7	7	7	8
Leeks	–	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	–	–	–
Beans (broad, runner and french)	11	12	12	14	15	15	14	17	17	16	18
Peas, green for market	6	7	7	6	5	5	5	5	4	4	4
Peas, green for processing	35	41	44	47	53	43	46	53	59	59	57
Peas, for harvesting dry	14	16	20	23	30	24	22	22	27	30	31
Celery	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	1	1
Lettuce	4	4	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	4	4
Rhubarb	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	–	–	
Other vegetables	7	7	5	6	6	6	6	6	8	8	10
Flowers, nursery stock and bulbs grown in the open:											
Hardy nursery stock	6	6	6	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7
Bulb flowers and bulbs	6	5	6	6	6	6	7	7	7	6	5
Other flowers	2	3	3	2	2	2	2	1	1	1	1
Area under glass	2	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Other crops											
Sugar beet	180	185	188	185	188	190	190	194	195	198	206
Rape grown for oilseed	–	–	6	5	4	5	7	14	25	39	48
Hops	8	8	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	6
Other crops not for stockfeeding	7	14	8	9	7	6	6	7	7	9	11
Bare fallow	106	93	81	168	98	74	80	61	61	129	65
Total tillage	4,939	4,999	5,005	4,940	4 892	4,912	4,865	4,818	4,838	4,816	4,821
Lucerne	19	15	–	15	15	16	18	17	17	14	14
All grasses under five years old [2]	2,523	2,401	2,377	2,306	2,292	2,298	2,339	2,330	2,299	2,124	2,139
Total arable	7,480	7,416	7,382	7,261	7,199	7,226	7,220	7,164	7,154	6,954	6,975
All grasses five years old and over [3]	4,937	4,989	4,935	4,997	4,944	4,926	4,910	4,914	4,920	5,074	5,081
Total crops and grass	12,417	12,405	12,317	12,258	12,143	12,152	12,132	12,079	12,074	12,028	12,055
Rough grazings [4] [5]											
Sole rights	6,040	6,008	5,970	5,982	5,568	5,550	5,486	5,480	5,437	5,429	5,386
Common (estimated)	1,130	1,130	1,127	1,128	1,125	1,128	1,127	1,125	1,127	1,126	1,126
Woodland on agricultural holdings [6] [7]	–	–	–	106	153	154	162	164	212	225	239
All other land on agricultural holdings [8]	–	–	–	112	135	131	132	141	141	171	180
Total agricultural area	19,588	19,544	19,414	19,586	19,124	19,115	19,039	18,988	19,010	18,978	18,987
Total area of the United Kingdom	24,092	24,092	24,093	24,093	24,092	24,092	24,092	24,093	24,100	24,105	24,102

[1] See introductory notes on page 245. [2] Before June 1975 collected in England and Wales as Clover, sainfoin and temporary grasses; in Scotland as Grass under seven years old; in Northern Ireland as Grass 1st, 2nd and 3rd year. [3] Before June 1975 collected in England and Wales as Permanent grass; in Scotland as Grass seven years old and over; in Northern Ireland as Grass 4th year or older. [4] Includes the total area of deer forest in Scotland. [5] The fall of about 400 thousand hectares in the total area of rough grazings between 1969 and 1970 is largely accounted for by the exclusion from the census of the 16,000 statistically insignificant holdings in Scotland. [6] Before June 1974 in England and Wales, collected as Woodland ancillary to farming. [7] In Scotland collected as Woodland ancillary to farming. [8] Before June 1974 in England and Wales collected as Other land used for agriculture and in Scotland as Area of yards, roads and buildings.

Sources: Agricultural Departments

Estimated quantity of crops and grass harvested [1]

TABLE 9.4

Thousand tonnes

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Cereals											
Wheat	3,474	3,902	3,469	3,364	4,236	4,815	4,780	5,002	6,130	4,489	4,740
Barley	8,724	9,215	8,270	8,664	7,529	8,558	9,244	9,007	9,133	8,511	7,648
Oats	1,120	1,386	1,224	1,308	1,217	1,361	1,249	1,080	955	795	764
Mixed corn for threshing	95	118	153	220	257	206	216	192	147	118	89
Rye for threshing	11	12	11	11	13	19	20	16	14	19	20
Maize for threshing						6	6	6	3	3	2
Potatoes											
Early crop	6,580	7,200	6,872	433	468	526	465	470	458	350	370
Main crop				5,782	7,014	6,871	6,062	6,338	6,333	4,201	4,419
Fodder crops											
Beans for stockfeeding		173	225	236	159	134	166	187	200	95	70
Turnips, swedes and fodder beet	5,863	5,861	5,516	5,549	5,651	5,306	4,978	5,631	6,217	6,035	4,816
Mangolds	1,057	912	816	621	580	576	478	507	477	411	360
Maize fed green or for silage						88	151	330	606	884	836
Rape for stockfeeding	853	817	743	760	642	665	479	568	504	618	601
Kale, cabbage, savoys and kohl rabi	4,099	3,689	3,464	3,168	2,810	2,715	2,420	2,747	2,750	2,607	1,633
Horticultural crops											
Vegetables grown in the open:											
Brussels sprouts [2]	177	186	196	201	273	206	228	204	200	162	153
Cabbage, savoys, kale and winter cauliflower [2]	654	629									
Cauliflower (summer and autumn) [2]			949	1,036	982	984	947	888	942	864	712
Carrots [2]	485	501	578	708	549	576	465	606	495	573	555
Parsnips [2]	49	54	57	61	62	64	44	53	46	45	43
Turnips and swedes [2]	149	145	122	150	140	125	126	131	147	150	140
Beetroot [2]	101	124	107	111	116	122	96	120	96	96	92
Onions [2]	87	98	119	116	144	230	194	223	244	201	175
Leeks [2]	23	24	24	27	32	27	28	26	23	24	23
Beans (broad, runner and french) [2]	109	134	109	141	146	150	130	163	167	134	125
Peas, green for market [2] [3]	52	66	63	49	41	46	39	38	37	34	16
Peas, green for processing [2] [4]	174	176	174	195	203	194	206	258	296	263	169
Peas, for harvesting dry [2]	45	65	52	66	87	73	73	70	96	88	82
Celery [2]	92	99	88	80	75	73	73	71	64	69	59
Lettuce [2]	132	122	123	124	152	146	152	171	163	124	112
Rhubarb [2]	50	46	47	43	52	47	46	43	40	34	30
Other crops											
Sugar beet [5]	6,599	6,884	7,119	6,034	6,412	7,869	6,216	7,427	4,588	4,864	6,325
Rape grown for oilseed								31	55	61	111
Hops	12	11	10	11	12	11	9	10	10	8	8
Hay [6]											
From all grasses under five years old [7] [8]	4,751	4,781	4,682	4,645	4,286	5,063	4,996	4,640	4,149	3,757	4,413
From all grasses five years old and over [9]	3,943	3,996	3,848	4,021	3,703	4,629	4,375	4,251	3,674	3,120	3,892
Straw [10]:											
Wheat [11]	1,724	1,962	1,869	1,205	1,619	1,540	1,180	1,121	1,431	2,134	2,073
Barley [11]	4,496	4,757	4,448	3,354	2,755	3,511	3,504	2,975	2,990	3,521	3,792
Oats [11]	966	1,079	1,016	523	504	538	441	368	365	383	433

Note: Tables 9.4 and 9.5. The estimated yields of sugar beet and hops are obtained from production figures supplied by the British Sugar Corporation and the Hops Marketing Board. In Great Britain potato yields are estimated in consultation with the Potato Marketing Board.

[1] UK gross production in crop years, that is 1971 equals 1971/72. [2] 1976 figures are provisional. [3] Weight in pods. [4] Shelled weight. [5] Data for sugar beet is not collected in Northern Ireland or, from 1972, in Scotland. [6] The production of hay in England and Wales is calculated from the area cut for hay and actually harvested and does not include the area mown for silage, drying or seed: the production of hay in Scotland and Northern Ireland is calculated from the area cut for hay only and does not include grass mown for silage or drying. [7] Before 1975 collected in England and Wales as clover, sainfoin and temporary grasses; in Scotland as grass under seven years old; in Northern Ireland as grass under four years old. [8] Includes hay from lucerne in England and Wales, and from all grassland in Scotland. [9] Before 1975 collected as: in England and Wales – permanent grass; in Scotland – grass seven years old and over; in Northern Ireland – grass four years old and over. [10] Excluding Scotland from 1969. [11] The estimates of production and yield for straw in 1975 are calculated on the actual area harvested and not on the total area used for growing wheat, barley and oats, as in previous years.

Sources: Agricultural Departments

Estimated yield per hectare

TABLE 9.5

Tonnes

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Cereals											
Wheat	3.84	4.18	3.55	4.04	4.20	4.39	4.24	4.37	4.97	4.34	3.88
Barley	3.52	3.78	3.44	3.59	3.36	3.74	4.04	3.97	4.13	3.63	3.57
Oats	3.06	3.39	3.22	3.43	3.25	3.76	3.97	3.84	3.78	3.42	3.43
Mixed corn for threshing	3.22	3.33	3.37	3.49	3.24	3.72	3.57	3.78	3.50	3.37	3.17
Rye for threshing	2.76	2.83	2.51	2.86	2.86	2.99	3.06	3.04	3.01	3.27	2.66
Potatoes											
Early crop	24.3	25.1	24.6	18.3	17.2	19.6	18.4	20.1	19.1	14.3	16.5
Main crop				25.7	28.8	29.9	28.7	31.5	33.1	23.4	22.1
Fodder crops											
Beans for stockfeeding	–	3.06	2.42	2.64	2.08	2.18	3.15	3.13	3.01	2.39	1.58
Turnips, swedes and fodder beet	48.3	50.1	50.6	52.6	56.3	53.3	51.3	57.2	61.2	56.5	46.6
Mangolds	62.3	63.0	64.3	60.1	59.7	63.4	59.6	70.6	65.9	59.6	56.6
Maize fed green or for silage						42.9	42.3	49.4	38.0	34.0	29.2
Rape for stockfeeding	23.3	22.8	23.0	23.6	22.8	22.9	17.1	21.0	21.0	25.1	25.1
Kale, cabbage, savoys and kohl rabi	47.7	46.7	47.4	44.6	43.9	43.3	39.2	44.5	43.7	40.4	27.5
Horticultural crops											
Vegetables grown in the open:											
Brussels spouts	11.6	10.4	9.7	10.1	12.5	12.0	14.1	13.1	13.6	11.8	11.5
Cabbage, savoys, kale and sprouting broccoli	25.3	24.1	24.0	24.6	25.1	25.2	25.0	25.3	26.2	23.6	20.3
Cauliflower	20.6	19.5	16.7	18.0	19.0	19.6	20.7	21.1	19.9	19.1	14.8
Carrots	42.0	40.7	39.9	40.4	33.7	38.6	35.0	42.1	38.4	38.7	34.1
Parsnips	25.5	23.9	25.6	22.6	22.9	24.0	20.5	22.7	21.7	19.4	19.8
Turnips and swedes	36.5	35.8	33.0	33.7	31.1	31.8	31.2	33.0	34.2	32.7	26.8
Beetroot	32.6	33.9	30.9	31.3	31.6	31.1	29.3	32.0	30.2	29.6	26.7
Onions, dry bulb	32.9	31.8	29.7	34.2	32.5	37.1	33.9	35.7	36.0	28.1	20.5
Onions, green	15.8	14.4	11.8	13.5	13.8	14.6	15.7	15.8	14.7	16.5	13.5
Leeks	24.2	24.3	22.8	22.5	24.5	23.4	21.6	22.3	22.7	22.8	20.3
Beans, broad	11.3	11.6	9.7	10.5	9.4	11.0	10.4	10.5	9.7	10.9	7.0
Beans, runner and french	9.8	11.2	8.9	10.6	10.3	11.2	9.7	10.2	10.4	7.5	7.4
Peas, green for market	8.0	9.1	8.6	8.3	8.2	9.1	7.8	8.4	9.3	7.7	4.7
Peas, green for processing	5.0	5.0	4.0	4.4	4.0	4.7	4.6	5.6	4.6	4.6	3.1
Peas, for harvesting dry	3.1	3.5	2.6	2.9	2.9	3.0	3.3	3.2	3.6	3.0	2.6
Celery	42.2	45.0	40.5	37.2	37.1	38.6	35.0	34.6	36.3	37.9	32.0
Lettuce	19.7	18.7	17.0	16.8	18.5	18.5	18.9	19.0	19.1	17.9	15.2
Rhubarb	30.5	31.8	31.1	29.9	34.1	32.9	35.4	34.6	42.8	37.8	36.3
Other crops											
Sugar beet	36.8	37.5	38.1	32.8	34.4	41.6	33.0	38.5	23.6	24.7	30.8
Rape grown for oilseed								2.25	2.26	1.56	2.32
Hops	1.41	1.40	1.38	1.57	1.70	1.60	1.28	1.51	1.53	1.26	1.34
Hay:											
from all grasses under 5 years old	4.57	4.63	4.62	4.65	4.33	4.96	5.11	4.90	4.67	4.27	4.66
from all grasses 5 years old and over	3.65	3.71	3.81	3.79	3.54	4.19	4.32	4.29	4.00	3.62	4.23
Straw											
Wheat	1.90	2.10	1.91	1.52	1.67	1.45	1.08	1.01	1.19	2.90	1.72
Barley	1.81	1.95	1.85	1.58	1.41	1.78	1.79	1.55	1.61	1.92	2.11
Oats	2.64	2.64	2.67	2.08	2.02	2.15	2.00	1.81	2.01	2.50	2.42

See footnotes to Table 9.4

Sources: Agricultural Departments

Agricultural holdings by tenure and total area [1]

TABLE 9.6

	Total		Owned or mainly owned		Tenanted or mainly tenanted	
	Holdings	Area	Holdings	Area	Holdings	Area
	Thousands	Thousand hectares	Thousands	Thousand hectares	Thousands	Thousand hectares
1970	271.7	16,866.4	158.3	9,219.9	113.3	7,646.5
1971	266.7	16,853.5	159.6	9,372.7	107.0	7,480.8
1972	258.1	16,789.7	153.4	9,461.2	104.7	7,328.5
1973	244.5	16,749.1	145.9	9,403.4	98.5	7,345.7
1974	243.3	16,786.1	146.1	9,412.2	97.3	7,373.9
1975	238.2	16,759.6	144.7	9,304.1	93.5	7,455.5
1976	236.9	16,766.1	146.1	9,340.8	90.8	7,425.5

[1] Great Britain only (practically all land in Northern Ireland is owner-occupied).

Sources: Agricultural Departments

Agricultural holdings by size of holding [1]

TABLE 9.7

	Total	¼ to 4¾ acres	5 to 14¾ acres	15 to 49¾ acres	50 to 99¾ acres	100 to 149¾ acres	150 to 299¾ acres	300 to 499¾ acres	500 acres and over
1964	445,132	82,566	89,063	110,353	71,552	34,425	39,156	12,270	5,747
1965	437,846	80,988	87,267	107,957	70,419	34,011	38,763	12,475	5,966
1966	431,261	79,290	86,559	105,624	68,976	33,645	38,301	12,615	6,251
1967	419,370	73,335	84,534	103,535	67,569	33,218	37,936	12,776	6,467
1968	369,053	41,621	70,244	100,795	66,344	32,857	37,639	12,825	6,728
1969	357,127	39,925	65,971	97,067	64,742	32,394	37,194	12,864	6,970
1970	328,652	31,830	55,573	91,125	61,927	31,440	36,445	12,874	7,438
1971	321,491	30,838	53,634	88,166	60,839	31,173	36,186	12,975	7,680
1972	311,981	28,031	50,706	85,998	59,511	30,841	36,003	13,071	7,820
1973	293,276	21,681	43,135	83,514	57,776	30,216	35,725	13,120	8,109
1974	291,604	21,891	42,955	82,551	57,411	29,855	35,620	13,149	8,172
1975	285,739	20,512	41,331	80,893	56,382	29,732	35,474	13,179	8,236
	Total	under 2 hectares	2 and under 5 hectares	5 to 19.9 hectares	20 to 39.9 hectares	40 to 49.9 hectares	50 to 99.9 hectares	100 to 199.9 hectares	200 hectares and over
1976	284,201	20,144	32,422	88,757	55,446	17,191	40,995	20,674	8,572

[1] For the purpose of this analysis holdings are classified according to their area of crops and grass; holdings with no crops and grass are therefore excluded.

Sources: Agricultural Departments

Cattle, sheep, pigs and poultry on agricultural holdings [1]

TABLE 9.8

At June in each year

Thousands

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Cattle:											
Total	12,206	12,342	12,151	12,374	12,581	12,804	13,483	14,445	15,203	14,717	14,069
Cows and heifers in milk	3,703	3,776	3,815	3,894	3,946	4,036	4,202	4,482	4,613	4,507	4,399
Cows in calf but not in milk	565	579	562	592	597	575	598	632	668	633	593
Heifers in calf with first calf	750	816	826	822	863	831	954	988	1,041	903	939
Bulls and bull calves for service	93	92	90	91	92	94	101	115	103	97	93
Other cattle:											
Two years and over	957	1,003	923	879	861	873	846	898	958	987	981
One year and under two	2,692	2,714	2,581	2,623	2,658	2,736	2,854	3,104	3,389	3,559	3,287
Under one year	3,447	3,361	3,351	3,474	3,564	3,659	3,928	4,227	4,431	4,030	3,778
Sheep and lambs:											
Total	29,957	28,885	28,004	26,604	26,080	25,981	26,877	27,943	28,498	28,270	28,265
Ewes for breeding	12,019	11,760	11,415	10,946	10,544	10,422	10,668	10,920	11,192	11,279	11,298
Rams for service	344	332	327	313	302	300	305	314	322	326	320
Other sheep:											
One year and over	3,737	3,583	3,475	3,323	3,291	3,206	3,371	3,643	3,620	3,442	3,198
Under one year	13,857	13,211	12,787	12,022	11,943	12,053	12,533	13,066	13,364	13,222	13,449
Pigs:											
Total	7,333	7,107	7,387	7,783	8,088	8,724	8,619	8,979	8,544	7,532	7,947
Sows for breeding	822	824	887	915	953	984	960	1,015	889	814	884
Boars for service	43	41	44	44	45	46	45	48	44	40	43
Other pigs:											
110 lbs. and over [2]	1,179	1,146	1,149	1,188	1,249	1,275	1,249	1,304	2,822	2,488	2,721
45 lbs. and under 110 lbs. [3]	3,392	3,218	3,309	3,526	3,672	4,046	4,056	4,216	2,607	2,255	2,271
Under 45 lbs. [4]	1,897	1,878	1,998	2,111	2,169	2,374	2,308	2,397	2,181	1,935	2,028
Poultry:											
Total	118,940	125,624	127,459	126,514	143,430	139,016	140,045	144,079	139,672	136,572	142,222
Fowls	113,525	120,147	121,753	120,611	137,207	132,929	133,214	135,929	132,038	130,259	134,917
Laying flock	73,841	75,506	74,163	75,479	79,836	76,171	75,509	70,574	68,882	67,555	67,468
Breeding flock	6,908	6,868	6,868	6,715	7,588	7,029	6,772	6,989	6,455	5,997	6,125
Table birds	32,777	37,774	40,721	38,418	49,783	49,730	50,933	56,366	56,701	56,708	61,325
Ducks	1,227	1,202	1,157	1,265	1,256	1,395	1,409	1,489	1,313	1,201	1,272
Geese [5]	219	227	200	171	174	143	136	148	128	112	127
Turkeys	3,968	4,048	4,348	4,467	4,793	4,548	5,286	6,513	6,192	5,000	5,905

[1] See notes on page 245. The figures returned by holdings of one acre or less account for significant differences between the census results for June 1970 and those for previous years only in the case of pigs and fowls. [2] Prior to June 1974 collected as, Five months old and over. [3] Prior to June 1974 collected as, Two months old and over. [4] Prior to June 1974 collected as, Under two months old. [5] In 1967 the figure was 214 thousand excluding about 47 thousand holdings in England and Wales with negligible agricultural output which were excluded from the census as from June 1968.

Sources: Agricultural Departments

Estimated numbers of agricultural tractors, certain machines and implements in use [1]

TABLE **9.9**

Thousands

	United Kingdom [2]						England and Wales						
	1966	1970	1972[3]	1974	1975	1976	1969	1970	1971	1972[3]	1974	1975	1976
Tractors: Total [4]	517.3	510.8	502.5	517.5	447.3	525.9	419.6	413.2	416.0	407.0	423.2	441.4	428.1
Agricultural types (10 h.p. and over): [5]													
Total	465.2	444.4	436.7	473.1	447.3	482.9	353.7	351.8	366.0	346.8	384.1	441.4	387.7
Tracklayers	17.7	13.6	15.3	. .	. .	13.0	13.0	12.7	16.0	14.4	. .	. .	12.3
Wheeled	447.6	430.8	421.4	. .	. .	469.9	340.7	339.1	350.1	332.4	. .	. .	375.4
Market garden types (under 10 h.p.) [6]	52.1	66.4	65.6	44.4	. .	43.1	65.9	61.4	50.0	60.3	39.1	. .	40.4
Tractor ploughs	323.0	308.2	270.6	. .	. .	. .	219.7	. .	. .	202.7	. .	. .	. .
Disc harrows	99.7	111.3	107.7	. .	. .	. .	84.9	. .	. .	81.3	. .	. .	. .
Cultivators: Rotary cultivators and rotary hoes	49.4	46.7	44.5	. .	. .	. .	40.5	. .	. .	35.6	. .	. .	. .
Other [7]	397.8	407.8	383.9	. .	. .		317.2	. .	. .	293.3	. .	. .	. .
Corn drills [8]	123.7	131.8	. .	102.9	. .	. .	. .	. .	98.3	. .	96.8	. .	. .
Farmyard manure spreaders	129.2	128.8	. .	138.8	. .	. .	. .	. .	98.8	. .	109.8	. .	. .
Mowers	215.5	196.7	. .	. .	. .	177.2	. .	149.1	138.7	. .	. .	. .	131.2
Pick-up balers	105.0	105.4	98.8	. .	. .	. .	. .	85.2	. .	78.5	. .	. .	. .
Combine harvesters	66.7	66.0	60.2	61.5	61.5	59.4	. .	56.7	. .	50.9	52.2	52.0	50.0
Drying machines	39.1	63.5	. .	52.7	. .	. .	. .	53.8	. .	. .	43.1	. .	. .
Milking machines [9]	329.0	155.9	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	101.9	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .

[1] Owned by farmers and contractors (including Ministry services). Figures for England and Wales are at March, September or December until 1973, when figures were collected at December only. Normally figures for Scotland are at February, and for Nothern Ireland at December. [2] In Scotland and Northern Ireland censuses of machinery and farm implements are normally taken at three-year intervals. [3] Tractor figures amended to show full results from the December 1972 census. It is thought that these figures are understated – possibly due to changes in timing and questions. [4] In England and Wales, as from 1971, power divisions are specified according to p.to. (power take-off) horse power and not, as in previous years, to b.h.p. (brake horse power). [5] Over 10 h.p. in England and Wales from 1967 and in Northern Ireland in 1966, 1970 and 1972. [6] Up to and including 10 h.p. in England and Wales from 1967, and in Northern Ireland from 1966. [7] Cultivators and harrows other than disc. Including grubbers, scufflers and hoes. [8] Including combined seed and fertilizer drills. [9] England and Wales figures for 1970 relate to the number of installations, those for 1968 relate to the number of teat-cup clusters. The United Kingdom total for 1966 includes the figures for teat-cup clusters in England and Wales and Scotland. The figure for 1970 includes the figures for teat-cup clusters in Scotland.

Sources: Agricultural Departments

Forest area

TABLE **9.10**

End of period

Thousand hectares

	1965/ 1966	1966/ 1967	1967/ 1968	1968/ 1969	1969/ 1970	1970/ 1971	1971/ 1972	1972/ 1973	1973/ 1974	1974/ 1975	1975/ 1976	1976/ 1977
	Years ending 30 September		[1]		Years ending 31 March							
Forest area [2]												
United Kingdom	1,829	1,849	1,858		1,882	1,908	1,951	1,984	1,981	2,018	2,043	2,057
Great Britain	1,785	1,801	1,807		1,828	1,853	1,893	1,924	1,920	1,956	1,980	1,994
Northern Ireland [3]	44	48	51	52	54	55	58	60	61	62	63	63
Forestry Commission (Great Britain) [1]												
Total estates	1,104	1,134	1,172		1,187	1,212	1,215	1,212	1,206	1,212	1,231	1,251
Lands under plantation	647	666	688		706	727	749	768	789	809	826	841
Plantable land acquired during year	14.0	20.6	25.5		13.8	21.4	17.0	6.7	6.6	8.0	18.6	17.7
Total area planted during year [4]	21.8	21.2	27.7		22.5	28.5	26.3	23.2	21.7	23.2	20.5	18.7
Area lost by fire during year	0.2	0.1	0.4		0.4	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.3	2.0
			Years ending 30 September									1976[6]
State afforestation in Northern Ireland												
Total estates	53.6	56.0	58.0	59.8	61.4	62.2	62.7	63.5	65.0	66.0	67.0	67.3
Land under plantation	32.6	34.4	36.8	38.3	40.5	42.1	43.9	45.4	46.8	48.0	49.2	49.2
Plantable land acquired during year	1.2	2.4	1.3	0.6	1.6	0.8	0.6	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1
Total area planted during year [5]	2.1	1.9	1.8	1.6	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.4	1.6	1.1	1.2	1.2
Area lost by fire during year	—	—	0.008	0.061	0.004	0.036	0.04	0.07	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1

[1] The figures given for the Forestry Commission relate to the eighteen months from October 1967 to March 1969. [2] Includes unproductive woodland. Since 1974 40,000 hectares of unproductive forest land consisting of old felled woodland have been excluded from the fitures as it is considered that this area is more properly regarded as agricultural land. [3] The figures for Northern Ireland refer to year ending 30 September throughout except for 1976/77 when they refer to 31 December 1976. [4] Including replanting after damage by fire. [5] Including areas replanted. [6] Northern Ireland figures are produced on a calender year basis from 1976 (ie years end 31 December).

Sources: Forestry Commission; Department of Agriculture (Northern Ireland)

Average weekly earnings of agricultural workers [1]

TABLE 9.11

Great Britain

Half-yearly periods	Adult males [2]	Youths[3]	Women and girls	Years ended March	Adult males[2]	Youths[3]	Women and girls
	£	£	£		£	£	£
1954 April – September	7.59	4.57	4.76				
October – March 1955	7.51	4.51	4.82	1954/55	7.55	4.54	4.79
1955 April – September	8.27	4.95	5.22				
October – March 1956	8.01	4.77	5.31	1955/56	8.14	4.86	5.27
1956 April – September	8.71	5.09	5.58				
October – March 1957	8.75	5.15	5.71	1956/57	8.73	5.12	5.65
1957 April – September	9.24	5.47	5.84				
October – March 1958	9.17	5.59	6.00	1957/58	9.21	5.53	5.92
1958 April – September	9.78	5.83	6.21				
October – March 1959	9.69	5.90	6.31	1958/59	9.73	5.86	6.26
1959 April – September	10.20	6.03	6.45				
October – March 1960	9.76	5.93	6.36	1959/60	9.98	5.98	6.40
1960 April – September	10.58	6.29	6.62				
October – March 1961	10.35	6.24	6.72	1960/61	10.46	6.26	6.67
1961 April – September	11.20	6.63	7.33				
October – March 1962	10.75	6.55	6.82	1961/62	10.98	6.59	7.07
1962 April – September	11.57	6.97	7.16				
October – March 1963	11.41	6.93	7.13	1962/63	11.50	6.95	7.15
1963 April – September	12.40	7.26	7.37				
October – March 1964	12.13	7.17	7.39	1963/64	12.27	7.23	7.37
1964 April – September	13.07	7.77	7.93				
October – March 1965	12.50	7.42	8.14	1964/65	12.79	7.60	8.04
1965 April – September	13.97	8.15	9.19				
October – March 1966	13.63	8.33	8.33	1965/66	13.80	8.24	8.75
1966 April – September	14.79	8.83	9.10				
October – March 1967	14.31	8.70	9.54	1966/67	14.55	8.77	9.32
1967 April – September	15.45	9.02	9.77				
October – March 1968	15.04	8.72	9.33	1967/68	15.24	8.87	9.55
1968 April – September	16.27	9.70	10.40				
October – March 1969	15.95	9.49	9.84	1968/69	16.10	9.60	10.12
1969 April – September	17.77	10.37	10.85				
October – March 1970	17.31	10.47	11.18	1969/70	17.54	10.42	11.02
1970 April – September	19.21	11.43	12.26				
October – March 1971	19.15	11.80	12.63	1970/71	19.18	11.62	12.45
1971 April – September	21.58	13.13	13.70				
October – March 1972	21.33	13.18	16.01	1971/72	21.46	13.16	14.86
1972 April – September	24.15	14.41	15.69				
October – March 1973	24.24	14.83	15.28	1972/73	24.20	14.62	15.49
1973 April – September	28.97	18.87	18.61				
October – March 1974	29.13	19.52	19.94	1973/74	29.05	19.20	19.28
1974 April – September	35.10	23.50	23.14				
October – March 1975	37.39	26.02	25.93	1974/75	36.24	24.75	24.52
1975 April – September [4]	44.57	29.85	29.72				
October – March 1976 [4]	46.35	31.78	35.39	1975/76 [4]	45.47	30.82	32.55
1976 April – September	51.44	34.76	41.11				
October– March 1977	51.54	34.87	41.26	1976/77	51.50	34.81	41.18

[1] Total earnings of hired regular whole-time workers, including payments in kind valued, where applicable, in accordance with Agricultural Wages Orders. [2] 21 years and over up to March 1956, and 20 years and over thereafter. [3] Under 21 years up to March 1956, and under 20 years thereafter. [4] Revised.

Sources: Agricultural Departments

TABLE 9.12

Sales for food of agricultural produce and livestock

	Unit	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Ceareals:												
Wheat (1)	Th. tonnes	1,709	1,765	1,803	1,619	1,685	1,637	2,100	2,215	2,376	2,471	2,360
Barley	Th. tonnes	2,297	2,233	1,860	1,404	1,616	1,550	1,658	2,043	2,070	2,767	1,994
Oats (2)		107	107	112	105	114	110	126	121	131	124	109
Potatoes(3)	Th. tonnes	4,776	4,506	4,612	4,631	4,437	4,711	5,017	5,314	5,382	4,933	3,340
Milk:												
Total	Mn. litres	10,969	11,359	11,663	11,792	12,029	12,363	13,212	13,468	13,098	13,133	13,618
For consumption as liquid milk	Mn. litres	7,504	7,547	7,516	7,488	7,460	7,372	7,404	7,524	7,698	7,862	7,760
For manufacture	Mn. litres	3,466	3,812	4,146	4,304	4,569	4,991	5,808	5,945	5,399	5,270	5,858
Eggs in shell	Mn. doz.	1,176	1,230	1,230	1,223	1,263	1,244	1,253	1,170	1,151	1,113	1,156
Animals slaughtered:												
Cattle and calves:												
Total	Thousands	3,862	4,199	4,002	3,799	4,041	3,954	3,634	3,436	4,599	5,358	4,481
Cattle	Thousands	3,355	3,585	3,526	3,380	3,686	3,695	3,481	3,294	4,182	4,828	4,186
Calves	Thousands	508	614	476	418	356	259	153	142	418	531	295
Sheep and lambs	Thousands	13,561	13,172	12,390	10,421	11,458	11,475	11,047	11,759	12,947	13,133	12,670
Pigs:												
Total	Thousands	13,485	12,337	12,977	14,028	14,392	15,965	15,404	15,083	15,274	12,766	13,499
For bacon:												
Used wholly	Thousands	2,903	2,542	2,684	2,896	3,077	3,525	3,288	2,873	2,726	2,259	2,487
Used in part	Thousands	2,586	2,747	3,034	3,305	3,541	4,411	4,335	4,063	4,146	3,695	3,850
Other uses	Thousands	7,601	6,730	6,940	7,441	7,449	7,669	7,428	7,734	7,933	6,482	6,816
Sows and boars	Thousands	395	317	318	386	325	360	353	414	470	331	346
Poultry	Millions	282	295	335	352	366	359	401	400	395	380	401

TIME SERIES. The figures for cereals and for animals slaughtered relate to periods of 52 weeks (53 weeks in 1971 and 1976) [1] Flour millers' receipts of home-grown wheat. [2] Oatmeal millers' receipts of home-grown oats. [3] Including consumption on farms and seed sold for food but excluding imported potatoes.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

TABLE 9.13

Stocks of food and feedingstuffs [1]

At end-December in each year

Thousand tonnes

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Wheat and flour (as wheat)	1,102	973	1,036	953	1,016	1,092	1,029	986	933	1,115	1,174
Barley	781	786	661	775	796	840	836	725	1,032	912	991
Maize	186	209	242	184	248	242	231	162	228	159	250
Oilcake and meal (2)	142	128	160	165	129	138	66	141	127	74	90
Oilseeds and nuts (crude oil equivalent)	33	17	18	14	15	14	8	13	9	15	21
Vegetable oil (as crude oil)	67	67	62	58	68	85	93	87	68	53	47
Marine oil (as crude oil)	28	69	60	37	28	40	44	47	29	17	23
Butter (3)	38	37	51	30	18	23	69	61	67	83	107
Imported meat and offal (3)	74	45	55	69	73	61	61	82	99	77	87
Raw coffee (4)	19	15	22	24	17	24	30	36	27	15	15
Tea (5)	99	100	127	101	114	108	94	84	92	88	71
Sugar	833	864	829	917	867	964	1,075	873	559	898	800
Jam and marmalade	37.4	37.2	36.9	35.9	27.8	23.8	21.6	20.7	16.9	23.4	22.8
Chocolate and sugar confectionary (6)	56.0	53.3	45.9	57.6	51.7	55.1	60.2	46.9	57.3	57.1	56.1
Canned and bottled fruit (6)	23.2	20.3	39.5	45.1	46.6	46.8	30.0	27.0	38.2	40.0	29.6
Canned vegetables (6)	152.9	174.0	180.6	170.5	199.5	258.6	266.3	197.9	195.5	199.3	199.3

[1] Recorded stocks, including stocks in bond or held by the main processors. [2] Excluding castor meal, cocoa cake and meal. [3] Stocks held in public cold stores at all temperatures. [4] Including manufacturers' stocks and additional public warehouses. [5] Including stocks held by primary wholesalers. [6] Manufacturers' stocks only.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Processed food and animal feedingstuffs: production

TABLE **9.14**

Thousand tonnes

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Flour milling:											
Wheat milled: Total	5,144	5,048	5,021	5,179	5,112	5,071	4,958	5,068	5,075	5,213	5,268
Home produced	1,628	1,608	1,697	1,501	1,620	1,523	2,040	2,174	2,336	2,428	2,300
Imported	3,517	3,439	3,325	3,678	3,492	3,548	2,918	2,894	2,739	2,785	2,968
Flour produced	3,704	3,704	3,685	3,747	3,754	3,785	3,690	3,765	3,751	3,887	3,949
Offals produced	1,459	1,358	1,357	1,478	1,378	1,319	1,297	1,316	1,310	1,312	1,302
Oat milling:											
Oats milled by oatmeal millers	122	115	117	117	120	120	133	135	143	128	148
Products of oat milling	71	67	70	69	69	71	76	77	81	80	83
Seed crushing:											
Oilseeds and nuts processed	741	671	605	595	548	546	771	1,054	1,065	1,091	1,452
Crude oil produced[1]	255	234	217	186	156	173	215	263	270	247	360
Oilcake and meal produced[2]	463	408	371	401	383	362	535	746	759	722	1,057
Production of home-killed meat[3]:											
Total	1,913	1,904	1,889	1,827	1,942	1,989	1,919	1,906	2,173	2,215	2,073
Beef	856	907	895	861	938	946	899	848	1,061	1,200	1,065
Veal	12	14	11	10	11	8	6	6	12	16	9
Mutton and lamb	270	262	247	207	227	229	220	234	252	259	248
Pork	613	558	576	616	623	660	656	682	690	571	597
Offal	162	163	160	132	143	146	139	136	159	168	154
Production of poultry meat	439	460	527	559	592	588	660	664	652	627	663
Production of bacon and ham[3]	218	205	219	237	251	292	276	252	243	210	227
Production of milk products:											
Butter	31	38	52	57	64	66	95	97	54	48	89
Cheese (including farmhouse)	109	122	120	124	134	162	184	182	218	235	204
Condensed milk[4]	208	202	191	207	205	197	157	164	155	140	142
Milk powder[5]:											
Full cream	28	23	24	24	21	28	25	22	27	19	16
Skimmed	60	73	96	90	94	109	169	156	105	105	170
Cream[6]	57	63	68	71	74	76	77	82	85	84	81
Sugar: production from home-grown sugar-beet (as refined sugar)	862	898	862	926	851	971	1,034	836	770	666	604
Production of compound fats:											
Margarine	316	309	303	318	314	344	368	341	299	298	342
Compound fat	138	139	135	136	133	127	133	161	144	127	128
Production of other processed foods:											
Jam and marmalade	207	204	202	193	192	175	185	184	178	165	175
Syrup and treacle	54	62	69	76	78	82	82	69	73	70	67
Canned vegetables	719	746	724	801	818	789	800	787	852	871	895
Canned and bottled fruit	99	82	103	105	94	79	63	75	91	68	60
Canned soups[7]	303	270	278	291	298	295	297	299	342	318	300
Canned meat	106	115	130	132	134	134	137	153	137	122	140
Canned fish	8	6	6	9	9	10	9	7	7	11	11
Biscuits[8]	590	597	612	600	603	609	609	624	643	603	631
Breakfast cereals[9]	146	147	156	167	181	180	190	213	210	207	229
Chocolate confectionery	369	356	354	355	322	357	384	415	415	353	391
Sugar confectionery	307	319	325	337	355	366	366	372	383	344	395
Cocoa powder and drinking chocolate	21	21	21	20	22	23	20	20	23	20	21
Glucose	259	270	288	314	322	349	378	411	441	442	491
Production of soft drinks (million litres):											
Concentrated	250	277	273	300	327	318	323	382	431	493	515
Unconcentrated	1,105	1,132	1,150	1,191	1,218	1,236	1,328	1,618	1,706	1,890	2,090
Compound feedingstuffs:											
Total	9,516	10,000	10,135	10,682	11,014	10,597	10,849	11,221	10,353	10,216	11,357
Cattle food	2,955	3,193	3,281	3,555	3,689	3,457	3,812	3,926	3,637	4,107	4,740
Calf food	392	378	379	406	400	386	433	449	385	360	410
Pig food	1,980	2,054	2,174	2,424	2,589	2,651	2,533	2,793	2,607	2,179	2,463
Poultry food	4,010	4,181	4,101	4,055	4,109	3,911	3,869	3,820	3,498	3,346	3,475
Other compounds	179	194	200	242	227	192	202	233	226	224	269

TIME SERIES. The figures relate to periods of 52 weeks (53 weeks in 1971 and 1976) with the following exceptions which are on a calendar year basis: butter, cheese, cream, canned meat, soft drinks, condensed milk and milk powder; canned vegetables, canned and bottled fruit and canned soups.

[1] Including production of maize oil. [2] Excluding castor meal, cocoa cake and meal. [3] Including meat subsequently canned. [4] Excluding skim concentrate and condensed milk used in manufacture of chocolate crumb. [5] Excluding buttermilk and whey powder. [6] Fresh and sterilized (including farm) cream. [7] Figures relate to ready-to-serve equivalent. [8] Home production up to 1968; thereafter total disposals of home produced biscuits. [9] Other than oatmeal and oatmeal flakes.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Food and animal feedingstuffs: disposals

TABLE **9.15**

Thousand tonnes

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Flour	3,921	3,806	3,785	3,855	3,844	3,863	3,749	3,781	3,693	3,842	3,952
Sugar [1]:											
Total disposals	2,982	2,965	2,861	2,899	2,897	2,917	2,995	3,006	3,246	2,553	2,707
For food in the United Kingdom [2]	2,672	2,646	2,655	2,696	2,704	2,677	2,692	2,657	2,944	2,199	2,445
Syrup and treacle	54	62	68	77	78	82	82	69	72	71	66
Meat and fish:											
Fresh and frozen meat and offal [3]:											
Beef and veal	1,151	1,219	1,155	1,211	1,218	1,212	1,180	1,109	1,301	1,424	1,282
Mutton and lamb	600	612	596	562	555	588	550	500	466	509	472
Pork	623	569	595	636	634	689	702	697	696	590	606
Offal	264	269	273	244	234	242	244	235	239	272	256
Poultry-meat	449	469	532	563	598	598	673	661	656	643	648
Bacon and ham [3]	621	613	632	629	634	667	626	566	532	484	482
Fresh, frozen and cured fish (landed weight) (excluding shellfish) [3]:											
Total disposals	1,078	1,000	1,071	1,066	1,075	1,058	1,035	1,075	1,088	991	1,023
For food in the United Kingdom	857	852	896	878	874	819	766	746	772	751	785
Dairy products:											
Butter	487	499	484	494	470	435	393	437	490	515	460
Cheese	255	271	280	292	304	318	307	331	341	358	351
Condensed milk [4]	211	212	206	217	217	211	170	176	166	153	156
Milk powder [5]:											
Full cream	52	50	44	40	40	43	51	37	39	27	21
Skimmed	109	97	128	131	126	132	147	198	125	159	218
Eggs in shell	838	880	876	869	897	880	879	838	822	796	813
Oils (as crude oil):											
Vegetable oil	673	636	701	705	709	752	779	851	773	660	837
Marine oil [6]	203	227	228	234	203	190	207	190	167	175	170
Jam and marmalade	208	209	204	198	187	178	192	195	194	159	176
Potatoes:											
Total disposals [7]	5,476	4,889	5,244	5,051	4,917	5,647	5,843	5,590	5,641	5,331	3,993
For food in the United Kingdom	4,973	4,871	4,961	4,903	4,736	4,734	4,778	4,923	5,069	4,678	3,482
Other foods:											
Chocolate and sugar confectionery	677	694	702	695	698	740	764	825	818	725	815
Tea [8]	219	231	223	216	221	210	205	192	200	198	208
Raw coffee	78	84	84	101	100	101	97	119	102	94	96
Cocoa beans [8]	108	96	93	92	82	94	98	107	93	72	83
Barley:											
For brewing and distilling and for food	2,396	2,321	1,983	1,467	1,674	1,679	1,768	2,231	1,953	2,928	2,067
Maize [9]:											
Total disposals	3,322	3,777	3,775	3,249	3,107	2,972	3,161	3,460	3,208	3,097	3,676
Animal feed	2,198	2,718	2,620	2,003	1,762	1,532	1,688	1,828	1,587	1,632	2,181
Oilcake and meal [10]:											
High and medium protein	1,416	1,271	1,263	1,269	1,348	1,192	1,318	1,543	1,417	1,405	1,798
Low protein	138	105	67	63	59	53	57				
Wheat milling offals	1,539	1,430	1,428	1,550	1,431	1,358	1,349	1,370	1,332	1,342	1,338
Fish and meat meal for animal feed [11]	586	685	801	759	685	655	703	293	317	327	312

TIME SERIES. The figures relate to periods of 52 weeks (53 weeks in 1971 and 1976) with the following exceptions which are on a calendar year basis: fish and potatoes; condensed milk; milk powder; and butter.

[1] As refined sugar. Excluding sugar in imported manufactured foods. [2] Including sugar used in the manufacture of other foods subsequently exported. [3] Including usage for canning. [4] Excluding skim concentrate and condensed milk used in manufacture of chocolate crumb. [5] Excluding buttermilk and whey powder. [6] For the manufacture of margarine and compound fat. [7] Disposals (excluding seed and chats) of home grown and imported potatoes for human consumption, processing, export and sales for stockfeed through schemes for implementing the Agricultural Act, 1947. [8] Excluding re-exports. [9] Including maize meal. [10] From 1973 separate figures for protein content of oilcake and meal are not available. [11] From April 1973, figures relate to sales.

Sources: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food; Business Statistics Office

Landings of fish of British taking: landed weight and value

Great Britain

TABLE 9.21

	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
	Landed weight (Thousand tonnes)						Value (£ thousand)					
Total all fish	963.9	941.7	998.0	954.4	855.4	917.2	91,811	107,585	150,366	151,917	149,349	206,489
Total wet fish	913.2	887.3	931.7	893.6	792.0	839.4	84,826	98,613	138,495	141,036	136,642	184,950
Demersal												
Total	711.2	668.5	658.0	636.9	575.0	569.0	78,733	91,609	125,732	124,021	122,011	165,228
Catfish	5.1	5.5	4.9	4.6	3.9	3.2	390	458	659	679	612	759
Cod	304.9	300.7	272.6	266.7	241.5	211.1	39,628	46,431	64,724	61,640	60,816	79,951
Dogfish	13.7	14.3	15.2	14.5	16.6	16.6	867	914	1,528	1,725	2,032	2,626
Haddock	181.2	156.6	149.4	126.2	112.5	127.5	17,288	20,785	27,494	27,217	25,704	34,858
Hake	2.2	2.4	2.3	2.1	2.3	1.7	673	738	757	846	933	1,013
Halibut	1.6	1.3	1.1	0.9	0.8	0.7	618	627	674	661	636	730
Lemon sole	4.1	3.8	4.2	4.0	4.2	4.4	1,133	1,192	1,558	1,591	1,858	2,544
Plaice	44.2	40.0	37.7	29.0	27.8	31.7	7,069	7,503	9,692	8,602	10,096	12,263
Redfish	7.7	8.8	9.1	11.2	6.0	6.4	416	478	743	1,104	637	1,213
Saithe (Coalfish)	52.9	47.3	56.4	44.0	34.5	40.4	2,957	2,959	5,062	5,573	3,700	6,970
Skate and ray	9.4	8.8	7.5	6.6	6.7	6.8	1,148	1,248	1,313	1,367	1,451	1,726
Sole	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.0	1.2	1.3	819	936	1,337	1,143	1,582	2,376
Turbot	0.9	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.6	0.8	502	615	661	639	677	1,009
Whiting	39.3	35.6	33.7	38.4	43.9	46.1	2,833	3,775	4,642	5,516	6,166	8,573
Livers[1]	13.5	11.2	9.6	9.1	5.9	4.9	211	190	172	233	319	289
Roes	1.6	1.2	1.0	0.9	0.9	1.0	197	152	144	173	216	362
Other demersal	27.7	28.8	51.2	76.9	65.7	64.4	1,984	2,608	4,572	5,312	4,576	7,966
Pelagic												
Total	202.0	218.8	273.7	256.7	217.0	270.4	6,093	7,004	12,763	17,015	14,631	19,722
Herring	142.8	145.7	151.0	140.6	107.2	85.3	4,849	5,444	9,057	12,751	10,645	10,846
Mackerel	6.2	8.8	21.3	30.0	48.3	87.0	337	430	1,094	1,449	2,303	5,247
Other pelagic	53.0	64.3	101.4	86.1	61.5	98.1	907	1,130	2,612	2,815	1,683	3,629
Total shell fish	50.7	54.4	66.3	60.8	63.4	77.8	6,985	8,972	11,871	10,881	12,707	21,539
Cockles	13.0	14.8	18.6	18.3	16.4	18.5	254	316	372	362	302	356
Crab	5.9	6.4	7.1	6.0	6.6	7.7	670	758	1,040	1,198	1,331	1,917
Lobster	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.8	0.9	1,505	1,631	2,042	2,254	2,514	3,414
Mussels	4.7	4.7	4.9	6.1	6.9	7.5	97	101	110	154	193	212
Nephrop (Norway lobster)	10.1	11.8	10.5	9.0	9.4	12.6	2,401	4,242	5,420	4,169	4,452	7,345
Oysters: weight[2]	0.2	0.2	0.5	0.3	0.5	1.0	203	202	376	388	427	862
number *(millions)*	*3.7*	*3.4*	*7.7*	*4.5*	*7.7*	*15.0*						
Shrimps	1.6	1.3	1.5	1.7	2.1	3.3	303	243	302	493	630	1,241
Whelks	2.1	2.3	2.9	3.0	3.1	3.2	90	126	168	189	204	238
Other shell fish	12.0	11.9	19.3	15.4	17.6	23.1	1,462	1,353	2,041	1,674	2,654	5,954

[1] Including the raw equivalent of any liver oils landed. [2] The weight of oysters has been calculated by conversion at the rate of 15,747 to the tonne.

Sources: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food; Department of Agriculture and Fisheries for Scotland

Fishing fleet [1]

England and Wales

TABLE 9.22

At 31 December in each year

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total fishing vessels	3,281	3,212	3,292	3,383	3,063	3,200	3,363	3,612	3,872	3,721	3,832
Trawlers[2]											
Total	1,230	1,370	1,459	1,469	1,283	1,250	1,326	1,457	1,555	1,489	1,477
Steam[3]	117	99	69	62	60	59	55	49	42	19	–
Motor: 40 ft. and over	623	641	674	691	705	722	762	821	850	859	832
Under 40 ft	490	630	716	716	518	469	509	587	663	611	645
Drifters:											
Total	65	88	83	82	80	55	46	73	67	87	92
Motor: 40 ft. and over	11	10	8	7	6	5	3	3	3	2	2
Under 40 ft	54	78	75	75	74	50	43	70	64	85	90
Liners:											
Total	122	158	464	435	457	600	365	498	583	610	610
Motor: 40 ft. and over	67	60	59	52	56	58	57	70	71	74	80
Under 40 ft.	55	98	405	383	401	542	308	428	512	536	530
Seiners:											
Total	156	157	166	167	175	175	185	195	208	224	212
Motor: 40 ft. and over	153	154	163	164	172	172	182	188	201	209	204
Under 40 ft	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	7	7	15	8
Other:											
Total	1,708	1,439	1,120	1,230	1,068	1,120	1,441	1,389	1,459	1,311	1,441
Motor: 40 ft. and over	51	47	54	59	64	68	72	71	77	75	67
Under 40 ft	1,649	1,357	1,039	1,149	988	1,044	1,356	1,305	1,375	1,227	1,362
Other than motor [4]	8	35	27	22	16	8	13	13	7	9	12

[1] Figures exclude vessels (all under 40 ft.) which are not used at all for commercial fishing. [2] Including drifter/trawlers. [3] All 40 ft and over. [4] All under 40 ft.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Fishing fleet

Scotland

TABLE 9.23

At 31 December in each year

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total fishing vessels	2,875	2,877	2,787	2,680	2,617	2,620	2,712	2,689	2,754	2,678	2,616
Trawlers:											
Total	368	415	432	484	543	589	667	736	781	768	741
Steam	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Motor: 80 ft. and over	121	124	123	124	117	117	117	118	107	96	78
Under 80 ft.	246	291	309	360	426	472	550	618	674	672	663
Liners:											
Total	554	542	523	465	424	416	432	380	377	359	319
Motor	547	542	523	465	424	416	432	380	377	359	319
Sail	7	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Seiners:											
Total [1]	571	582	570	531	476	454	439	439	431	407	365
Drifters:											
Total [1]	67	48	34	21	14	13	10	4	4	4	3
Ringers:											
Total [1]	77	61	56	56	57	59	45	25	16	10	8
Creel fishing:											
Total	1,182	1,174	1,116	1,016	984	977	1,006	1,008	1,041	1,022	1,038
Motor	1,178	1,174	1,116	1,016	984	977	1,006	1,008	1,041	1,022	1,038
Sail	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other:											
Total [1]	56	55	56	107	119	112	113	97	104	108	142

[1] All motor vessels.

Source: Department of Agriculture and Fisheries for Scotland

Estimated food supplies per head of population[1]

TABLE **9.31**

Kg per head per year

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Cereal products and sugar:											
Flour	69.6	66.7	65.7	66.1	65.9	65.9	63.8	63.6	61.5	64.4	66.1
Rice	1.3	1.2	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.5	2.1
Oat products	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4
Other cereal products	2.9	3.0	3.1	3.2	3.5	3.4	3.6	3.9	3.9	3.7	4.1
Starch and other farinaceous foods	1.6	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.6	1.3	0.8	1.4	1.7	1.1	1.3
Sugar[2]	49.6	48.6	48.1	48.6	48.1	47.2	47.8	47.0	47.9	42.7	45.7
Meat and fish:											
Beef-bone in	18.8	20.5	19.4	19.3	18.9	18.5	16.6	14.8	19.7	21.3	18.7
Beef-bone out (expressed as bone in equivalent)	2.4	1.6	1.5	2.6	3.3	3.0	4.4	4.5	2.7	2.2	2.3
Mutton and lamb	10.7	10.8	10.6	9.8	9.6	10.0	9.2	8.3	7.7	8.3	7.6
Pork	11.1	10.2	10.6	11.2	11.0	11.8	12.3	12.1	12.0	10.3	10.2
Offal[3]	4.5	4.5	4.6	3.7	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.4	3.4	4.0	3.8
Imported meat products	3.2	3.6	3.6	3.2	3.4	3.4	3.6	3.5	3.1	3.2	3.9
Bacon and ham	11.4	11.2	11.5	11.4	11.4	11.9	11.2	10.1	9.5	8.7	8.5
Poultry	8.1	8.5	9.7	10.1	10.7	10.7	12.0	11.7	11.6	11.4	11.5
Fresh, frozen and cured fish	7.3	7.2	7.6	7.4	7.3	6.7	6.4	6.2	6.4	6.1	6.5
Imported canned fish	1.1	1.4	1.5	1.2	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.3	1.0	1.2	1.2
Dairy products:											
Liquid milk (litres)	141.2	141.1	139.6	138.4	137.2	135.1	135.0	136.5	139.4	142.1	140.3
Cream (40% fat content)	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.5
Cheese	4.7	4.9	5.0	5.1	5.3	5.6	5.4	5.8	5.9	6.3	6.1
Condensed milk	3.5	3.8	3.7	3.9	3.9	4.0	3.6	3.6	3.1	2.9	2.9
Milk powder	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.7	2.1	2.0	2.2	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.2
Eggs in shell (number)	246	249	250	248	251	254	253	244	240	232	237
Egg products (equivalent number of eggs)	24	26	23	23	24	19	20	18	16	14	12
Fats:											
Butter	9.0	9.3	9.0	8.9	8.8	8.2	7.2	7.6	8.3	8.4	7.6
Margarine	5.5	5.2	5.2	5.4	5.4	5.9	6.3	5.8	4.9	5.0	5.8
Lard and compound cooking fat	5.6	5.6	5.4	5.5	5.5	5.1	5.6	5.5	6.1	5.9	5.5
Other edible oils and fats	5.5	5.2	6.2	6.1	6.3	6.1	5.6	6.4	6.0	5.5	5.7
Fruit and vegetables:											
Fresh citrus fruit	9.1	9.0	9.2	9.2	9.9	10.5	9.4	10.5	9.4	9.3	9.2
Other fresh fruit	24.7	21.8	23.6	24.2	24.7	24.6	22.6	22.2	23.3	22.3	24.3
Canned and bottled fruit	8.5	8.7	8.6	8.7	8.3	7.8	8.1	8.6	7.1	6.8	6.6
Imported dried fruit	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.6	2.4	2.2	2.1	2.3
Potatoes	101.8	101.5	103.0	100.4	103.5	100.3	97.6	99.0	99.4	101.7	85.1
Fresh tomatoes	6.0	6.2	6.1	6.2	6.1	6.0	5.6	5.8	5.7	5.9	5.9
Other fresh vegetables	45.9	46.0	46.0	45.6	46.3	45.2	46.9	47.8	48.6	44.6	46.8
Imported canned tomatoes (including juice and puree)	2.7	2.8	3.2	2.9	3.1	3.1	3.6	4.1	4.4	2.9	4.0
Other canned vegetables	4.6	4.2	3.6	4.9	4.5	3.7	4.0	5.0	4.6	4.7	4.9
Pulses [4]	3.2	3.3	3.1	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.4	2.9	3.1	2.7
Other foods:											
Tea	4.0	4.1	4.0	3.9	3.9	3.7	3.6	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.6
Coffee	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.8	2.0	2.1	2.0	2.7	2.1	2.2	2.1
Cocoa powder	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.3
Alcoholic drink [5]:											
Spirits (proof litres) (6)	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.6	1.7	2.0	2.4	2.7	2.6	2.9
Beer (litres)	92.5	94.1	95.0	98.8	101.5	105.3	107.6	111.9	114.2	117.2	118.8
Wine (litres)	3.1	3.5	3.8	3.7	3.8	4.4	5.0	6.3	6.7	6.3	6.8

[1] These estimates have been revised using lower population figures based on the results of the 1971 Census of Population. [2] Including sugar in all home produced and imported manufactured foods and in brewing, but excluding sugar in exported manufactured foods. [3] This series was revised from 1 January 1969 to take account of new definitions of edible meat offals. [4] Includes dried beans and dried peas for canning. [5] Quantities retained for home use, based on information provided by HM Customs and Excise. [6] Excludes medical spirit.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Nutrient equivalent of supplies of food moving into consumption

TABLE **9.32**

Per head per day

	Unit	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974[2]	1975[2]	1976[2]
Protein:												
Animal	Grammes	51.5	52.3	52.5	52.1	52.5	52.4	52.6	51.1	52.3	52.7	51.4
Vegetable	,,	34.8	33.1	32.8	33.5	33.7	32.4	32.5	33.1	31.2	31.4	31.8
Total	,,	86.3	85.4	85.3	85.6	86.2	84.8	85.1	84.2	83.5	84.1	83.2
Fat from all sources	,,	144	143	144	146	145	144	142	141	132	130	128
Carbohydrate[1]	,,	403	387	387	389	390	384	385	384	383	376	386
Energy value	Kilojoules	13,210	12,890	12,930	13,020	13,030	12,860	12,820	12,730	12,380	12,200	12,270

[1] Available carbohydrate expressed as monosaccharides. [2] Using revised nutrient factors.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Self-sufficiency in terms of nutrients

Contribution of home produced food supplies moving into consumption: in terms of energy value and nutrient content

TABLE **9.33**

Percentages

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974[1]	1975[1]	1976[1]
Protein:											
Animal	75.6	75.0	75.3	75.1	76.8	77.0	77.5	78.9	80.8	78.4	79.8
Vegetable	39.9	41.0	41.4	38.1	40.8	40.4	46.6	48.6	51.1	50.9	44.0
Total	61.1	61.8	62.3	60.6	62.7	63.1	65.7	67.1	69.7	68.2	66.2
Fat from all sources	39.8	40.0	40.2	40.4	41.7	41.7	43.8	43.8	42.9	42.8	43.4
Carbohydrate	39.9	40.5	40.6	38.5	40.9	40.3	44.7	45.1	44.6	42.9	39.5
Energy value	42.9	42.6	42.8	41.7	43.6	43.4	46.6	46.9	46.7	45.9	44.9

[1] Using revised nutrient factors.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Proportion of United Kingdom food supplies derived from home agriculture and fisheries

July-June years

TABLE **9.34**

	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76
At current prices											
Home production [1]											
Value £ million	1,528	1,560	1,612	1,693	1,789	1,901	2,060	2,420	2,992	3,254	3,931
Index 1970/71 = 100	80.4	82.1	84.8	89.1	94.1	100.0	108.4	127.3	157.4	171.2	206.8
Percentage of total supplies	*51.4*	*51.8*	*52.4*	*52.1*	*53.0*	*53.2*	*53.6*	*54.6*	*54.5*	*52.0*	*53.7*
Imports [2]											
Value £ million	1,442	1,453	1,466	1,556	1,589	1,669	1,784	2,009	2,496	3,003	3,389
Index 1970/71 = 100	86.4	87.1	87.8	93.2	95.2	100.0	106.9	120.4	149.5	179.9	203.1
Percentage of total supplies	*48.6*	*48.2*	*47.6*	*47.9*	*47.0*	*46.8*	*46.4*	*45.4*	*45.5*	*48.0*	*46.3*
Total supplies											
Value £ million	2,970	3,013	3,078	3,249	3,378	3,570	3,844	4,429	5,488	6,258	7,319
Index 1970/71 = 100	83.2	84.4	86.2	91.0	94.6	100.0	107.7	124.1	153.7	175.3	205.0
Indigenous-type imports [3]											
Value £ million	825	841	822	896	899	939	1,025	1,201	1,393	1,780	2,103
Index 1970/71 = 100	87.9	89.6	87.5	95.4	95.7	100.0	109.2	127.9	148.3	189.6	224.0
Percentage of total supplies	*27.8*	*27.9*	*26.7*	*27.6*	*26.6*	*26.3*	*26.7*	*27.1*	*25.4*	*28.4*	*28.7*
Non-indigenous imports [3]											
Value £ million	617	612	644	660	690	730	759	808	1,104	1,223	1,355
Index 1970/71 = 100	84.5	83.8	88.2	90.4	94.5	100.0	104.0	110.7	151.2	167.5	185.6
Percentage of total imports	*42.8*	*42.1*	*43.9*	*42.4*	*43.4*	*43.7*	*42.5*	*40.2*	*44.2*	*40.7*	*40.0*
Percentage of total supplies	*20.8*	*20.3*	*20.9*	*20.3*	*20.4*	*20.5*	*19.7*	*18.2*	*20.1*	*19.5*	*18.5*
Total indigenous-type supplies											
Value £ million	2,353	2,401	2,434	2,589	2,688	2,840	3,085	3,621	4,385	5,034	6,034
Index 1970/71 = 100	82.9	84.5	85.7	91.2	94.6	100.0	108.6	127.5	154.4	177.3	212.5
Home production as percentage of indigenous type supplies	*64.9*	*65.0*	*66.2*	*65.4*	*66.6*	*66.9*	*66.8*	*66.8*	*68.2*	*64.6*	*65.1*
At constant prices 1970/71—1972/73 average											
Home production [1]											
Value £ million	1,929	1,986	2,046	2,048	2,077	2,132	2,138	2,136	2,148	2,142	1,993
Index 1970/71 = 100	90.5	93.2	96.0	96.1	97.4	100.0	100.3	100.2	100.8	100.5	93.5
Percentage of total supplies	*50.2*	*50.8*	*51.6*	*51.5*	*52.4*	*53.5*	*53.9*	*54.0*	*56.0*	*56.5*	*52.2*
Imports [2]											
Value £ million	1,911	1,926	1,918	1,927	1,888	1,853	1,832	1,819	1,685	1,646	1,827
Index 1970/71 = 100	103.1	103.9	103.5	104.0	101.9	100.0	98.9	98.2	90.9	88.8	98.6
Percentage of total supplies	*49.8*	*49.2*	*48.4*	*48.5*	*47.6*	*46.5*	*46.1*	*46.0*	*44.0*	*43.5*	*47.8*
Total supplies											
Value £ million	3,840	3,912	3,964	3,975	3,965	3,985	3,970	3,955	3,833	3,788	3,821
Index 1970/71 = 100	96.4	98.2	99.5	99.7	99.5	100.0	99.6	99.2	96.2	95.1	95.9
Indigenous-type imports [3]											
Value £ million	1,136	1,144	1,121	1,152	1,132	1,100	1,052	1,057	929	998	1,133
Index 1970/71 = 100	103.3	104.0	101.9	104.7	102.9	100.0	95.6	96.1	84.5	90.7	103.0
Percentage of total supplies	*29.6*	*29.2*	*28.3*	*29.0*	*28.5*	*27.6*	*26.5*	*26.7*	*24.2*	*26.3*	*29.7*
Non-indigenous imports [3]											
Value £ million	775	782	797	775	756	753	780	763	756	648	694
Index 1970/71 = 100	102.9	103.9	105.8	102.9	100.4	100.0	103.6	101.3	100.4	86.1	92.2
Percentage of total imports	*40.6*	*40.6*	*41.5*	*40.2*	*40.0*	*40.6*	*42.6*	*42.0*	*44.9*	*39.4*	*38.0*
Percentage of total supplies	*20.2*	*20.0*	*20.1*	*19.5*	*19.1*	*18.9*	*19.6*	*19.3*	*19.7*	*17.1*	*18.2*
Total indigenous-type supplies											
Value £ million	3,065	3,130	3,167	3,200	3,209	3,232	3,190	3,193	3,076	3,140	3,127
Index 1970/71 = 100	94.8	96.8	98.0	99.0	99.3	100.0	98.7	98.8	95.2	98.8	96.8
Home production as percentage of indigenous type supplies	*62.9*	*63.5*	*64.6*	*64.0*	*64.7*	*66.0*	*67.0*	*66.9*	*69.8*	*68.2*	*63.8*

[1] Home production for food is the value of food moving into manufacture or distribution derived from home agricultural output from all sources, including gardens and allotments, and fish landings by British vessels. Deductions have been made for that part of output used for animal feed, non-food uses such as brewing, distilling and pet foods, and for food exported. Adjustments have been made for changes in stocks. The valuation of home output does not include deficiency payments. Exceptionally, the home sugar beet crop has been revalued at a notional cost of producing refined sugar (i.e. the average yearly ex-refinery price *less* a refiner's margin). [2] Based on Divisions 00 to 09 and parts of Divisions 22, 29, 41, 42, 43, 51, 53, 55 and 59 of the *Overseas Trade Statistics*. Deductions have been made for animal feed, non-food uses, for re-exports and for the value of imported foods subsequently exported in manufactured form. Supplies have been valued at cif *plus* any duties, except that imported raw sugar has been revalued at the notional cost of producing refined sugar. Supplies from the Channel Isles have been treated as imported. [3] The sub-division of imports into indigenous-type and non-indigenous categories is in accordance with the Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food standard classifications.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Cost of food processing and distribution in the United Kingdom

TABLE **9.35**

Years ended 30 June

£ million

	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76
Supply											
1. Total supplies [1]	2,970	3,013	3,078	3,249	3,378	3,570	3,844	4,429	5,488	6,330	7,320
Input											
2. Home production for home consumption [2]	1,528	1,560	1,612	1,693	1,789	1,901	2,060	2,420	2,992	3,327	3,931
3. Home produced inputs to processing and distribution[3]	1,549	1,573	1,626	1,722	1,849	1,974	2,172	2,614	3,272	3,704	4,465
4. Imports	1,442	1,453	1,466	1,556	1,589	1,669	1,784	2,009	2,496	3,003	3,389
5. Total adjusted input to processing and distribution [4] .	2,991	3,026	3,092	3,278	3,438	3,643	3,956	4,623	5,769	6,707	7,854
Output											
6. Total expenditure on food [5]	5,999	6,240	6,418	6,692	7,088	7,703	8,318	9,101	10,486	12,480	15,011
7. Exports	136	130	131	156	209	237	283	369	493	626	845
8. Total adjusted output [6]	6,136	6,377	6,563	6,865	7,318	7,965	8,631	9,564	11,213	13,791	16,456
Cost											
9. Cost of processing and distributing all food [7]	3,145	3,351	3,471	3,587	3,880	4,322	4,675	4,941	5,445	7,084	8,602
10. Cost of processing and distributing all food as a percentage of total output . .	*51.3*	*52.6*	*52.9*	*52.3*	*53.0*	*54.3*	*54.2*	*51.7*	*48.6*	*51.4*	*52.3*
11. Index of cost of processing and distributing all food 1970/71 = 100	*72.8*	*77.5*	*80.3*	*83.0*	*89.8*	*100.0*	*108.2*	*114.3*	*126.0*	*163.9*	*199.0*

[1] Total of items 2 and 4. [2] See footnote [1] to Table 9.34. [3] Valued at market prices, including estimates of values of quantities used in exported processed food and excluding food produced on farms and allotments for own consumption. [4] Total of items 3 and 4. [5] Includes taxes *less* subsidies and the value of farmers' self-supplies. [6] Total of items 6 and 7 *plus* the value of ships' stores and government expenditure on food subsidies and food for the services, but excluding farmers' self-supplies. [7] Item 8 *less* item 5.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Estimated household food consumption [1] by all households in Great Britain

TABLE **9.41**

Ounces per person per week

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Liquid milk . . . . *(pints)*	4.93	4.89	4.82	4.89	4.63	4.74	4.62	4.75	4.74	4.76	4.71
Other milk . . . . *(pints or eq pints)*	0.35	0.35	0.37	0.36	0.41	0.38	0.40	0.38	0.35	0.33	0.34
Cheese	3.11	3.35	3.41	3.50	3.59	3.63	3.53	3.75	3.74	3.79	3.79
Butter	6.09	6.19	6.14	6.15	5.99	5.53	4.79	5.24	5.61	5.63	5.16
Margarine	2.79	3.00	2.81	2.78	2.86	3.15	3.52	3.03	2.60	2.60	3.06
Lard and compound cooking fat. . . .	2.13	2.09	2.08	2.08	2.21	1.98	1.89	1.83	1.82	1.97	1.86
Eggs . . . . *(number)*	4.77	4.72	4.66	4.60	4.66	4.55	4.41	4.23	4.09	4.14	4.08
Preserves	2.84	2.85	2.79	2.67	2.57	2.71	2.56	2.51	2.47	2.43	2.30
Sugar	17.05	17.21	16.35	16.18	16.94	15.80	15.02	13.69	13.03	11.29	12.20
Beef and veal	8.13	8.61	7.76	7.70	7.80	7.96	6.90	6.31	7.41	8.32	7.62
Mutton and lamb	6.28	6.06	5.71	5.34	5.25	5.41	4.96	4.44	4.11	4.25	4.20
Pork	2.76	2.29	2.53	2.78	2.83	3.04	3.10	3.00	3.20	2.73	2.89
Bacon and ham, uncooked	5.30	5.17	5.15	5.11	5.32	5.12	4.68	4.41	4.18	3.99	4.03
Bacon and ham, cooked (including canned)	0.95	0.96	0.94	0.94	0.94	0.92	0.96	0.93	0.93	1.00	0.99
Poultry and cooked chicken [2]	4.06	4.01	4.81	4.93	5.06	4.92	5.69	6.09	5.18	5.73	6.00
Other cooked and canned meats [2] .	2.70	2.92	2.96	3.10	3.36	2.92	3.03	3.03	2.71	2.80	2.83
Offals	1.44	1.39	1.37	1.31	1.32	1.29	1.24	1.17	1.05	1.15	1.16
Sausages, uncooked	3.59	3.50	3.70	3.68	3.74	3.69	3.55	3.41	3.50	3.22	3.29
Other meat products [2].	2.78	3.07	3.24	3.31	3.65	3.46	3.64	3.72	3.61	3.85	3.97
Fish, fresh and processed	4.18	4.17	4.02	3.73	3.67	3.61	3.34	2.97	2.76	2.76	2.67
Canned fish	0.87	0.88	0.86	0.79	0.69	0.63	0.67	0.68	0.60	0.66	0.65
Fish and fish products, frozen [2]. . .	0.74	0.74	0.81	0.94	0.99	0.91	1.04	1.06	0.96	1.05	1.26
Potatoes (excluding processed)	52.49	52.24	51.92	49.31	51.84	49.18	46.70	45.93	45.66	43.90	35.30
Fresh green vegetables.	13.50	13.17	13.05	12.25	13.12	13.39	13.29	12.48	12.70	11.58	11.40
Tomatoes, fresh.	3.98	4.06	3.98	4.10	4.00	3.99	3.66	3.82	3.74	3.87	3.94
Other fresh vegetables and frozen vegetables	11.28	11.12	11.52	11.75	11.69	12.42	12.03	12.89	12.85	13.18	13.81
Canned tomatoes	0.73	0.78	0.76	0.76	0.82	0.85	0.98	0.91	0.94	0.98	1.06
Canned peas	2.91	3.00	3.05	3.10	3.20	2.84	2.95	2.76	2.76	2.76	2.84
Canned beans	3.24	3.49	3.48	3.58	3.86	3.60	3.72	3.78	3.58	3.83	3.99
Apples	7.33	6.40	6.39	6.72	7.32	7.80	6.57	6.66	7.08	6.77	7.44
Oranges	3.52	3.63	3.64	3.80	3.69	3.70	3.33	3.51	3.21	3.43	3.20
Other citrus fruit	1.16	1.22	1.37	1.32	1.32	1.89	1.47	1.73	1.37	1.49	1.53
All other fresh fruit	7.14	6.43	7.19	7.28	6.81	6.68	6.17	6.00	6.14	5.82	6.14
Canned fruit	4.82	4.87	4.83	4.94	4.61	4.48	4.34	4.49	3.70	3.75	3.56
Dried fruit, nuts and fruit and nut products	1.19	1.23	1.16	1.23	1.17	1.28	1.26	1.19	1.20	1.27	1.42
Flour	5.95	5.79	5.38	5.38	5.68	5.86	5.42	5.25	5.30	5.16	6.02
Bread	38.64	40.02	38.31	37.74	38.11	35.76	34.44	33.42	33.50	33.67	33.17
Buns, scones and teacakes	1.60	1.43	1.36	1.28	1.21	1.42	1.28	1.07	0.94	1.12	1.11
Cakes and pastries	4.86	4.61	4.68	4.58	4.47	4.04	3.83	3.74	3.51	3.12	2.85
Biscuits	5.60	5.87	5.84	5.81	5.76	5.80	5.62	5.82	5.63	5.59	5.62
Breakfast cereals [2]	2.25	2.35	2.43	2.63	2.74	2.68	2.86	2.95	2.88	3.05	3.25
Oatmeal and oat products [2]	0.67	0.67	0.58	0.54	0.50	0.53	0.58	0.46	0.53	0.50	0.49
Tea	2.64	2.70	2.59	2.52	2.59	2.39	2.24	2.16	2.24	2.18	2.21
Instant coffee	0.29	0.30	0.36	0.38	0.42	0.44	0.46	0.47	0.51	0.50	0.51
Canned soups	3.10	3.10	3.08	3.19	3.54	3.09	3.23	3.58	3.46	2.98	3.19
Pickles and sauces	1.24	1.30	1.33	1.44	1.55	1.51	1.57	1.57	1.55	1.71	1.66

[1] Purchases *plus* 'free' food, including withdrawals from stores of certain home-produced foods. [2] During the 11-year period there have been some minor changes in the classification of certain food items within these groups; the effect on the time series is minimal.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food (National Food Survey)

X. Transport and Communications

Goods transport in Great Britain

TABLE **10.1**

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total tonne kilometres (thousand millions)	124.6	123.5	130.1	135.6	138.0	135.0	135.4	140.0	137.7	140.5	142.0
Road [1]	73.3	74.6	79.0	83.4	85.0	85.9	87.5	90.4	89.9	95.3	95.6
Rail [2]	24.2	22.3	24.0	25.3	26.8	24.3	23.4	25.5	24.2	23.5	23.1
Coastal shipping [3] [5]	25.3	24.9	24.5	24.2	23.2	21.4	21.3	20.6	20.1	18.3	20.0
British waterways	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Pipelines [4]	1.5	1.6	2.3	2.6	2.9	3.3	3.1	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.2
Total (million tonnes)	1,950	1,944	2,013	1,972	1,922	1,889	1,914	1,976	1,820	1,866	1,782
Road [1]	1,641	1,651	1,707	1,658	1,610	1,582	1,629	1,672	1,538	1,602	1,516
Rail [2]	217	204	211	211	209	198	178	199	178	176	176
Coastal shipping [3] [5]	53	50	49	49	49	47	48	46	44	38	39
British waterways	8	7	7	7	7	6	5	5	4	4	5
Pipelines [4]	31	32	39	47	47	56	54	54	56	46	46

[1] See footnotes to Table 10.19. [2] British Rail only prior to 1973, excluding freight tonnes by coaching train. Excluding net tonne kilometres by coaching train throughout. Excluding all free-hauled traffic. From 1969 onwards, including estimates for former freightliners and sundries traffic by rail now handled by Freightliners Ltd. and NCL. [3] Including petroleum moved to and from Northern Ireland for which no breakdown is available, and excluding sand and gravel dredged from the sea. [4] Excluding movements of gases by pipelines. All pipelines of less than 16 kilometres were excluded. [5] 1976 figures are provisional.

Source: Department of Transport

Passenger transport in Great Britain: estimated passenger kilometres

TABLE **10.2**

Thousand million kilometres

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total	347.4	363.9	374.3	382.6	399.5	420.4	434.7	451.5	438.4	441.3	447.8
Air [1] [5]	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.2	2.4	2.3	2.2	2.3
Rail [2]	34.6	34.0	33.4	34.7	35.6	35.4	34.5	35.1	36.1	35.1	33.5
Road:											
Public service vehicles [3]	62.0	61.0	59.0	58.0	56.0	56.0	55.0	54.0	54.0	54.0	53.0
Private transport [4]	249.0	267.0	280.0	288.0	306.0	327.0	343.0	360.0	346.0	350.0	359.0

[1] Domestic Scheduled services, including Northern Ireland, Isle of Man and Channel Islands. [2] Including British Rail, London Transport and other railway systems. The basis of calculating London Transport railways' Passenger kilometres has been revised from Passenger kilometres paid for to Passenger kilometres travelled. [3] Calculated from operators' returns of numbers of passengers carried, using estimates for average length of journey. [4] Based on statistics of vehicle mileage derived from the traffic counts and estimates of average numbers of persons per vehicle, derived from the Motoring and National Travel surveys. [5] 1976 figures are provisional.

Source: Department of Transport

Length of public roads in Great Britain

TABLE **10.11**

At 1 April in each year [1]

Kilometres

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total	314,623	315,602	317,689	320,315	322,484	324,665	327,717	329,473	330,848	331,174	333,418
Motorway [2]	631	761	906	964	1,057	1,270	1,669	1,754	1,883	2,026	2,226
Trunk	13,415	13,412	13,480	13,493	13,441	13,433	13,451	13,449	13,472	13,471	13,489
Principal [3]	32,039	32,520	32,488	32,515	32,549	32,702	32,765	32,806	32,762	32,831	33,133
Other [4]	268,538	268,909	270,815	273,343	275,437	277,260	279,832	281,464	282,731	282,846	284,570

[1] In Scotland as at 16 May up to and including 1975. [2] Including local authority motorways, the percentage of which is small. [3] Principal roads include virtually all the former Class 1 roads together with a small mileage of other roads. Those shown for the year 1966 are Class 1 roads only. [4] Excluding unsurfaced roads and green lanes.

Sources: Department of Transport; Scottish Development Department; Welsh Office

Total expenditure on highways in Great Britain [1]

TABLE 10.12

£ million

	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75 [7]	1975/76
New construction and improvement [2]											
Total	191.8	214.6	312.5	343.7	401.3	504.3	504.4	537.9	628.5	673.0	800.3
Trunk roads [3]	105.7	119.3	135.1	153.7	212.1	270.0	241.2	245.0	297.1	334.7	462.0
Principal roads	86.1	95.3	177.4	144.0	151.5	177.6	197.1	208.2	239.0	262.0	257.3
Other roads				46.0	37.7	56.7	66.1	84.7	92.4	76.0	80.9
Maintenance [2] [4]											
Total	143.6	160.5	139.3	131.2	141.9	164.9	190.0	226.8	257.1	277.0	359.3
Trunk roads [3]	20.3	22.7	18.4	19.6	20.4	23.9	30.7	47.4	58.6	43.5	63.3
Principal roads	123.3	137.8	120.9	29.3	31.2	35.8	40.9	45.7	53.5	62.0	76.1
Other roads				82.3	90.3	105.2	118.4	133.7	145.0	171.0	220.0
Cleansing, gritting and snow clearing [4]											
Total	23.6	23.4	24.7	29.1	32.9	34.5	38.2	44.1	45.0	49.0	59.1
Principal roads	23.6	23.4	24.7	29.1	32.9	7.0	8.3	9.1	9.4	9.0	11.2
Other roads						27.5	29.9	35.0	35.6	41.0	47.9
Other highway expenditure [5]	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	27.4	32.0	48.8
Road lighting: Installation and operation [6]											
Total	30.6	31.7	28.9	28.8	30.4	35.9	40.4	49.8	52.8	56.0	79.5
Trunk roads [3]	0.5	0.5	0.9	0.9	1.3	1.7	2.5	2.8	5.0	4.2	5.9
Non-trunk roads	30.1	31.2	28.0	27.9	29.1	34.2	37.9	46.9	47.8	52.0	73.6
Other road lighting expenditure [5]	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2.6	4.0	5.1
Vehicle parking: net	6.4	5.5	8.8	8.1	6.6	13.5	10.8	10.6	10.3	23.0	16.5
gross	12.1	12.6	17.4	18.5	19.3	29.3	31.3	33.6	36.2	51.0	53.5
Administration	27.3	30.6	38.7	40.6	45.0	52.1	60.7	72.7	84.6	118.0	158.3
Total	423.3	466.3	552.9	581.6	658.1	805.2	844.5	941.9	1,108.1	1,232.0	1,527.0
of which From central government funds	209.7	243.8	262.5	284.3	337.4	416.5	408.1	436.9	524.4	534.8	581.7

[1] The figures are derived from local authorities' annual financial returns and central government payment records. [2] Minor improvements were included with maintenance before 1967/68. [3] Including motorways. [4] Trunk road cleansing included in maintenance. [5] Before 1973/74 this expenditure, which includes expenditure on depots, plant, vehicles and equipment, was spread over the antecedent items. [6] Including maintenance. [7] Local authority expenditure estimated.

Source: Department of Transport

Estimated traffic on all roads in Great Britain

TABLE 10.13

Thousand million vehicle kilometres

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
All motor vehicles	172.84	181.92	190.50	195.64	206.63	220.48	231.64	243.83	237.00	241.18	251.44
Cars and taxis [1]	126.51	137.07	145.50	150.99	161.33	173.92	184.27	194.54	188.96	192.50	200.53
Two wheeled motor vehicles	5.97	5.16	4.70	4.15	3.88	3.80	3.53	3.71	3.97	4.86	5.80
Motor cycles	3.09	2.70	2.49	2.25	2.13	2.13	2.04	2.25	2.60	3.50	4.37
Motor scoooters	1.82	1.56	1.42	1.20	1.06	0.99	0.79	0.68	0.59	0.56	0.49
Mopeds	1.06	0.90	0.80	0.71	0.69	0.69	0.70	0.78	0.78	0.80	0.95
Buses and coaches	3.89	3.79	3.82	3.83	3.62	3.60	3.62	3.59	3.49	3.54	3.52
Total goods vehicles	36.48	35.90	36.49	36.67	37.80	39.16	40.22	41.99	40.58	40.27	41.58
Light vans [2]	18.03	17.66	17.73	18.01	18.87	19.69	20.39	21.32	21.08	20.93	21.36
Other goods vehicles	18.45	18.24	18.76	18.66	18.93	19.47	19.83	20.67	19.50	19.34	20.22
Pedal cycles	6.25	5.55	4.97	4.49	4.25	4.11	3.76	3.54	3.42	3.80	3.93

[1] This category includes three wheeled cars; excluding all vans whether licensed for private or for commercial use. [2] Not exceeding 30 cwt. unladen weight.

Source: Department of Transport

Vehicles with licences current [1]

Great Britain

TABLE 10.14

Thousands

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total	13,286	14,096	14,447	14,751	14,950	15,478	16,117	17,014	17,252	17,500	17,811
Cars, etc.											
Total	9,522	10,312	10,825	11,238	11,541	12,085	12,740	13,521	13,668	13,781	14,057
Private cars, etc.	9,513	10,303	10,816	11,228	11,515	12,062	12,717	13,497	13,639	13,747	14,029
Exempt from licence duty [2]	9	9	9	10	26	23	23	24	30	34	28
Motor cycles, etc.											
Total	1,501	1,446	1,328	1,226	1,146	1,124	1,085	1,113	1,146	1,270	1,332
Bicycles:											
Up to 50 c.c.	464	482	469	455	444	448	454	487	509	546	537
Other	942	867	759	673	605	572	528	519	533	615	682
Three wheelers	87	90	94	93	91	95	99	103	101	107	112
Pedestrian controlled vehicles	4	3	3	2	2	2	1	2	1	1	1
Exempt from licence duty [2]	3	3	3	3	4	6	3	2	1	1	—
Public road passenger vehicles:											
Total	94	94	99	102	103	106	105	106	107	112	113
Buses, coaches, taxis, etc.											
Not over 8 passengers	15	15	20	23	25	28	28	29	28	32	34
Over 8 passengers	79	79	79	79	78	78	77	77	79	80	79
Goods vehicles:											
Total	1,639	1,692	1,640	1,640	1,630	1,632	1,660	1,736	1,778	1,791	1,772
General haulage vehicles:											
Unladen weight:											
Not over 1½ tons	845	874	837	880	933	941	982	1,043	1,085	1,112	1,108
Over 1½ tons and not over 3 tons	247	241	225	201	197	189	191	197	200	199	191
Over 3 tons	385	406	412	413	422	425	413	420	415	392	378
Agricultural vans and lorries [3]	91	97	90	70	64	63	59	62	62	71	77
General haulage tractors	7	6	6	6	5	5	6	4	6	7	7
Exempt from licence duty	64	68	69	70	8	9	9	10	10	9	10
Agricultural tractors and engines [4]:											
Total	453	473	465	452	438	431	423	425	433	417	407
Privately owned	450	469	461	449	434	428	419	421	429	414	402
Exempt from licence duty	3	4	4	3	3	3	4	4	4	4	4
Other vehicles exempt from licence duty [5]:											
Total	79	79	89	95	93	100	105	113	121	129	130
Ambulances	8	7	9	8	7	9	9	9	9	9	9
Fire engines	6	6	6	6	6	4	6	6	6	6	5
Road construction vehicles	23	22	25	26	24	27	29	30	31	29	28
Other	42	44	49	56	56	60	62	68	75	85	88

[1] The figures are based on a sample count during the September quarter except for 1966, when a full count was made, and include vehicles operating under the Crown vehicles scheme but exclude vehicles operating under defence permits. [2] From 1970 includes vehicles individually exported by users. [3] Owned by a farmer and available for hauling produce and requisites for his farm. [4] Agricultural tractors are excluded unless driven on the public roads. [5] Includes invalid vehicles and buses and coaches operated under the Crown vehicle scheme.

Source: Department of Transport

New vehicle registrations

Great Britain

TABLE 10.15

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total [1]	1,493,617	1,575,215	1,561,388	1,401,836	1,524,787	1,741,705	2,183,812	2,230,183	1,750,352	1,749,883	1,837,871
Cars, etc.:											
Total	1,067,849	1,119,297	1,119,677	989,801	1,099,326	1,304,405	1,675,643	1,657,807	1,246,837	1,180,427	1,271,477
Private cars, etc.	1,065,423	1,116,702	1,116,894	987,441	1,097,219	1,301,667	1,662,856	1,645,555	1,234,017	1,166,834	1,255,884
Exempt from licence duty [1]	2,426	2,595	2,783	2,360	2,107	2,738	12,787	12,252	12,820	13,593	15,593
Motor cycles, etc.:											
Total	119,647	147,647	123,578	97,407	118,393	141,145	167,965	206,178	201,993	276,682	279,903
Bicycles:											
Up to 50 c.c.	45,835	81,649	58,950	44,646	58,010	63,511	76,427	98,304	94,623	106,795	94,672
Other	63,607	56,028	53,080	40,776	46,860	64,411	76,092	95,308	95,145	158,019	175,918
Three wheelers	9,796	9,511	11,009	11,474	13,389	13,153	13,407	11,255	11,732	11,782	9,191
Pedestrian controlled vehicles	95	118	82	103	70	45	46	53	47	22	28
Exempt from licence duty [1]	314	341	457	408	64	25	1,993	1,258	446	64	94
Public road passenger vehicles:											
Total	6,811	6,539	7,050	7,093	7,651	9,515	9,844	9,957	7,835	7,842	8,738
Buses, coaches, taxis, etc											
Not over 8 seats	1,412	1,532	1,915	1,959	2,633	3,302	3,404	2,780	2,615	2,361	2,822
Over 8 seats	5,399	5,007	5,135	5,134	5,018	6,213	6,440	7,177	5,220	5,481	5,916
Goods vehicles:											
Total	240,824	237,765	243,136	246,358	239,049	237,612	269,478	290,816	235,856	222,004	213,472
General haulage vehicles											
Unladen weight:											
Not over 1½ tons	138,038	137,919	143,585	145,792	150,842	160,460	191,958	205,696	165,624	150,361	145,827
Over 1½ tons and not over 3 tons	22,340	19,208	19,619	21,645	18,933	18,405	22,176	27,960	24,283	22,508	16,378
Over 3 tons	59,809	57,596	61,761	66,871	61,990	51,296	47,831	49,849	39,159	38,685	41,413
Agricultural vans and lorries [2]	7,022	6,767	6,181	5,251	4,260	4,519	4,943	4,882	4,484	5,744	5,954
Showmen's goods vehicles and tractors	9	11	12	19	20	29	18	1	11	72	106
Local authorities' watering vehicles	18	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
General haulage tractors	886	752	738	763	786	700	777	699	583	857	690
Exempt from licence duty	12,702	15,512	11,240	6,017	2,218	2,203	1,775	1,729	1,712	3,777	3,104
Agricultural tractors and engines, etc. [3]											
Total	50,052	55,499	58,774	50,245	49,528	38,633	48,374	50,597	46,560	49,612	52,778
Privately owned	48,352	53.874	57,047	49,306	48.759	37,927	47,578	49,718	45,623	48,467	51,783
Exempt from licence duty	1,700	1,625	1,727	939	769	706	796	879	937	1,145	995
Other vehicles exempt from licence duty:											
Total	8,434	8,468	9,173	10,932	10,840	10,395	12,508	14,828	11,271	13,316	11,503
Ambulances	1,066	912	1,043	976	878	1,019	1,292	1,356	1,056	1,033	1,314
Fire engines	467	449	409	452	465	488	686	582	579	240	325
Road construction [4]	2,714	3,168	3,305	2,778	2,369	2,591	3,438	4,578	2,629	1,647	1,526
Other	4,187	3,939	4,416	6,726	7,128	6,297	7,092	8,312	7,007	10,396	8,338

[1] Including from 1972 personal and direct export vehicles. [2] Owned by a farmer and available for hauling produce and requisites for his farm. [3] Agricultural tractors are excluded unless driven on public roads. [4] Including road rollers.

Source: Department of Transport

TABLE 10.16

Driving tests

Applications and results

Great Britain

Thousands

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Applications received	2,068.5	2,100.0	2,005.4	1,729.9	1,855.2	1,418.1	1,687.6	1,862.2	1,612.1	1,693.8	2,044.1
Tests conducted	2,288.4	2,192.4	2,041.4	1,710.1	1,710.1	1,588.1	1,541.0	1,533.8	1,677.8	1,825.0	1,882.7
Tests passed	1,067.0	1,005.2	937.1	797.8	790.5	742.2	720.9	705.7	764.6	828.9	849.2
Percentage of passes	*46.6*	*45.8*	*45.9*	*46.6*	*46.2*	*46.7*	*46.8*	*46.0*	*45.6*	*45.4*	*45.1*

Analysis by traffic area

1975

	Applications received	Tests conducted			Passes		
		Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women
	Thousands				Percentage		
Total	1,693.8	1,825.0	933.3	891.7	*45.4*	*50.5*	*40.1*
Northern	98.2	91.9	49.6	42.3	*47.7*	*52.8*	*41.7*
Yorkshire	137.4	152.7	84.1	68.5	*43.5*	*48.1*	*37.9*
East Midland	144.0	156.9	78.7	78.2	*44.3*	*50.0*	*38.6*
Eastern	91.0	99.9	47.9	52.0	*44.9*	*51.4*	*38.9*
South Eastern	148.5	156.2	76.9	79.2	*44.3*	*49.4*	*39.3*
Metropolitan	374.9	406.3	204.8	201.6	*45.0*	*50.0*	*39.9*
Western	121.1	128.9	63.3	65.6	*46.6*	*52.8*	*40.6*
West Midland	165.2	189.1	98.2	90.9	*45.0*	*49.2*	*40.6*
North Western	214.1	235.9	121.6	114.4	*46.4*	*51.6*	*40.9*
Scottish South	100.0	106.3	57.0	49.2	*47.1*	*51.1*	*42.5*
Scottish North	39.0	37.1	18.2	18.9	*48.4*	*53.5*	*43.4*
South Wales	60.4	63.8	33.0	30.9	*46.3*	*51.5*	*40.7*

1976

	Applications received	Tests conducted			Passes		
		Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women
	Thousands				Percentage		
Total	2,044.1	1,882.7	941.4	941.3	*45.1*	*50.2*	*40.0*
Northern	113.7	96.8	49.9	46.9	*46.5*	*51.6*	*41.0*
Yorkshire	164.7	152.0	81.7	70.4	*44.8*	*49.9*	*39.0*
East Midland	172.0	161.5	80.1	81.5	*43.3*	*48.9*	*37.8*
Eastern	107.9	102.3	48.3	53.9	*45.2*	*51.6*	*43.4*
South Eastern	171.8	167.3	80.3	87.0	*45.0*	*49.8*	*40.6*
Metropolitan	468.6	439.1	219.5	219.7	*43.9*	*48.8*	*39.1*
Western	144.8	135.3	64.9	70.3	*46.4*	*53.0*	*40.2*
West Midland	198.9	181.3	91.5	89.7	*45.3*	*49.3*	*41.3*
North Western	267.0	240.4	120.4	120.0	*45.3*	*50.2*	*40.3*
Scottish South	117.1	99.2	51.3	47.9	*47.5*	*51.8*	*42.9*
Scottish North	47.1	40.9	20.0	20.9	*48.6*	*53.8*	*43.6*
South Wales	70.5	66.6	33.5	33.1	*46.8*	*52.3*	*41.2*

Source: Department of Transport

Public road passenger transport

Great Britain

TABLE 10.17

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Number of vehicles (end of year)	75,321	74,647	73,607	73,879	73,938	72,779	72,814	74,402	76,874	76,898	75,510
Buses and coaches[1]	74,766	74,285	73,322	73,656	73,774	72,674	72,723	74,306	76,774	76,797	75,416
Single deck	36,567	37,190	37,952	39,199	40,897	41,613	42,804	45,160	47,298	48,022	47,543
Double deck	38,199	37,095	35,370	34,457	32,877	31,061	29,919	29,146	29,476	28,775	27,863
London Transport	7,720	7,578	7,522	7,576	6,153	6,037	6,053	6,201	6,387	6,405	6,364
Passenger transport executives	6,798	6,624	6,334	6,326	6,124	5,993	6,145	6,847	11,067	11,020	11,186
Municipal operators	10,007	9,977	10,029	10,080	10,063	9,944	9,934	10,289	6,054	6,160	6,124
National Bus Company	20,826	20,876	20,521	20,606	21,839	20,892	19,688	20,350	20,831	20,387	19,371
Scottish Bus Group	4,583	4,783	4,743	4,653	4,696	4,505	4,552	4,540	4,607	4,301	4,134
Other operators	24,832	24,447	24,173	24,415	24,899	25,303	26,351	26,079	27,828	28,625	28,331
Trolleybuses	435	254	178	116	72	16	—	—	—	—	—
Tramcars	120	108	107	107	92	89	91	96	100	101	94
Vehicle kilometres (millions)	3,708	3,669	3,627	3,559	3,461	3,455	3,416	3,426	3,462	3,550	3,511
Buses and coaches[1]	3,679	3,652	3,614	3,549	3,453	3,452	3,414	3,425	3,460	3,549	3,510
London Transport	459	462	447	418	321	318	306	292	281	285	293
Passenger transport executives	330	319	295	291	284	284	291	302	520	529	545
Municipal operators	529	510	505	494	481	484	469	462	259	261	259
National Bus Company	1,275	1,284	1,273	1,250	1,281	1,252	1,188	1,206	1,188	1,191	1,142
Scottish Bus Group	278	288	280	269	240	253	246	245	221	240	231
Other operators	837	806	826	837	853	865	915	919	993	1,044	1,041
Trolleybuses	27	16	11	8	6	2	—	—	—	—	—
Tramcars	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	1
Passenger journeys (millions)	11,028	10,617	10,233	9,822	9,154	8,639	8,424	8,455	8,312	8,168	7,797
Buses and coaches[1]	10,826	10,498	10,153	9,761	9,110	8,614	8,412	8,444	8,302	8,159	7,789
London Transport	1,978	1,979	1,946	1,786	1,502	1,480	1,413	1,439	1,473	1,455	1,423
Passenger transport executives	1,677	1,611	1,469	1,475	1,378	1,246	1,219	1,272	2,250	2,257	2,187
Municipal operators	2,731	2,616	2,583	2,500	2,418	2,280	2,232	2,159	1,198	1,180	1,115
National Bus Company	2,823	2,798	2,762	2,603	2,573	2,388	2,300	2,404	2,235	2,113	1,923
Scottish Bus Group	620	610	580	556	464	454	453	456	395	392	379
Other operators	997	884	813	841	775	766	795	713	751	772	770
Trolleybuses	188	106	68	49	34	15	2	—	—	—	—
Tramcars	14	13	12	12	10	10	10	11	10	9	8
Passenger receipts (£ million)	391.6	391.5	403.5	418.1	448.0	511.0	544.6	580.7	655.8	859.4	1,037.1
Buses and coaches[1]	387.1	388.8	401.4	416.5	446.6	510.0	543.9	580.1	655.1	858.3	1,036.0
London Transport	63.3	63.3	65.2	66.4	63.2	67.7	73.0	73.7	74.9	92.6	127.1
Passenger transport executives	43.3	44.0	43.4	45.3	51.1	59.2	62.7	70.6	131.5	171.6	213.7
Municipal operators	63.8	64.5	67.0	72.1	77.1	88.6	94.5	97.8	57.8	80.5	96.5
National Bus Company	120.8	124.4	130.9	132.8	149.1	169.8	177.4	193.5	219.0	291.9	339.0
Scottish Bus Group	26.8	27.7	28.7	28.4	28.3	36.6	38.6	41.7	43.3	59.7	71.1
Other operators	69.1	64.8	66.2	71.5	77.8	88.1	97.7	102.8	128.6	163.1	189.7
Trolleybuses	4.0	2.4	1.7	1.2	1.1	0.5	0.1	—	—	—	—
Tramcars	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.7	1.1	1.1

[1] The National Bus Company and Scottish Bus Group replaced the Transport Holding Company in January 1969, and the first four passenger transport executives were formed in 1969/70. Figures for earlier years for these were obtained by combining the various constituent companies. Other changes have also occurred for which adjustment of earlier years was not practicable or appropriate: (a) the transfer of London Country and Green Line bus services to the National Bus Company on 1 January 1970; (b) the formation of three new passenger transport executives in Glasgow during 1973 and South and West Yorkshire in 1974. Figures for these three are included with passenger transport executives from 1974; (c) reclassification of five jointly operated undertakings from 1973 onwards. Figures were previously under Other operators.

Source: Department of Transport

Road goods vehicles: analysis by unladen weight

TABLE **10.18**

Great Britain

Thousands

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total goods vehicles	1,638	1,693	1,639	1,639	1,629	1,633	1,660	1,736	1,778	1,793	1,775
General goods vehicles and haulage tractors:											
Total	1,484	1,528	1,481	1,499	1,557	1,561	1,593	1,665	1,706	1,710	1,685
Of which not over 2 tons	*920*	*951*	*914*	*950*	*1,003*	*1,010*	*1,056*	*1,113*	*1,160*	*1,180*	*1,172*
Over / Not over											
Not over 1 ton	529	545	508	529	549	541	559	588	601	607	600
1 ton — 2 tons	391	406	406	420	453	468	497	528	559	573	572
2 tons — 3 tons	176	169	153	136	131	125	122	128	131	135	132
3 tons — 5 tons	271	274	263	246	235	222	202	192	180	165	152
5 tons — 8 tons	88	99	110	122	133	140	141	143	141	134	127
Over 8 tons	29	34	40	47	55	65	72	85	94	96	102
Agricultural vans and lorries and vehicles exempt from excise licensing [1]	95	100	93	73	65	64	60	62	63	74	81
Crown vehicles [2]	59	65	66	67	7	7	7	7	8	9	9

[1] Predominantly light vehicles of unladen weight not exceeding 2 tons. [2] Excluding from 1970 Post Office vehicles which up to 1969 formed the large majority of the Crown vehicles.

Source: Department of Transport

Road goods transport: analysis by mode of working [1]

TABLE **10.19**

Great Britain

	1962	1968	1969 [2]	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Estimated tonne kilometres (Thousand million)										
Total	54.9	79.0	83.4	85.0	85.9	87.5	90.4	89.9	91.8	95.6
Own account	26.6	31.2	33.4	34.0	35.3	35.2	32.2	32.3	33.4	35.5
Public haulage	28.3	47.7	50.0	51.0	50.6	52.3	58.2	57.5	58.4	60.1
Estimated tonnes carried (Millions)										
Total	1,268	1,707	1,658	1,610	1,582	1,629	1,672	1,538	1,519	1,516
Own account	750	920	879	838	807	808	774	706	708	717
Public haulage	518	787	779	773	775	821	898	831	811	798

[1] Estimates for 1962 are based on a survey. Estimates for 1968 and 1969 are based on a survey conducted in the twelve months from June 1967. Estimates from 1970 are based on a continuing survey started in 1970. Estimates for other years are interpolations. In 1970 the carriers' licensing system ended and the distinction between own account and hire and reward was no longer available. From 1971 the distinction has been based on operator returns from the continuing survey. [2] Vehicles under 1½ tons unladen weight were freed from licensing on 25 October 1968. For later years adjustments have been made to include the estimated work done by these smaller vehicles so as to maintain comparability with previous years.

Source: Department of Transport

Road accidents, vehicles involved and casualties

Great Britain

TABLE 10.20

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Road accidents[1]	291,725	276,942	264,200	261,840	267,457	258,727	265,106	262,413	244,042	246,286	258,639
Vehicles involved:											
Pedal cycles	32,480	29,834	27,902	24,932	24,041	23,592	22,752	20,679	19,495	21,728	24,067
Motor vehicles	435,715	411,276	392,784	391,204	400,367	387,546	396,942	396,655	369,364	373,822	396,731
Mopeds	6,233	5,534	5,107	4,710	4,962	4,995	5,822	8,214	9,670	12,250	15,550
Motor scooters	25,091	22,040	19,750	16,037	14,152	12,416	8,485	6,171	4,232	3,390	2,513
Motor cycles	43,888	37,535	34,753	31,097	30,502	30,534	29,694	32,017	34,870	42,484	51,380
Cars and taxis	257,966	249,375	241,260	246,230	261,386	256,950	271,936	269,553	248,871	245,025	257,667
Light goods vehicles[2]	43,363	39,538	36,248	33,892	33,650	32,386	32,541	32,269	28,449	26,931	26,987
Heavy goods vehicles[3]	31,281	30,340	28,800	30,041	28,309	24,615	23,202	23,142	19,318	18,415	17,996
Other motor vehicles	27,893	26,914	26,866	29,197	27,406	25,650	25,262	25,289	23,954	25,327	24,638
Vehicles involved per hundred million kilometres travelled:											
Pedal cycles	519	537	561	555	566	574	605	584	570	572	613
All two-wheeled motor vehicles	1,260	1,261	1,268	1,248	1,278	1,262	1,247	1,252	1,228	1,195	1,197
Cars and taxis	204	182	166	163	162	148	148	139	132	127	128
Light goods vehicles[2]	241	224	204	188	178	165	160	151	135	129	126
Heavy goods vehicles[3]	170	166	154	161	150	126	117	112	99	95	89
Total casualties	392,457	369,978	349,208	352,894	363,368	352,027	359,727	353,780	324,602	324,950	339,673
Killed:											
Total	7,985	7,319	6,810	7,365	7,499	7,699	7,763	7,406	6,876	6,366	6,570
Pedestrians	3,153	2,964	2,762	2,955	2,925	2,939	3,083	2,806	2,642	2,344	2,335
Vehicle users	4,832	4,355	4,048	4,410	4,574	4,760	4,680	4,600	4,234	4,022	4,235
Seriously injured:											
Total	99,838	93,757	88,563	90,719	93,499	90,868	91,338	89,478	82,030	77,122	79,531
Pedestrians	24,786	24,472	24,440	24,267	24,875	23,598	24,231	22,865	21,029	18,471	18,295
Vehicle users	75,052	69,285	64,123	66,452	68,624	67,270	67,107	66,613	61,001	58,651	61,236
Slightly injured:											
Total	284,634	268,902	253,835	254,810	262,370	253,460	260,626	256,896	235,696	241,462	253,572
Pedestrians	57,684	56,843	56,449	56,486	57,570	54,674	56,688	54,389	50,862	48,507	47,879
Vehicle users	226,950	212,059	197,386	198,324	204,800	198,786	203,938	202,507	184,834	192,955	205,693
Fatal and serious casualties[4]:											
By age group:											
0–4	3,561	3,705	3,654	3,531	3,466	3,347	3,083	2,832	2,365	2,138	1,894
5–9	6,723	6,960	7,381	7,111	7,335	7,120	7,268	6,774	5,897	5,150	5,006
10–14	5,377	5,402	5,552	5,611	5,803	5,807	5,994	5,632	5,288	5,098	5,068
15–19	23,208	21,014	19,702	19,214	19,543	18,773	17,928	17,950	17,621	18,292	20,623
20–24	14,983	14,650	13,677	14,637	15,303	14,560	14,791	14,759	12,834	11,856	12,343
25–29	7,584	6,649	6,297	7,074	7,668	7,694	8,347	8,912	7,820	7,423	7,322
30–39	10,455	9,398	8,680	9,616	10,047	9,859	10,044	10,076	9,478	8,614	8,734
40–49	9,880	8,998	8,042	8,996	8,708	8,488	8,584	8,051	7,446	6,745	6,597
50–59	10,247	9,511	8,500	8,608	9,029	8,729	8,804	8,109	7,335	6,516	6,532
60 and over	13,984	13,630	12,980	13,553	14,078	14,163	14,213	13,749	12,780	11,630	11,490
By type of road user:											
Child pedestrians	10,587	11,085	11,304	11,238	11,607	11,050	11,502	10,522	9,337	8,181	7,866
Adult pedestrians	17,170	16,225	15,296	15,935	16,183	15,476	15,804	15,141	14,325	12,631	12,635
Child pedal-cyclists	2,508	2,544	2,514	2,406	2,275	2,513	2,307	2,041	1,879	2,052	2,124
Adult pedal-cyclists	4,635	4,112	3,717	3,536	3,350	3,105	3,089	2,716	2,565	2,511	2,786
Moped riders	1,652	1,441	1,355	1,335	1,395	1,372	1,572	2,092	2,492	2,900	3,707
Motor-scooter riders	5,229	4,634	4,066	3,509	3,279	2,877	2,016	1,446	997	842	614
Motor-scooter passengers	1,112	984	939	785	671	556	343	227	112	105	73
Motor-cycle riders	12,495	10,697	9,919	9,213	9,192	9,185	8,752	9,499	9,949	11,317	13,580
Motor-cycle passengers	2,198	1,889	1,644	1,511	1,574	1,560	1,392	1,242	1,110	1,379	1,797
Car and taxi drivers	19,536	19,090	17,747	19,959	21,939	22,309	23,539	23,850	21,438	19,213	19,229
Car and taxi passengers	19,971	18,847	17,415	19,117	20,433	20,293	20,897	20,173	17,753	15,969	15,650
Users of public service vehicles	2,151	2,013	2,085	2,283	1,924	1,756	1,668	1,653	1,616	1,655	1,365
Users of goods vehicles	7,663	6,767	6,095	6,452	6,443	5,932	5,576	5,611	4,757	4,198	3,937
Users of other vehicles	628	578	566	724	694	538	583	617	507	449	503

[1] Accidents resulting in personal injury. [2] 1½ tons unladen weight and under. [3] Over 1½ tons unladen weight. [4] These figures may not add up to the total, fatal and serious figures due to the exclusion of road users of unknown age.

Source: Department of Transport

Casualties in road accidents

Analysis by type of area, light condition, and severity

Great Britain

TABLE 10.21

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
All areas [1]											
Daylight:											
Killed	4,179	3,878	3,871	4,100	4,230	4,272	4,140	3,956	3,480	3,263	3,363
Seriously injured	58,650	56,950	56,142	56,271	57,589	54,671	53,661	52,719	47,706	44,859	46,638
All severities	. .	. .	. .	235,979	239,905	228,995	229,985	226,952	207,574	207,485	217,810
Darkness:											
Killed	3,822	3,434	2,937	3,253	3,257	3,419	3,616	3,443	3,390	3,098	3,205
Seriously injured	41,070	36,785	32,370	34,315	35,808	36,099	37,571	36,656	34,232	32,205	32,858
All severities	. .	. .	. .	116,398	123,113	122,708	129,311	126,516	116,783	117,247	121,712
Built-up areas											
Daylight:											
Killed	2,363	2,213	2,152	2,285	2,293	2,283	2,220	2,110	1,889	1,797	1,800
Seriously injured	38,008	37,061	37,110	36,778	37,153	35,181	34,124	33,270	30,922	29,183	30,286
All severities	. .	. .	. .	173,945	175,972	167,138	166,074	163,495	153,173	153,977	159,912
Darkness:											
Killed	2,267	1,977	1,661	1,858	1,899	1,920	2,038	1,847	1,914	1,801	1,801
Seriously injured	26,325	23,433	20,769	21,921	22,802	22,744	23,420	22,791	21,876	20,609	21,227
All severities	. .	. .	. .	81,553	86,386	85,230	89,228	86,882	82,709	83,203	86,370
Non built-up areas											
Daylight:											
Killed	1,813	1,665	1,719	1,809	1,935	1,988	1,920	1,844	1,591	1,464	1,561
Seriously injured	20,604	19,873	19,016	19,437	20,414	19,417	19,498	19,419	16,784	15,645	16,317
All severities	. .	. .	. .	61,852	63,868	61,585	63,725	63,320	52,306	53,391	57,685
Darkness:											
Killed	1,554	1,457	1,276	1,387	1,357	1,499	1,577	1,594	1,476	1,292	1,404
Seriously injured	14,720	13,339	11,582	12,353	12,991	13,329	14,120	13,838	12,356	11,568	11,619
All severities	. .	. .	. .	34,726	36,670	37,383	39,993	39,564	34,025	33,964	35,276

[1] Includes unknown areas but excludes unknown light condition.

Source: Department of Transport

Road accidents

Casualty rates [1] per hundred million kilometres travelled

Great Britain

TABLE 10.22

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Pedal cyclists	482	501	527	541	538	544	585	564	552	552	592
Users of two-wheeled motor vehicles:											
All riders	1,035	1,037	1,047	1,054	1,090	1,081	1,079	1,096	1,078	1,050	1,051
All passengers	1,748	1,950	2,118	2,334	2,702	2,505	2,256	1,789	1,450	1,487	1,635
Car drivers	. .	. .	. .	49	50	47	47	45	42	40	40
Car passengers	. .	. .	. .	58	59	55	55	51	45	43	42
All motor vehicle users[2]	160	142	126	125	123	112	110	104	98	97	99
All road users[3]	219	197	179	176	172	157	153	143	135	133	133

[1] Based on total casualties. [2] All motor vehicle user casualties divided by total motor vehicle kilometres. [3] All casualties divided by total vehicle kilometres (motor vehicle *plus* pedal cycle).

Source: Department of Transport

Vehicles with licences current [1]

TABLE **10.23**

Northern Ireland

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	[2] 1974	1975	1976
Total	334,576	351,676	358,232	368,503	372,333	382,728	380,513	379,273	383,654	403,219
Private cars, etc.	233,554	251,308	261,918	276,407	286,717	299,288	304,144	309,237	313,665	325,766
Cycles and tricycles	23,177	21,213	18,550	16,371	14,003	12,456	10,957	11,211	12,346	15,252
Public road passenger vehicles:										
Total	2,178	2,290	2,204	2,357	2,411	2,369	2,267	2,072	1,902	2,317
Taxis	500	535	606	720	777	777	748	717	706	867
Buses, coaches, etc.	1,678	1,755	1,598	1,637	1,634	1,592	1,519	1,355	1,196	1,450
Goods vehicles:										
Total	42,625	44,009	42,182	41,462	42,135	42,445	41,168	38,846	38,357	40,306
General haulage vehicles:										
Total	40,412	41,616	39,574	39,036	36,609	39,823	38,620	33,368	35,748	36,647
Unladen weight:										
Not over 1½ tons	24,051	24,516	23,018	22,195	22,505	22,824	21,736	17,680	19,017	18,426
Over 1½ and not over 3 tons	7,340	7,519	7,013	6,821	6,755	6,402	6,116	5,164	6,513	7,164
Over 3 tons	9,021	9,581	9,543	10,020	10,349	10,597	10,768	10,524	10,218	11,057
Agricultural vans and lorries [3]	1,984	2,144	2,360	2,129	2,232	2,318	2,256	5,360	2,540	3,641
Tractors for general haulage	225	246	244	295	287	297	279	108	49	7
Dumpers [4]	4	3	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tower wagons	–	–	–	2	7	7	13	10	20	9
Agricultural tractors and engines, etc. [5]	28,186	27,739	27,928	26,138	23,292	22,029	17,210	12,360	11,151	11,535
Vehicles exempt from duty:										
Total	4,856	5,117	5,450	5,768	3,775	4,141	4,767	5,547	6,233	8,043
Owned by government authorities	2,826	2,962	3,344	3,443	1,243	1,513	2,156	3,430	3,736	5,645
Other:										
Ambulances	192	197	42	95	48	49	64	98	118	19
Fire engines	130	129	132	197	132	155	167	118	108	49
Other	1,708	1,829	1,932	2,033	2,352	2,424	2,380	1,901	2,271	2,330

[1] Licences current at any time during the September quarter. [2] No census was taken in 1973. [3] Owned by a farmer and available for hauling produce and requisites for his farm. [4] Taxed at £25. [5] Agricultural tractors are excluded unless driven on public roads.

Source: Department of the Environment for Northern Ireland

New vehicle registrations

TABLE **10.24**

Northern Ireland

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total	33,750	35,160	37,231	34,444	39,083	41,790	49,140	54,277	50,241	57,736	66,783
Private cars, etc.	25,794	26,313	27,876	25,370	29,605	33,018	39,355	42,767	39,797	44,824	51,989
Cycles and tricycles	1,139	1,550	1,324	1,083	1,197	1,552	1,791	2,763	2,698	4,348	5,174
Public road passenger vehicles:											
Total	35	133	61	158	177	207	168	164	220	182	163
Taxis	29	18	32	42	50	48	55	57	50	57	33
Buses, coaches, etc.	6	115	29	116	127	159	113	107	170	125	130
Goods vehicles:											
Total	4,931	4,978	5,303	5,217	5,469	5,136	5,824	6,479	5,136	5,573	6,002
General haulage vehicles:											
Total	4,810	4,842	5,163	5,094	5,330	4,997	5,646	6,343	5,037	5,346	5,616
Unladen weight:											
Not over 1½ tons	3,140	3,049	3,360	3,367	3,501	3,369	3,912	4,372	3,301	3,371	3,492
Over 1½ and not over 3 tons	637	627	631	553	535	453	591	723	628	722	823
Over 3 tons	1,033	1,166	1,172	1,174	1,294	1,175	1,143	1,248	1,108	1,253	1,301
Agricultural vans and lorries [1]	93	90	92	82	112	114	143	117	94	223	382
Tractors for general haulage	28	46	48	41	27	25	35	19	5	4	4
Agricultural tractors and engines, etc. [2]	1,492	1,858	2,417	2,139	2,273	1,487	1,574	1,666	1,602	1,879	2,558
Vehicles exempt from duty:											
Total	359	328	250	477	362	390	428	438	788	930	897
Ambulances	13	23	2	6	8	5	6	8	18	31	37
Fire engines	1	5	5	6	9	13	18	1	34	2	7
Road construction vehicles	30	27	17	15	32	32	23	27	41	62	20
Other	315	273	226	450	313	340	381	402	695	835	833

[1] Owned by a farmer and available for hauling produce and requisites for his farm. [2] Agricultural tractors are excluded unless driven on public roads.

Source: Department of the Environment for Northern Ireland

British Rail: assets

TABLE **10.31**

Great Britain

	Unit	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Rolling stock [1]												
Locomotives:												
Total	Number	6,991	5,449	4,708	4,561	4,499	4,124	4,000	3,972	3,971	3,860	3,689
Steam	,,	1,689	362	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Diesel	,,	4,962	4,746	4,376	4,233	4,176	3,806	3,683	3,639	3,619	3,508	3,338
Electric	,,	340	341	329	328	323	318	317	333	352	352	351
Coaching vehicles:												
Total	,,	29,937	28,188	26,781	25,961	25,186	24,479	23,736	23,344	23,238	22,902	22,415
Of which—												
Power cars:												
Diesel	,,	*2,419*	*2,369*	*2,275*	*2,169*	*2,146*	*2,129*	*2,062*	*2,000*	*2,047*	*2,042*	*2,018*
Electric	,,	*3,019*	*3,062*	*2,984*	*2,933*	*2,892*	*2,804*	*2,670*	*2,680*	*2,647*	*2,664*	*2,690*
Passenger carriages [2]:												
Total	,,	22,492	20,787	19,528	18,869	18,678	18,297	17,803	17,793	17,737	17,463	17,153
Locomotive hauled	,,	11,112	9,307	8,370	7,888	7,699	7,445	7,265	7,152	7,154	6,826	6,365
Diesel multiple unit [6]	,,	4,087	3,988	3,810	3,649	3,621	3,591	3,467	3,468	3,427	3,412	3,560
Electric multiple unit	,,	7,293	7,492	7,348	7,332	7,358	7,261	7,071	7,173	7,156	7,225	7,228
Non-passenger carrying vehicles:												
Total	,,	7,445	7,401	7,253	7,092	6,508	6,182	5,933	5,551	5,501	5,439	5,262
Freight vehicles [3]												
Total	Thousands	551	467	437	416	371	302	269	254	246	221	191
Merchandise: open	,,	93	74	70	64	58	41	33	30	29	23	19
covered	,,	81	69	66	61	54	37	34	32	31	26	24
Mineral	,,	333	283	263	253	223	190	170	160	155	144	123
Steel carrying	,,	32	30	30	29	29	28	25	25	25	23	21
Brake vans	,,	10	8	7	6	6	5	5	6	6	5	4
Others	,,	2	2	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1
Containers	Number	31,969	31,038	28,470	14,801	11,953	9,942	6,774	4,999	3,954	1,865	1,194
Total seats or berths in passenger carriages [2]	Thousands	1,323	1,248	1,191	1,163	1,155	1,135	1,107	1,108	1,106	1,099	1,082
Total tonnage capacity of freight vehicles	Thousand tonnes	9,134	7,891	7,474	7,189	6,523	5,515	5,037	4,783	4,674	4,330	3,864
Permanent way [4] **and stations**												
Route open for traffic:												
Total	Kilometres	22,082	21,198	20,031	19,470	18,989	18,738	18,417	18,227	18,168	18,118	18,007
Electrified	,,	3,064	3,241	3,182	3,169	3,162	3,169	3,178	3,462	3,647	3,655	3,735
Non-electrified	,,	19,018	17,957	16,850	16,301	15,826	15,569	15,234	14,765	14,521	14,463	14,272
of which Open for passenger traffic	,,	*16,359*	*15,903*	*15,242*	*15,088*	*14,637*	*14,484*	*14,489*	*14,375*	*14,373*	*14,431*	*14,407*
Track open for traffic:												
Total	,,	61,902	58,737	54,679	52,263	50,342	49,432	48,069	47,294	47,102	46,465	46,188
Running lines	,,	44,798	42,908	40,670	39,310	38,183	37,644	36,930	36,308	36,191	36,051	35,887
Sidings	,,	17,104	15,829	14,009	12,954	12,159	11,788	11,140	10,985	10,911	10,414	10,301
Stations:												
Total [5]	Number	3,803	3,498	3,235	3,002	2,868	2,820	2,766	2,735	2,790	2,873	2,865
Passenger and freight	,,	582	447	314	264	224	218	182	178	93	—	—
Passenger (including parcels)	,,	2,306	2,322	2,323	2,268	2,222	2,213	2,198	2,193	2,279	2,376	2,378
Freight	,,	915	729	598	470	422	389	386	364	418	497	487

[1] In 1976, excluding service vehicles other than brake vans, and 3 narrow gauge steam locomotives; but including 1,048 diesel locomotives used for shunting. [2] Since 1969, excluding 17 narrow gauge coaching vehicles. The passenger carriages total for 1976 incorporates 566 carriages from which a catering service is operated and 366 sleeping cars. [3] In 1976 a number of additional vehicles of continental administrations were authorised for working over British Rail lines as well as 18,400 various privately owned wagons of which 12,658 were tank wagons. [4] Excluding in 1976, 19 kilometres of narrow gauge route open to traffic. In 1969, 20 route kilometres of track were transferred to London Transport by British Rail and approximately 3 kilometres in 1970. [5] Figures for the number of stations have been affected by re-classification as well as closures. Combined passenger and freight stations were partially closed or otherwise re-classified during the year. [6] Including high speed trains: 2 power cars and 8 passenger carriages in 1975 and 42 power cars and 151 passenger carriages in 1976.

Source: Department of Transport

British Rail: passenger and freight receipts and traffic

TABLE 10.32

Great Britain

	Unit	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Traffic receipts: Total [1]	£ million	438.7	456.5	471.6	509.8	532.1	564.2	581.5	621.5	774.2	924.6
Passenger:	£										
Total [1] [2] [3]	thousand	179,701	185,156	205,418	227,766	260,990	274,055	297,256	328,847	428,841	505,072
Full fares	''	91,430	95,615	106,131	121,392	138,763	140,154	139,690	143,998	195,371	219,372
Reduced fares	''	53,392	53,924	61,199	63,624	71,343	76,911	96,901	119,856	143,791	168,691
Season tickets	''	34,879	35,617	38,088	42,750	50,884	56,990	60,665	64,993	89,679	117,009
Freight:											
Total	''	250,317	262,393	255,547	270,631	258,895	251,986	272,323	280,787	332,525	405,155
Coal and coke	''	87,818	91,106	92,561	95,990	87,691	77,472	86,570	90,929	119,843	152,043
Iron and steel	''	30,967	33,342	35,791	38,919	33,141	33,946	39,146	39,407	40,751	57,321
Other	''	76,039	79,886	68,718	73,314	73,024	71,927	72,803	75,188	84,230	97,618
Merchandise by coaching train	''	35,062	37,022	37,067	39,518	42,247	42,402	47,043	46,073	53,401	64,873
Postal parcels and letter mails by coaching train	''	20,431	21,037	21,410	22,890	22,792	26,239	26,761	29,190	34,300	33,300
Miscellaneous receipts [4]	''	8,701	8,984	10,607	11,395	12,259	38,151	11,924	11,868	12,803	14,392
Traffic											
Passenger journeys:											
Total [2] [3]	Millions	837.4	831.1	805.2	823.9	815.5	753.6	728.3	732.8	729.5	708.5
Full fares	''	303.4	303.9	293.6	318.7	308.3	266.1	234.8	227.5	223.5	200.1
Reduced fares	''	233.8	228.4	223.0	207.7	191.2	179.7	193.1	209.0	209.0	203.8
Season tickets [5]	''	300.2	298.8	288.5	297.5	316.0	307.8	300.4	296.3	297.0	304.6
Passenger kilometres (estimated):											
Total [2] [3]	''	29,111	28,703	29,612	30,408	30,127	29,100	29,800	30,900	30,300	28,600
Full fares	''	10,097	10,361	10,765	11,713	11,404	10,500	9,700	9,300	10,300	9,300
Reduced fares	''	10,723	10,221	10,655	10,390	9,976	10,100	11,700	13,400	11,600	10,900
Season tickets [5]	''	8,291	8,121	8,192	8,306	8,747	8,500	8,400	8,200	8,400	8,400
Freight traffic originating:	Million										
Total [6] [7] [8]	tonnes	204.0	210.6	210.5	208.7	198.3	178.4	198.9	178.3	176.5	177.7
Coal and coke	''	124.1	124.7	121.2	114.3	109.2	89.4	101.0	88.0	97.2	97.0
Iron and steel	''	36.3	39.4	40.0	40.1	33.8	31.7	35.5	31.0	25.7	29.5
Other	''	43.5	46.5	49.3	54.2	55.4	57.2	60.5	57.3	51.8	49.8
Merchandise by coaching train [8]	''							1.1	1.0	1.0	0.9
Postal parcels and letter mails by coaching train [8]	''							0.8	0.8	0.7	0.5
Net tonne kilometres											
Total [6] [7] [9]	Millions	22,253	24,026	25,276	26,807	24,279	23,357	25,514	24,168	23,474	23,104
Coal and coke	''	9,806	10,264	10,313	10,218	–	–	–	–	–	–
All other freight train traffic	''	12,447	13,762	14,963	16,589	–	–	–	–	–	–

[1] Grants received by British Rail in respect of certain subsidised passenger services are not included in passenger receipts. [2] Figures for passenger traffic in 1969 were affected by the transfer of the Bow-Upminster line from British Rail to London Transport and in 1970 by the similar transfer of the Paddington-Westbourne Park service at the City end of the Hammersmith and City line. [3] The receipts and passenger kilometres include an appropriate proportion in respect of through bookings with the railways of London Transport and other administrations. Passenger journeys in respect of such through bookings are included. In 1976, 695 million journeys originated on British Rail only. [4] Miscellaneous receipts include charges for platform tickets, seat reservations, demurrage, provision of shunting services, etc. The 1972 figure includes a £27 million government grant. [5] For the period prior to 1975 all season ticket journeys and passenger kilometres were calculated on the basis of 540 journeys per annum. From 1975 these calculations are based on a rate of 480 journeys per year per annual season ticket and 540 journeys for shorter period tickets. Return tickets have been counted as two journeys. [6] Excluding free-hauled traffic on freight trains. [7] In January 1969 the Transport Act set up National Carriers Ltd. and Freightliners Ltd., under the National Freight Corporation and from that date tonnage and tonne-kilometre carried by these subsidiaries are not included in British Rail's traffic figures. However, estimated figures have been incorporated in 'Other' freight traffic originating and total net tonne-kilometre. [8] In 1973 British Rail published estimated tonnage figures for the first time for coaching train traffic. This means that the previous freight train traffic only totals are no longer strictly comparable with those since 1973. [9] Excluding freight carried by passenger trains.

Source: Department of Transport

TABLE **10.33**

British Rail: operations [1]

Great Britain

	Unit	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Loaded train kilometres [2]											
Coaching: Total	Millions	326.3	318.5	313.1	315.2	318.2	314.8	313.1	319.0	328.8	325.7
Steam locomotives	,,	4.3	0.4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Diesel: locomotives	,,	88.0	86.9	84.5	86.5	88.9	89.8	89.9	85.2	85.7	84.5
multiple units	,,	102.9	98.1	93.6	91.8	91.3	89.9	89.2	90.0	90.9	91.9
Electric: locomotives	,,	18.0	18.6	19.3	19.6	20.1	20.7	20.9	29.2	33.0	31.8
multiple units	,,	113.2	114.6	115.7	117.3	117.9	114.4	113.0	114.6	119.3	117.5
of which, non-passenger[3]	,,	*23.8*	*22.3*	*20.1*	*21.2*	*21.6*	*21.3*	*20.6*	*20.4*	*20.3*	*20.7*
Freight: Total	,,	98.2	97.0	98.6	100.9	91.8	85.2	86.7	82.3	76.0	69.7
Steam locomotives	,,	10.4	1.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Diesel locomotives	,,	78.2	85.9	88.8	91.1	82.7	77.1	78.8	73.0	66.3	61.1
Electric locomotives	,,	9.5	9.9	9.7	9.9	9.1	8.1	8.0	9.4	9.7	8.6
Loaded wagons forwarded[4]											
Total	Thousands	14,449	13,917	13,203	12,272	10,911	9,242	9,737	8,581	8,110	7,843
Coal and coke	,,	7,728	7,529	7,130	6,528	5,815	4,660	5,079	4,429	4,608	4,479
All other freight train traffic	,,	6,721	6,388	6.073	5,744	5,096	4,582	4,658	4,152	3,502	3,364
Loaded wagon kilometres [5]											
Total	Millions	1,995.7	1,969.4	1,913.0	1,833.1	1,590.7	1,396.8	1,428.2	1,349.9	1,238.0	1,153.1
Coal and coke	,,	652.1	667.2	651.9	627.3	494.2	453.3	483.8	453.0	470.5	438.1
All other freight train traffic	,,	1,343.6	1,302.2	1,261.1	1,205.8	1,096.5	943.5	944.4	896.9	767.6	715.0

[1] See footnotes [2] and [8] to Table 10.32. [2] Train kilometres worked by British Rail trains over all lines, including the London Transport Executive system. [3] Non-passenger trains consist of vehicles for the conveyance of freight at coaching train rates. [4] Excluding all free-hauled traffic. [5] Excluding all free-hauled traffic.

Source: Department of Transport

TABLE **10.34**

London Transport railways: receipts, operations and assets

	Unit	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Receipts [1] [2]											
Passenger: Total	£ thousand	38,990	39,655	45,324	53,859	62,598	75,521	78,166	77,739	94,646	121,935
Ordinary	,,	29,334	29,755	34,384	41,118	46,723	54,132	54,676	54,768	65,905	80,795
Season tickets	,,	9,656	9,900	10,940	12,741	15,875	21,389	23,490	22,971	28,741	41,140
Miscellaneous	,,	193	198	207	213	227	259	223	191	229	242
Traffic [1] [2] [3]											
Passenger journeys: Total	Millions	661.5	654.8	675.9	671.9	654.4	655.2	643.6	636.0	601.3	545.9
Ordinary	,,	476.1	469.5	498.3	486.2	467.3	442.2	422.9	422.4	387.9	341.3
Season tickets[4]	,,	185.4	185.3	177.6	185.7	187.1	213.0	220.7	213.6	213.4	204.6
Passenger kilometres (estimated): Total	,,	4,773	4,653	4,997	5,094	5,158	5,345	5,224	5,166	4,775	4,355
Operations [2] [5]											
Loaded train kilometres	Millions	49.6	47.2	48.3	47.6	48.9	49.4	46.5	43.0	46.5	47.2
Loaded Car kilometres	,,	333.5	328.6	338.1	332.3	343.4	350.0	328.8	301.4	330.7	334.4
Rolling stock [2]											
Railway cars: Total	Number	4,031	4,240	4,311	4,423	4,350	4,357	4,379	4,318	4,409	4,519
Motor	,,	2,841	2,946	2,981	3,036	3,003	3,022	3,011	2,952	3,010	3,079
Trailer	,,	1,190	1,294	1,330	1,387	1,347	1,335	1,368	1,366	1,399	1,440
Permanent way and stations [2]											
Route kilometre open for traffic	Kilometres	344	359	380	383	388	383	383	383	381	381
Track kilometres open for traffic											
Total	,,	988	1,028	1,069	1,072	1,075	1,064	1,064	1,064	1,057	1,062
Running lines	,,	735	761	809	813	822	811	811	811	808	808
Sidings	,,	253	267	259	259	253	253	253	253	249	254
Stations	Number	227	231	243	246	248	249	249	249	248	248

[1] The receipts and passenger kilometres include an appropriate proportion in respect of through bookings from British Rail. Passenger journeys in respect of such through bookings are included. [2] Figures for London Transport Railways from 1969 onwards are no longer comparable with previous years following the opening of the Victoria line and the transfer of the Bow-Upminster line from British Rail to London Transport, and in 1970 the similar transfer to the Westbourne Park-Paddington terminal section of the Hammersmith and City (Metropolitan) Line. [3] London Transport railway passenger kilometres have been revised from Passenger kilometres paid for to Passenger kilometres travelled. [4] Season ticket journeys and passenger kilometres are calculated on the basis of 600 journeys per annum. [5] Train and car kilometres exclude kilometres run by London Transport trains over British Rail lines but include kilometres run by British Rail trains over London Transport lines.

Source: Department of Transport

British Rail and London Transport Executive: average weekly earnings of manual workers [1]

TABLE 10.35

	1966 September	1967 September	1968 November	1969 October	1970 October	1971 October	1972 October	1973 October	1974 October	1975 October	1976 April	1976 October
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Male adults												
British Rail (Railways) [2]												
Total wages staff	21.00	21.30	23.50	25.95	29.31	31.65	36.15	39.49	53.11	65.64	64.82	69.94
Workshop staff	19.75	20.95	22.60	25.65	29.44	30.31	. .	39.80	52.59	63.53	62.59	68.46
Other than workshop	21.45	21.40	23.85	26.10	29.26	32.22	. .	39.37	53.31	66.58	65.82	70.62
London Transport Executive [3] [4]												
All staff	21.50	21.79	23.13	25.13	29.38	32.70	36.13	41.36	54.80	75.23	. .	81.70
Road	21.28	21.53	23.42	25.48	29.24	33.36	36.16	41.83	55.20	76.98	. .	83.98
Rail	22.24	22.52	22.46	24.52	29.86	31.76	35.96	40.65	54.48	72.86	. .	78.47
Common services	19.93	21.20	23.13	23.60	27.58	30.24	37.13	40.43	51.54	70.49	. .	76.50
Female adults												
British Rail (Railways) [2] [5]												
Total wages staff	10.60	11.20	12.40	13.53	15.92	18.86	23.45	28.17	35.50	44.16	45.96	48.84
Workshop staff	11.00	13.35	10.12	16.31	15.64	15.85	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .
Other than workshop	10.65	11.10	12.54	13.39	15.93	19.00	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .
London Transport Executive [3] [4] [5]												
All staff	16.98	17.53	18.30	19.79	23.02	25.53	27.53	31.79	43.38	. .	. .	. .
Road	17.58	18.32	19.48	21.15	25.16	27.68	29.08	34.01	45.19	. .	. .	. .
Rail	16.03	15.94	15.59	17.42	19.93	22.70	26.47	30.07	44.19	. .	. .	. .
Common services	8.17	8.84	9.03	9.85	10.12	12.32	14.89	15.88	22.31	. .	. .	. .
Male juniors												
British Rail (Railways)												
Total wages staff	11.70	11.70	11.10	12.85	13.03	14.13	16.10	19.19	27.10	32.22	32.77	36.99
Workshop staff	9.10	9.65	9.75	11.10	12.21	13.66	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .
Other than workshop	13.40	13.25	12.80	15.40	14.38	14.94	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .

[1] Figures for BR (Railways) include piece-work payments and tonnage bonus, payments for overtime, Saturday afternoon and Sunday duty, and night duty, and all other payments for work performed, but excluding travelling and out-of-pocket expenses and meal and lodging allowances. Averages are based on all staff who worked during the week regardless of whether or not they worked for the whole of the week. [2] The age which adult rates are paid is usually 20 years for conciliation grades and 21 years for workshop grades. [3] Figures are at April and October. [4] Including juniors; numbers of juniors employed account for only about one-half of one per cent of the total number of manual workers. [5] Includes certain part-time workers of London Transport Executive, and from 1966 to 1971 of British Rail.

Source: Department of Employment

Accidents on railways

TABLE 10.36

Great Britain

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Train accidents											
Number of accidents:											
Total	1,358	1,343	1,405	1,501	1,493	1,330	1,297	1,274	1,334	1,310	1,122
Collisions	360	343	318	336	371	381	329	327	341	335	327
Derailments	289	311	367	427	355	253	268	252	238	221	192
Running into level-crossings gates and other obstructions	398	440	409	424	411	405	435	444	500	443	331
Fires	213	159	208	184	198	167	146	150	140	202	168
Miscellaneous	98	90	103	130	158	124	119	101	115	109	104
Persons killed	14	82	38	25	19	13	20	18	6	57	18
Passengers	–	71	10	10	2	3	6	14	1	47	–
Railway servants	3	5	8	9	7	7	3	3	4	7	8
Others	11	6	20	6	10	3	11	1	1	3	10
Persons injured	370	616	486	682	350	308	467	523	311	446	290
Passengers	252	523	389	583	236	227	381	430	238	364	210
Railway servants	80	49	72	71	78	66	61	66	57	65	64
Others	38	44	25	28	36	15	25	27	16	17	16
Other accidents through movement of railway vehicles											
Persons killed	91	101	71	89	110	99	63	64	64	58	65
Passengers	22	25	24	31	47	42	21	28	24	22	29
Railway servants	53	60	43	48	52	45	36	28	31	27	30
Others	16	16	4	10	11	12	6	8	9	9	6
Persons injured	2,949	2,783	2,536	2,690	2,675	2,529	2,282	2,339	2,521	2,365	2,277
Passengers	2,068	2,034	1,926	2,014	2,060	1,989	1,848	1,913	2,048	1,879	1,872
Railway servants	854	722	590	662	600	525	426	418	456	469	397
Others	27	27	20	14	15	15	8	8	17	17	8
Other accidents on railway premises											
Persons killed	20	18	22	23	14	13	16	15	8	12	14
Passengers	3	2	5	5	6	2	3	–	1	–	1
Railway servants	16	13	11	12	8	8	9	11	3	12	8
Others	1	3	6	6	–	3	4	4	4	–	5
Persons injured	10,272	10,398	9,578	10,161	10,433	9,496	9,256	9,628	8,292	7,966	7,754
Passengers	2,806	2,993	3,152	3,387	3,329	3,212	3,138	3,217	3,064	2,592	2,409
Railway servants	7,230	7,154	6,188	6,533	6,880	6,081	5,875	6,149	5,041	5,201	5,128
Others	236	251	238	241	224	203	243	262	187	173	217
Trespassers and suicides											
Persons killed	213	246	214	227	246	256	238	220	286	301	299
Persons injured	79	78	85	114	114	138	115	123	130	149	105

Source: Department of Transport

Railways: permanent way and rolling stock [1]

Northern Ireland

TABLE 10.37

At end of year

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Length of road open for traffic (Miles) [2]	203	203	203	203	203	203	203	203	203	203	204
Length of track open for traffic (Miles)											
Total	368	361	359	359	355	355	355	355	355	355	355
Running lines	320	320	319	320	320	320	320	320	320	320	322
Sidings (as single track)	48	41	40	39	35	35	35	35	35	35	33
Locomotives											
Total	27	26	15	18	9	6	6	6	6	6	6
Steam:											
Passenger tender [3]	4	4	1	1	—	—	-	.	..		—
Passenger tank [3]	20	20	12	12	3	—	-	—	—	—	—
Diesel-electric, petrol and oil	3	2	2	5	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
Passenger carrying vehicles											
Total	283	279	259	233	186	179	183	163	168	151	138
Rail motor vehicles:											
Steam, oil, diesel-electric, etc	90	93	91	87	87	87	87	81	82	70	63
Trailer carriages:											
Total steam	114	105	86	63	27	20	25	22	21	23	23
Ordinary coaches	111	102	83	60	25	19	24	21	20	22	22
Restaurant cars	3	3	3	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1
Rail car trailers	79	81	82	83	72	72	71	60	65	58	52
Non-passenger carrying vehicles											
Post Office and luggage vans, etc	66	61	54	50	42	35	26	25	27	29	29
Trucks and wagons owned											
Total	1,147	956	403	319	242	182	145	116	146	149	149
Merchandise wagons:											
Open	769	648	316	252	192	153	119	90	87	84	84
Covered	155	125	41	30	22	11	6	6	6	6	6
Cattle trucks	10	10	—	—	—	-		—	-	—	—
Rail and timber trucks	21	21	7	7	7	6	3	3	3	3	3
Brake vans	35	33	13	13	13	5	2	2	2	2	2
Special wagons	157	119	26	17	8	7	15	15	48	54	54
Containers	—	—	—	—	—	..	10	10	10	10	10
Rolling stock for maintenance and repair	214	186	104	97	74	96	138	158	155	153	..

[1] On 1 April 1968, under the provisions of the Transport Act (Northern Ireland) 1967, the duty to provide railway services in Northern Ireland was transferred to the Northern Ireland Railways Company Limited, a wholly owned subsidiary of the Northern Ireland Transport Holding Company. Only special freight traffic is carried, notably through traffic from the Republic of Ireland. [2] The total length of railroad open for traffic irrespective of the number of tracks comprising the road. [3] Including mixed traffic.

Source: Department of the Environment for Northern Ireland

Operating statistics of railways [1]

TABLE 10.38

Northern Ireland

	Unit	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Maintenance of way and works												
Material used:												
Ballast	Th. cu. yds.	9.6	9.9	37.0	21.0	22.0	28.6	30.0	55.0	26.3	36.0	35.4
Rails	Th. tons	—	—	1.4	0.5	0.7	1.6	5.0	4.5	1.5	—	.
Sleepers	Thousands	34.0	34.0	28.0	22.0	20.0	31.6	60.0	68.0	24.5	4.8	—
Track renewed	Miles	—	-		—	—	—	—	26.0	25.5	7.0	1.3
Engine miles												
Total [2]	Thousand miles	2,476	5,181	5,261	5,185	4,656	4,306	3,858	3,556	3,219	2,755	2,969
Train miles:												
Total	,,	2,289	2,287	2,330	2,281	2,155	2,184	1,996	1,954	1,891	1,870	1,887
Coaching	,,	2,190	2,135	2,138	2,104	2,050	2,002	1,841	1,792	1,755	1,748	1,796
Freight	,,	99	152	192	177	105	182	155	162	136	122	91

[1] See footnote [1] to Table 10.37. [2] Including shunting assisting, light, departmental, maintenance and repair.

Source: Department of the Environment for Northern Ireland

Main output [1] of UK airlines

TABLE **10.41**

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
All services: total	3,851	4,016	4,214	4,927	5,782	6,973	8,249	9,003	8,283	8,924	9,727
Percentage growth on previous year	*15.8*	*4.3*	*4.9*	*16.9*	*17.4*	*20.6*	*18.3*	*9.1*	*−8.0*	*7.7*	*9.0*
Scheduled services: total	2,993	3,145	3,256	3,748	4,129	4,591	5,399	5,953	5,745	5,981	6,602
Percentage growth on previous year	*12.4*	*5.1*	*3.5*	*15.1*	*10.2*	*11.2*	*17.6*	*10.3*	*−3.5*	*4.1*	*10.3*
Non-scheduled services: total	858	871	958	1,179	1,653	2,382	2,850	3,051	2,538	2,943	3,125
Percentage growth on previous year	*29.8*	*1.5*	*10.0*	*23.1*	*40.2*	*44.1*	*19.7*	*7.0*	*−16.8*	*16.0*	*6.2*

Mean rates of growth

Percentage

	1946–50	1951–55	1956–60	1961–65	1966–70	1971–75	Last 20 years	Last 10 years	Last 5 years
All services	. .	. .	. .	13.8	10.8	5.1	. .	11.0	3.1
Scheduled services	27.1	11.9	16.2	13.9	8.5	6.1	12.5	9.0	4.1
Non-scheduled services	. .	. .	. .	13.5	17.5	3.1	. .	16.5	1.4

[1] Available million tonne-kilometres.

Source: Civil Aviation Authority

Air traffic between the United Kingdom and abroad [1]

TABLE **10.42**

Aircraft flights and passengers carried

Thousands

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Flights											
Total	302.8	309.4	317.3	339.7	359.9	375.1	389.7	421.3	402.8	403.7	401.3
Aircraft registered in United Kingdom:											
Scheduled services	176.7	175.0	176.6	190.3	203.1	219.3	229.8	252.8	135.6	136.0	118.3
Non-scheduled services									148.6	111.2	113.4
Aircraft registered abroad [2]:											
Scheduled services	126.1	134.4	140.7	149.4	156.8	155.8	159.9	168.5	100.7	146.0	145.7
Non-scheduled services									17.9	10.7	23.9
Passengers carried											
Total	13,406.1	14,472.0	15,885.9	18,688.4	21,838.5	25,127.9	28,316.5	31,066.2	28,350.6	30,278.1	32,882.0
Aircraft registered in United Kingdom:											
Scheduled services	7,748.2	8,149.2	9,072.0	10,864.9	12,718.9	15,407.9	17,479.4	19,160.2	8,894.3	9,339.3	9,841.5
Non-scheduled services									7,761.9	8,500.2	8,902.2
Aircraft registered abroad:											
Scheduled services	5,657.9	6,322.8	6,813.9	7,823.5	9,119.6	9,720.0	10,837.1	11,905.6	10,125.0	10,791.5	11,961.7
Non-scheduled services									1,569.5	1,647.1	2,176.0

[1] Excluding Transport Command operations and travel to and from the Channel Islands. [2] Including aircraft registered in the Irish Republic operating the services between the United Kingdom and Ireland, and aircraft of Commonwealth companies operating in pool with British Airways.

Source: Civil Aviation Authority

U K airways [1]

TABLE **10.43**

Operations and traffic on scheduled services: revenue traffic

	Unit	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
All services										
Aircraft stage flights:										
Number	Number	336,246	359,011	359,388	363,926	369,279	391,480	380,176	350,943	364,772
Average length	Kilometres	736	753	817	841	839	858	816	816	825
Aircraft-kilometres flown	Thousands	247,573	270,358	293,449	306,062	309,884	335,862	310,270	286,404	301,032
Passengers carried	,,	12,184	13,215	13,845	14,462	15,768	17,364	16,396	16,322	17,470
Passenger-kilometres flown	,,	14,094,743	16,260,764	17,432,108	18,663,945	22,169,467	26,187,157	25,396,848	27,543,908	31,078,059
Cargo carried:										
Total	Tonnes	297,634	307,512	269,495	250,316	296,165	319,605	305,864	245,750	247,686
Tonne-kilometres:										
Total	Thousands	1,715,084	2,028,688	2,115,958	2,269,088	2,730,076	3,210,701	3,165,473	3,315,013	3,725,638
Passenger	,,	1,223,699	1,412,931	1,524,774	1,639,138	1,947,474	2,303,633	2,261,012	2,458,161	2,805,967
Freight	,,	421,425	531,713	493,820	541,006	680,434	795,776	785,950	724,790	774,931
Mail	,,	69,957	84,043	97,359	88,945	102,168	111,292	118,529	132,083	144,763
Domestic services										
Aircraft stage flights:										
Number	Number	138,021	151,145	151,506	149,839	158,698	172,636	156,027	145,113	155,884
Average length	Kilometres	291	259	264	273	281	284	300	296	299
Aircraft-kilometres flown	Thousands	40,207	39,162	39,989	40,892	44,539	49,079	46,810	42,973	46,654
Passengers carried	,,	5,041	5,159	5,365	5,367	5,890	6,513	6,062	5,755	6,147
Passenger-kilometres flown	,,	1,860,620	1,908,456	1,991,921	1,971,790	2,166,984	2,441,211	2,256,071	2,150,983	2,326,451
Cargo carried:										
Total	Tonnes	79,204	78,774	64,661	58,490	72,348	79,162	68,279	46,744	46,078
Tonne-kilometres:										
Total	Thousands	178,538	181,596	184,015	182,382	203,762	226,240	213,676	198,341	212,220
Passenger	,,	149,952	153,449	161,267	162,226	178,973	198,281	188,566	181,327	195,876
Freight	,,	25,931	25,486	19,822	17,634	21,755	24,690	22,069	14,199	13,671
Mail	,,	2,651	2,662	2,924	2,521	3,034	3,269	3,039	2,814	2,671
International services										
Aircraft stage flights:										
Number	Number	198,225	207,866	207,882	214,087	210,581	218,844	224,149	205,830	208,888
Average length	Kilometres	1,046	1,112	1,219	1,239	1,260	1,310	1,175	1,183	1,218
Aircraft-kilometres flown	Thousands	207,366	231,195	253,460	265,168	265,345	286,784	263,460	243,432	254,379
Passengers carried	,,	7,143	8,056	8,480	9,095	9,878	10,852	10,333	10,567	11,323
Passenger-kilometres flown	,,	12,234,124	14,352,309	15,440,187	16,692,150	20,002,484	23,745,945	23,140,777	25,392,924	28,751,608
Cargo carried:										
Total	Tonnes	218,430	228,738	204,834	191,826	223,816	240,443	237,585	199,006	201,608
Tonne-kilometres:										
Total	Thousands	1,536,546	1,847,091	1,931,942	2,086,709	2,526,314	2,984,462	2,951,797	3,116,671	3,513,418
Passenger	,,	1,073,747	1,259,482	1,363,507	1,476,910	1,768,501	2,105,354	2,072,446	2,276,835	2,610,090
Freight	,,	395,494	506,227	473,998	523,374	658,679	771,085	763,881	710,591	761,259
Mail	,,	67,306	81,382	94,434	86,426	99,134	108,023	115,490	129,270	142,092

[1] Including services of UK Airways Corporations (reconstituted as the British Airways Board in 1973) and private companies.

Source: Civil Aviation Authority

Non-scheduled services by UK air lines [1]

TABLE **10.44**

	Unit	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
All non-scheduled services Total	Tonne km available (millions)	871.0	958.0	1,179.4	1,653.3	2,382.5	2,849.7	3,051.2	2,538.3	2,943.0	3,125.3
Percentage of all UK services		*21.7*	*22.7*	*23.9*	*28.6*	*34.2*	*34.5*	*33.9*	*30.7*	*33.0*	*32.1*
Inclusive tours Total	Tonne km available (millions)	300.0	383.9	538.1	709.7	994.7	1,189.8	1,338.0	1,029.2	1,030.9	1,145.6
Percentage of all UK services		*7.5*	*9.1*	*10.9*	*12.3*	*14.3*	*14.4*	*14.9*	*12.4*	*11.6*	*11.8*
Other separate fare and advance booking charters Total	Tonne km available (millions)	138.1	172.3	246.3	445.3	715.5	777.2	628.6	532.0	577.5	631.4
Percentage of all UK services		*3.4*	*4.1*	*5.0*	*7.7*	*10.3*	*9.4*	*7.0*	*6.4*	*6.5*	*6.5*
Other charters Total	Tonne km available (millions)	432.9	401.8	394.9	498.3	672.3	882.7	1,084.6	977.1	1,334.6	1,348.3
Percentage of all UK services		*10.8*	*9.5*	*8.0*	*8.6*	*9.6*	*10.7*	*12.0*	*11.8*	*15.0*	*13.9*
		Load factors and distances									
Inclusive tours											
Seat-kilometres available (A)	Millions	3,475	4,395	6,166	8,353	11,571	13,773	15,573	11,820	11,773	13,050
Seat-kilometres used (B)	,,	2,850	3,685	5,133	6,782	9,714	11,574	12,493	9,399	10,132	10,732
(B) as a percentage of (A)		*82.0*	*83.9*	*83.2*	*81.2*	*84.0*	*84.0*	*80.2*	*79.5*	*86.1*	*82.2*
Passengers carried	Millions	2.351	2.728	3.717	4.903	6.665	7.757	8.405	6.233	6.700	6.783
Stage flights	Number	32,725	34,600	46,384	55,548	71,125	79,782	83,081	61,515	61,902	64,942
Aircraft-kilometres flown	Millions	36.0	44.2	60.3	74.4	101.6	115.4	119.3	89.2	91.0	99.1
Average distance per stage flight	Kilometres	1,101	1,277	1,301	1,340	1,429	1,446	1,436	1,451	1,470	1,527
Average distance per passenger	Kilometres	1,212	1,351	1,381	1,383	1,458	1,492	1,486	1,508	1,512	1,582
Other separate fare and advance booking charters											
Seat-kilometres available (C)	Millions	1,496	1,856	2,746	4,935	6,378	6,598	6,082	5,241	5,672	6,467
Seat-kilometres used (D)	,,	1,097	1,474	2,243	3,925	5,221	5,498	4,899	4,238	4,458	5,199
(D) as a percentage of (C)		*73.3*	*79.4*	*81.7*	*79.5*	*81.9*	*83.3*	*80.6*	*80.9*	*78.6*	*80.7*
Passengers carried	Millions	0.362	0.447	0.664	0.940	1.283	1.278	1.231	1.259	1.349	1.467
Stage flights	Number	8,016	11,428	12,722	16,991	20,470	21,666	19,807	18,285	18,895	19,552
Aircraft-kilometres flown	Millions	13.1	14.1	18.9	31.5	40.1	41.1	33.9	29.7	31.3	34.6
Average distance per stage flight	Kilometres	1,635	1,232	1,486	1,857	1,957	1,898	1,713	1,624	1,657	1,772
Average distance per passenger	Kilometres	3,034	3,298	3,379	4,174	4,068	4,303	3,981	3,366	3,305	3,545

[1] Includes services of the United Kingdom Airways Corporations and private companies, but not those of the Corporations' associates and subsidiaries overseas.

Source: Civil Aviation Authority

UK private companies [1]

Operations and traffic on scheduled services: revenue traffic

TABLE 10.45

	Unit	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973[3]	1974	1975	1976
All services										
Aircraft stage flights:										
Number	Number	136,666	146,103	140,369	138,328	144,072	130,357	133,967	129,852	145,731
Average length	Kilometres	302	264	271	313	342	418	410	343	357
Aircraft-kilometres flown	Thousands	41,229	38,512	38,082	43,324	49,217	54,490	54,927	44,556	51,833
Passengers carried	,,	3,146	3,100	3,283	3,526	4,003	3,223	3,152	2,972	3,271
Passenger-kilometres flown	,,	1,372,020	1,271,709	1,358,587	1,673,891	2,014,446	2,382,789	2,467,628	1,928,672	2,100,238
Cargo carried [2]:										
Total	Tonnes	116,819	103,211	92,145	70,794	73,450	65,827	63,908	54,747	54,815
Tonne-kilometres:										
Total	Thousands	160,524	151,117	158,833	190,777	225,684	275,495	293,703	227,711	244,918
Passenger	,,	115,103	105,329	113,516	142,115	171,448	206,860	216,528	170,870	185,630
Freight	,,	44,038	44,334	43,422	46,364	51,170	65,354	72,130	50,544	53,088
Mail	,,	1,380	1,454	1,895	2,298	3,066	3,281	5,045	6,295	6,201
Domestic services										
Aircraft stage flights:										
Number	Number	77,414	91,763	90,289	90,196	97,377	81,728	65,543	62,405	72,338
Average length	Kilometres	246	203	204	219	233	234	267	251	252
Aircraft kilometres flown	Thousands	19,078	18,658	18,455	19,761	22,665	19,098	17,528	15,687	18,203
Passengers carried	,,	1,989	2,047	2,211	2,344	2,681	1,896	1,668	1,513	1,658
Passenger-kilometres flown	,,	617,387	621,488	686,795	743,682	859,966	668,296	584,545	506,496	550,921
Cargo carried [2]: Total	Tonnes	27,923	25,764	25,063	23,770	28,780	21,415	22,045	22,102	24,766
Tonne-kilometres										
Total	Thousands	58,054	56,836	62,761	67,594	78,766	60,571	55,536	49,604	53,589
Passenger	,,	49,525	49,170	55,157	60,606	70,492	53,252	48,138	42,385	45,873
Freight	,,	8,396	7,510	7,430	6,842	8,109	6,966	6,348	5,445	6,033
Mail	,,	130	156	174	145	165	354	1,044	1,773	1,681
International services										
Aircraft stage flights:										
Number	Number	59,252	54,340	50,080	48,132	46,695	48,629	68,424	67,447	73,393
Average length	Kilometres	374	365	392	490	569	728	547	428	458
Aircraft-kilometres flown	Thousands	22,150	19,854	19,627	23,565	26,552	35,392	37,401	28,865	33,631
Passengers carried	,,	1,156	1,053	1,072	1,182	1,322	1,328	1,484	1,459	1,613
Passenger-kilometres flown	,,	754,633	650,222	671,793	930,206	1,154,480	1,714,492	1,883,081	1,422,178	1,549,318
Cargo carried [2]: Total	Tonnes	88,897	77,448	67,082	47,023	44,670	44,412	41,865	32,645	30,050
Tonne-kilometres										
Total	Thousands	102,470	94,284	96,072	123,182	146,918	214,924	238,168	178,108	191,329
Passenger	,,	65,579	56,160	58,359	81,508	100,956	153,610	168,390	128,487	139,756
Freight	,,	35,642	36,826	35,992	39,521	43,061	58,387	65,777	45,100	47,053
Mail	,,	1,250	1,298	1,720	2,152	2,901	2,927	4,000	4,522	4,520

[1] These operations are included in Table 10.43. [2] Including weight of vehicles carried on vehicle ferry services. [3] From 1973 operations performed by Cambrian Airways, North East Airlines and British Airways Helicopters are excluded from these figures, following their absorption into the Regional division of the British Airways Board. Channel Islands Airways and Scottish Airways operations are also excluded.

Source: Civil Aviation Authority

UK airways [1]

TABLE 10.46

Accidents on scheduled passenger-carrying services [2]

	Number of fatal accidents	Passenger casualties		Crew casualties		Thousand aircraft stage flights per fatal accident	Million aircraft-miles flown per fatal accident	Thousand passengers carried per passenger killed	Million passenger miles flown per passenger killed	Fatal accidents		Passengers killed per hundred million passenger-miles
		Killed	Seriously injured	Killed	Seriously injured					per 100,000 aircraft stage flights	per hundred million aircraft-miles	
1950-54	7	194	9	28	4	107.4	38.4	46.1	31.1	0.93	2.60	3.21
1955-59	7	123	28	29	8	158.3	57.2	155.2	98.5	0.63	1.75	1.02
1960-64	5	104	35	21	6	303.7	113.3	373.4	242.7	0.33	0.88	0.41
1965-69	6	273	2	32	2	282.7	121.1	222.2	158.6	0.35	0.83	0.63
1970-74	2	167	5	14	2	897.4	458.3	466.3	408.7	0.11	0.22	0.24
1972 . . .	1	112	3	6	—	886.1	452.6	502.0	495.5	0.11	0.22	0.20
1973 . . .	—	—	—	—	1							
1974 . . .	—	—	—	—	1							
1975 . . .	—	—	4	—	—							
1976 . . .	1	54	—	9	—							

[1] See footnote [1] to Table 10.43. [2] Excluding accidents involving the deaths of third parties only.

Source: Civil Aviation Authority

TABLE 10.47

Activity at civil aerodromes

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Movement of civil aircraft (thousands)	1,012	1,117	1,198	1,331	1,388	1,537	1,646	1,892	1,849	1,911	1,896
Commercial:											
Total	590	598	596	639	660	688	735	803	792	781	821
Transport	556	566	560	591	607	630	669	719	710	701	740
Other [1]	34	32	36	47	53	58	66	85	82	80	81
Non-commercial [2]	421	518	602	692	728	849	911	1,089	1,057	1,130	1,075
Passengers handled (thousands):											
Total	23,356	24,744	25,602	28,931	32,411	35,832	40,292	44,389	41,220	43,006	45,864
Terminal	22,582	24,003	24,845	28,064	31,606	34,934	39,125	43,125	40,082	41,846	44,666
Transit	775	741	757	867	804	898	1,167	1,265	1,137	1,160	1,198
Commercial freight handled [3] (tonnes):											
Total	517,195	488,426	524,484	585,436	579,644	532,381	648,550	699,402	720,704	637,701	659,357
Set down	236,262	229,310	238,201	264,302	266,820	241,729	313,107	330,036	323,947	277,401	276,515
Picked up	280,933	259,115	286,283	321,134	312,823	290,652	335,443	369,366	396,757	360,300	382,842
Mail handled (tonnes):											
Total	40,328	38,053	39,622	43,841	49,078	46,424	54,375	57,875	57,708	59,423	62,536
Set down	17,917	17,080	17,733	19,711	21,721	21,281	24,632	25,096	24,316	24,870	25,974
Picked up	22,411	20,973	21,889	24,130	27,357	25,143	29,743	32,779	33,391	34,554	36,562

[1] Local pleasure flights and non-transport charter flights for reward (for example, aerial survey work, crop dusting and delivery of empty aircraft). [2] Test and training flights, scheduled service positioning flights, private, aero-club and official flights, etc. [3] Figures include weight of vehicles carried on vehicle ferry services.

Source: Civil Aviation Authority

United Kingdom merchant vessels of 500 gross tons and over [1]

Summary of tonnage by type

TABLE 10.51

End of year

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Number											
All vessels	2,319	2,181	2,058	2,002	1,977	1,875	1,798	1,776	1,767	1,682	1,573
Passenger [2]	191	173	159	131	129	122	114	122	119	116	104
Cargo liners	881	813	770	779	762	663	591	570	556	514	487
Tramps [3]	756	559	497	452	410	383	359	326	324	307	293
Bulk carriers [4]		155	166	174	190	211	245	269	267	267	266
Tankers	491	481	466	466	486	496	489	489	501	478	423
Thousand gross tons											
All vessels	20,522	20,375	20,730	22,274	24,061	25,177	26,940	29,106	30,795	31,489	29,839
Passenger [2]	1,971	1,709	1,605	1,245	1,230	1,101	1,010	920	855	748	661
Cargo liners	5,898	5,575	5,398	5,646	5,651	5,127	5,056	5,095	5,021	4,692	4,497
Tramps [3]	4,796	2,521	2,174	1,904	1,621	1,425	1,222	1,060	1,027	958	910
Bulk carriers [4]		2,661	2,974	3,265	3,710	4,219	6,152	7,366	7,694	8,022	8,030
Tankers	7,857	7,908	8,580	10,215	11,849	13,304	13,500	14,665	16,199	17,069	15,742
Thousand deadweight tons											
All vessels	26,931	27,448	28,847	32,386	36,148	38,955	42,246	46,778	50,155	51,916	49,313
Passenger [2]	1,052	919	854	599	575	478	409	349	299	254	205
Cargo liners	7,317	6,908	6,717	6,998	7,003	6,309	6,030	6,084	5,982	5,557	5,325
Tramps [3]	6,688	3,450	2,997	2,697	2,310	2,046	1,772	1,556	1,528	1,435	1,371
Bulk carriers [4]		4,004	4,619	5,116	5,890	6,746	10,185	12,483	13,133	13,761	13,767
Tankers	11,874	12,167	13,661	16,976	20,370	23,376	23,850	26,307	29,213	30,909	28,645

[1] Steam and motor vessels only, excluding miscellaneous craft. [2] All vessels with passenger certificates. [3] Bulk carriers included with tramps for the year 1966. [4] Bulk carriers of 10,000 deadweight tons and over or approximately 6,000 gross tons and over including combination —ore/oil and ore/bulk/oil—carriers.

Source: Department of Industry

United Kingdom merchant vessels of 500 gross tons and over [1]

Analysis by deadweight tonnage, size and type

TABLE **10.52**

End of year

	1966			1971			1976		
	Number	Thousand deadweight tons	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand deadweight tons	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand deadweight tons	Thousand gross tons
All vessels									
Total	2,319	26,931	20,522	1,875	38,955	25,177	1,573	49,313	29,839
Under 10,000 deadweight tons	1,186	5,147	4,633	839	3,246	2,909	686	2,320	2,101
10,000 and under 20,000 deadweight tons	889	11,705	9,313	646	9,177	7,087	390	5,455	4,137
20,000 and under 50,000 deadweight tons	186	6,172	4,151	248	7,550	5,040	288	8,110	5,868
50,000 and under 100,000 deadweight tons	58	3,908	2,425	82	6,585	3,774	68	4,419	2,599
100,000 and under 250,000 deadweight tons	—	—	—	47	9,114	4,729	94	15,776	8,391
250,000 deadweight tons and over	—	—	—	13	3,283	1,639	47	13,232	6,744
Passenger [2]									
Total	191	1,052	1,971	122	478	1,101	104	205	661
Under 10,000 deadweight tons	148	523	999	103	243	606	101	160	515
10,000 deadweight tons and over	43	529	972	19	235	495	3	45	145
Cargo liners									
Total	881	7,317	5,898	663	6,309	5,127	487	5,325	4,497
Under 10,000 deadweight tons	496	2,877	2,297	322	1,905	1,525	207	1,139	904
10,000 and under 20,000 deadweight tons	385	4,440	3,601	324	3,937	3,162	248	3,176	2,487
20,000 deadweight tons and over	—	—	—	17	467	440	32	1,010	1,106
Tramps [3]									
Total	756	6,688	4,796	383	2,046	1,425	293	1,371	910
Under 10,000 deadweight tons	436	1,527	1,159	298	871	614	247	710	474
10,000 and under 20,000 deadweight tons	268	3,492	2,503	85	1,175	811	46	661	436
20,000 and under 50,000 deadweight tons	48	1,430	969	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 deadweight tons and over	4	239	164	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bulk carriers [4]									
Total	..	..	..	211	6,746	4,219	266	13,767	8,030
10,000 and under 20,000 deadweight tons	..	..	..	70	1,111	777	35	548	380
20,000 and under 50,000 deadweight tons	..	..	..	110	3,129	2,019	146	4,065	2,554
50,000 and under 100,000 deadweight tons	..	..	..	22	1,452	837	39	2,469	1,434
100,000 and under 250,000 deadweight tons	..	..	..	9	1,054	588	44	6,160	3,375
250,000 deadweight tons and over	..	..	..	—	—	—	2	525	288
Tankers									
Total	491	11,874	7,857	496	23,376	13,304	423	28,645	15,742
Under 10,000 deadweight tons	106	220	178	116	226	164	131	312	208
10,000 and under 20,000 deadweight tons	193	3,244	2,237	148	2,720	1,842	58	1,025	689
20,000 and under 50,000 deadweight tons	138	4,742	3,182	121	3,954	2,581	110	3,034	2,208
50,000 and under 100,000 deadweight tons	54	3,669	2,261	60	5,133	2,938	29	1,951	1,165
100,000 and under 250,000 deadweight tons	—	—	—	38	8,060	4,141	50	9,616	5,017
250,000 deadweight tons and over	—	—	—	13	3,283	1,639	45	12,708	6,456

[1]–[4] See footnotes [1]–[4] to Table 10.51.

Source: Department of Industry

United Kingdom merchant vessels of 500 gross tons and over [1]

Analysis by age and type

TABLE 10.53

End of year

	1966					1976					
	Total	Passenger [2]	Cargo liners	Tramps [3]	Tankers	Total	Passenger [2]	Cargo liners	Tramps	Bulk carriers [4]	Tankers
Number											
All vessels	2,319	191	881	756	491	1,573	104	487	293	266	423
Under 5 years	422	19	129	156	118	490	28	111	76	132	143
5 and under 10 years	691	27	244	240	180	441	21	130	65	96	129
10 and under 15 years	498	30	191	169	108	272	18	89	73	19	73
15 and under 20 years	384	67	195	87	35	244	12	110	46	16	60
20 and under 25 years	220	12	95	76	37	78	10	30	25	2	11
25 years and over	104	36	27	28	13	48	15	17	8	1	7
Thousand gross tons											
All vessels	20,522	1,971	5,898	4,796	7,857	29,839	661	4,497	910	8,030	15,742
Under 5 years	5,691	74	1,011	1,637	2,968	14,809	171	1,362	222	4,953	8,102
5 and under 10 years	6,791	413	1,601	1,730	3,046	9,325	178	1,277	210	2,360	5,300
10 and under 15 years	3,518	365	1,123	750	1,280	2,986	54	717	301	479	1,435
15 and under 20 years	2,606	696	1,326	246	339	2,009	154	809	105	212	729
20 and under 25 years	1,338	64	707	375	193	451	64	212	53	16	106
25 years and over	579	360	130	58	32	258	39	121	19	9	71
Thousand deadweight tons											
All vessels	26,931	1,052	7,317	6,688	11,874	49,313	205	5,325	1,371	13,767	28,645
Under 5 years	8,252	24	1,203	2,359	4,667	25,375	39	1,473	356	8,690	14,817
5 and under 10 years	9,095	173	2,000	2,388	4,534	15,817	50	1,458	335	3,954	10,019
10 and under 15 years	4,512	193	1,431	1,016	1,872	4,535	15	912	439	775	2,394
15 and under 20 years	2,954	452	1,668	343	492	2,702	49	1,054	147	316	1,135
20 and under 25 years	1,694	66	861	497	270	543	21	271	68	22	162
25 years and over	424	144	156	85	40	342	31	157	25	11	118

[1]–[4] See footnotes [1]–[4] to Table 10.51.

Source: Department of Industry

United Kingdom merchant vessels of 500 gross tons and over [1]

Analysis by speed and type

TABLE 10.54

End of year

	1966					1976					
	Total	Passenger [2]	Cargo liners	Tramps [3]	Tankers	Total	Passenger [2]	Cargo liners	Tramps	Bulk carriers [4]	Tankers
Number											
All vessels	2,319	191	881	756	491	1,573	104	487	293	266	423
Under 10 knots	113	–	7	74	32	12	–	–	5	–	7
10 and under 12 knots	454	4	59	322	69	198	8	9	115	2	64
12 and under 14½ knots	664	32	301	221	110	293	20	73	110	21	69
14½ and under 17 knots	823	54	386	133	250	738	16	169	57	240	256
17 knots and under 20 knots	206	55	119	2	30	188	24	134	1	2	27
20 knots and over	59	46	9	4	–	144	36	102	5	1	–
Thousand gross tons											
All vessels	20,522	1,971	5,898	4,796	7,857	29,839	661	4,497	910	8,030	15,742
Under 10 knots	163	–	6	113	44	8	–	–	3	–	4
10 and under 12 knots	1,346	14	119	1,047	166	353	12	16	162	24	139
12 and under 14½ knots	4,515	136	1,376	1,816	1,187	1,468	40	312	256	248	611
14½ and under 17 knots	10,826	374	3,159	1,769	5,524	23,119	35	1,131	450	7,693	13,810
17 knots and under 20 knots	2,712	630	1,128	18	936	2,591	118	1,236	6	53	1,177
20 knots and over	960	818	110	32	–	2,301	455	1,803	34	10	–
Thousand deadweight tons											
All vessels	26,931	1,052	7,317	6,688	11,874	49,313	205	5,325	1,371	13 767	28,645
Under 10 knots	212	–	8	152	52	10	–	–	4	–	6
10 and under 12 knots	1,830	14	171	1,422	222	523	12	20	225	35	231
12 and under 14½ knots	6,162	95	1,812	2,540	1,715	2,310	23	434	417	363	1,074
14½ and under 17 knots	15,225	302	3,935	2,517	8,471	41,300	20	1,536	673	13,269	25,802
17 knots and under 20 knots	3,097	374	1,285	25	1,414	3,223	38	1,557	7	89	1,532
20 knots and over	406	268	106	32	–	1,948	114	1,779	45	11	–

[1]–[4] See footnotes [1]–[4] to Table 10.51.

Source: Department of Industry

International seaborne trade of the United Kingdom

TABLE **10.55**

Total and proportion carried by UK registered vessels

	Total seaborne trade							Percentage carried by UK registered vessels						
	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
Exports by sea [1]														
Weight (million tonnes)														
All cargo	45.0	50.2	49.6	50.7	56.2	53.7	50.9	*47*	*47*	*44*	*40*	*43*	*44*	*46*
Dry cargo	30.3	32.1	31.7	31.8	37.3	37.6	36.0	*44*	*46*	*42*	*42*	*43*	*45*	*45*
Tanker cargo	14.6	18.2	17.9	18.9	18.8	16.1	14.9	*54*	*49*	*48*	*37*	*43*	*43*	*48*
Tonne-miles (thousand million)														
All cargo	99.9	100.7	104.7	102.2	111.8	107.7	103.7	*60*	*58*	*54*	*48*	*48*	*48*	*45*
Dry cargo	84.2	83.1	88.8	85.8	95.7	93.2	89.7	*62*	*60*	*55*	*50*	*49*	*49*	*45*
Tanker cargo	15.6	17.6	15.9	16.6	16.1	14.5	14.0	*49*	*48*	*47*	*38*	*44*	*43*	*44*
Value (£ hundred million)														
All cargo	57.3	64.2	73.5	75.2	93.5	129.0	155.0	*54*	*52*	*51*	*50*	*50*	*51*	*52*
Dry cargo	55.9	62.5	71.6	73.2	90.3	121.9	147.9	*54*	*52*	*51*	*51*	*50*	*51*	*52*
Tanker cargo	1.4	1.7	1.9	2.0	3.2	7.0	7.1	*55*	*50*	*48*	*40*	*45*	*45*	*50*
Imports by sea														
Weight (million tonnes)														
All cargo	188.6	200.0	206.5	206.1	221.1	213.9	176.9	*33*	*31*	*32*	*31*	*30*	*29*	*31*
Dry cargo	72.4	75.3	75.9	78.3	85.0	83.6	73.1	*42*	*39*	*42*	*39*	*34*	*33*	*35*
Tanker cargo	116.0	124.7	130.6	127.6	136.1	130.4	103.8	*27*	*27*	*27*	*26*	*28*	*26*	*29*
Tonne-miles (thousand million)														
All cargo	998.6	1,073.8	1,191.7	1,181.9	1,310.2	1,292.0	1,030.4	*34*	*35*	*35*	*32*	*31*	*30*	*31*
Dry cargo	230.4	246.8	268.8	260.7	262.1	237.7	226.8	*53*	*48*	*51*	*47*	*38*	*36*	*39*
Tanker cargo	768.1	826.9	922.9	921.1	1,048.1	1,054.3	803.6	*29*	*31*	*30*	*28*	*30*	*29*	*29*
Value (£ hundred million)														
All cargo	67.3	74.4	80.6	90.6	128.8	197.0	197.9	*47*	*45*	*42*	*42*	*41*	*39*	*40*
Dry cargo	58.2	65.0	68.6	78.9	111.9	149.5	155.0	*50*	*47*	*45*	*45*	*43*	*43*	*43*
Tanker cargo	9.0	9.4	12.0	11.7	16.9	47.5	42.9	*29*	*28*	*27*	*27*	*27*	*27*	*29*
Exports [1] *plus* **Imports by sea**														
Weight (million tonnes)														
All cargo	233.6	250.2	256.0	256.8	277.2	267.6	227.8	*35*	*35*	*34*	*33*	*33*	*32*	*34*
Dry cargo	102.8	107.4	107.6	110.1	122.3	121.2	109.1	*42*	*41*	*42*	*40*	*37*	*37*	*38*
Tanker cargo	130.8	142.8	148.4	146.6	155.0	146.5	118.7	*30*	*30*	*29*	*28*	*29*	*28*	*31*
Tonne-miles (thousand million)														
All cargo	1,098.5	1,174.4	1,296.4	1,284.1	1,422.0	1,399.7	1,134.1	*37*	*37*	*36*	*33*	*33*	*31*	*32*
Dry cargo	314.7	329.9	357.6	346.5	357.7	330.9	316.5	*56*	*51*	*52*	*47*	*41*	*39*	*41*
Tanker cargo	783.9	844.4	938.7	937.7	1,064.2	1,068.8	817.6	*29*	*31*	*30*	*28*	*30*	*29*	*29*
Value (£ hundred million)														
All cargo	124.5	138.6	154.1	165.8	222.3	326.0	352.9	*50*	*48*	*46*	*46*	*45*	*44*	*45*
Dry cargo	114.1	127.5	140.2	152.1	202.2	271.5	302.9	*52*	*49*	*48*	*48*	*46*	*47*	*47*
Tanker cargo	10.4	11.0	13.9	13.8	20.1	54.5	50.0	*32*	*31*	*30*	*29*	*30*	*29*	*32*

[1] Including re-exports.

Sources: Department of Industry; HM Customs and Excise

International seaborne trade of the United Kingdom

TABLE 10.56

Weight of cargo: analysis by area of consignment and proportion carried by UK registered vessels

	1970						1975					
	All cargo		Dry cargo		Tanker cargo		All cargo		Dry cargo		Tanker cargo	
	Total	UK flag	Total	UK flag	Total	UK flag	Total	UK flag	Total	UK flag	Total	UK flag
	Th. tonnes	Per cent	Th. tonnes	Per cent	Th. tonnes	Per cent	Th. tonnes	Per cent	Th. tonnes	Per cent	Th. tonnes	Per cent
Exports [1]												
Total — all trades	50,241	*47*	32,065	*46*	18,176	*49*	50,905	*46*	36,025	*45*	14,880	*48*
Near and short sea trades	39,409	*44*	22,765	*41*	16,645	*51*	39,663	*46*	26,078	*44*	13,585	*49*
of which:												
European Economic Community [2]	23,511	*49*	14,793	*49*	8,719	*48*	27,027	*52*	17,636	*54*	9,392	*49*
Scandinavia and Baltic [3]	11,733	*41*	4,763	*16*	6,970	*16*	8,107	*31*	4,775	*17*	3,331	*52*
Iberia and Mediterranean	4,166	*29*	3,209	*29*	956	*31*	4,530	*32*	3,667	*33*	862	*32*
Deep sea trades	10,832	*57*	9,301	*61*	1,531	*34*	11,241	*47*	9,947	*48*	1,295	*38*
of which:												
Central and West Africa	1,328	*62*	1,026	*60*	302	*69*	1,851	*49*	1,489	*44*	362	*65*
South and East Africa	1,266	*67*	1,159	*68*	107	*50*	1,133	*60*	1,043	*59*	90	*70*
Persian Gulf and Indian Ocean	1,157	*62*	1,128	*62*	29	*62*	2,025	*39*	1,955	*39*	70	*45*
Far East	1,260	*78*	1,188	*78*	72	*79*	999	*53*	975	*53*	24	*38*
Australasia	1,010	*90*	1,000	*91*	11	*68*	980	*58*	951	*58*	29	*58*
North America	3,410	*33*	2,582	*37*	828	*15*	3,089	*38*	2,392	*44*	697	*18*
Central and South America	804	*52*	643	*60*	162	*18*	818	*45*	801	*45*	17	*14*
West Indies	597	*65*	577	*64*	20	*92*	346	*72*	339	*72*	7	*77*
Imports												
Total — all trades	199,932	*31*	75,309	*39*	124,622	*27*	176,895	*31*	73,141	*35*	103,755	*29*
Near and short sea trades [4]	84,367	*23*	35,870	*29*	48,498	*19*	67,089	*32*	39,886	*34*	27,202	*29*
of which:												
European Economic Community [2]	30,823	*33*	12,113	*37*	18,709	*30*	36,966	*41*	20,746	*42*	16,221	*38*
Scandinavia and Baltic [3]	18,184	*25*	17,424	*23*	761	*32*	16,328	*22*	14,071	*24*	2,258	*11*
Iberia and Mediterranean	35,360	*14*	6,333	*26*	29,027	*11*	12,100	*24*	5,070	*27*	7,030	*21*
Deep sea trades	115,565	*37*	39,439	*49*	76,124	*31*	109,806	*31*	33,254	*35*	76,552	*29*
of which:												
Central and West Africa	14,284	*39*	6,051	*67*	8,233	*18*	9,518	*32*	3,304	*43*	6,215	*26*
South and East Africa	2,930	*59*	2,862	*60*	68	*35*	2,942	*37*	2,648	*37*	294	*29*
Persian Gulf and Indian Ocean	60,684	*35*	1,040	*49*	59,643	*34*	65,135	*29*	562	*33*	64,573	*29*
Far East	1,413	*74*	1,368	*75*	46	*43*	2,252	*29*	1,841	*32*	412	*19*
Australasia	4,751	*60*	4,722	*61*	29	*33*	5,134	*60*	5,090	*60*	43	*97*
North America	17,755	*37*	17,441	*37*	313	*12*	13,079	*31*	12,768	*31*	311	*18*
Central and South America	10,445	*26*	4,388	*33*	6,058	*20*	9,538	*20*	5,521	*17*	4,017	*24*
West Indies	3,302	*51*	1,568	*65*	1,734	*39*	2,208	*37*	1,520	*40*	688	*28*

[1] Including re-exports. [2] Figures for EEC relate to the eight member countries, i.e. Belgium, Denmark, France, Germany (Federal Republic), Irish Republic, Italy, Luxembourg and the Netherlands, for both 1970 and 1975. [3] Excluding Denmark. [4] Total Near and Short sea imports for Tanker cargo in 1975 include imports from the Continental Shelf (Foreign) not separately identified.

Sources: Department of Industry; HM Customs and Excise

International seaborne trade of the United Kingdom

Proportion of trade carried by the principal flags

TABLE **10.57**

Percentage

	1970						1975					
	All cargo		Dry cargo		Tanker cargo		All cargo		Dry cargo		Tanker cargo	
	Weight	Value	Weight	Value	Weight	Value	Weight	Value	Weight	Value	Weight	Value
Exports [1]												
United Kingdom	47.2	51.9	45.9	51.9	49.4	50.1	45.9	51.5	45.1	51.6	47.9	49.6
Germany (Federal Republic)	9.2	10.4	13.1	10.6	2.2	3.4	9.3	8.6	12.5	8.9	1.8	2.7
Norway	8.7	4.1	5.7	3.8	13.8	14.4	5.3	3.5	5.6	3.4	4.7	4.5
Netherlands	8.1	7.3	10.2	7.4	4.3	4.8	6.9	5.2	8.5	5.3	3.0	3.2
Liberia	2.5	0.7	1.3	0.7	4.6	3.5	3.2	1.0	1.1	0.7	8.3	7.1
Denmark	2.8	2.4	3.3	2.4	1.9	1.8	3.3	2.7	3.7	2.7	2.3	2.5
Other EEC flags	4.8	4.6	4.5	4.5	5.4	4.7	6.1	6.0	5.2	5.8	8.5	6.7
All other flags	16.7	18.6	16.0	18.7	18.4	17.3	20.0	21.5	18.3	21.6	23.5	23.7
Imports												
United Kingdom	31.3	44.6	39.1	47.0	26.6	27.7	31.2	40.0	34.6	42.9	28.8	29.2
Liberia	16.3	3.9	6.4	1.4	22.2	21.0	18.9	6.5	9.9	1.6	25.2	24.2
Norway	13.8	7.4	10.9	6.3	15.6	15.0	10.3	6.2	10.0	5.0	10.6	10.4
Greece	4.6	2.0	3.4	1.6	5.4	5.3	4.3	2.1	3.4	1.4	4.9	4.9
Germany (Federal Republic)	5.4	10.2	10.1	11.2	2.6	2.9	5.8	10.6	10.3	12.8	2.6	2.9
Netherlands	5.7	7.3	7.0	7.5	4.8	5.7	5.4	6.0	6.4	6.3	4.7	5.1
Other EEC flags	8.1	9.0	6.1	8.9	9.3	9.2	7.6	10.5	7.0	11.1	8.1	7.8
All other flags	14.8	15.6	17.0	16.1	13.5	13.2	16.5	18.1	18.4	18.9	15.1	15.5

[1] Including re-exports.

Sources: Department of Industry; HM Customs and Excise

Seaborne trade: analysis by main commodity groups

United Kingdom

TABLE **10.58**

Thousand tonnes

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
Foreign traffic [1]									
Exports [2]									
Total	35,961	41,492	45,001	50,265	49,557	50,713	56,175	53,750	50,917
Foodstuffs	2,587	2,437	1,889	2,199	2,214	2,428	3,257	2,803	4,091
Basic materials	5,533	5,964	8,328	9,240	8,446	9,555	11,185	11,456	9,848
Manufactured goods	12,732	14,722	15,363	15,782	17,040	17,043	19,483	20,115	18,077
Coal, etc.	2,649	3,609	4,553	4,534	3,438	2,251	3,444	3,778	3,949
Petroleum	12,460	14,759	14,868	18,510	18,418	19,436	18,806	15,598	14,952
Imports									
Total	167,613	178,688	188,618	200,006	206,519	206,092	221,164	213,910	177,619
Foodstuffs	20,241	20,145	20,651	21,128	20,606	19,839	19,273	18,796	19,109
Basic materials	34,339	37,309	37,246	38,737	35,500	34,746	44,667	40,606	30,772
Manufactured goods	13,101	14,791	14,802	15,470	15,432	18,138	20,444	22,373	18,630
Coal, etc.	49	45	60	197	4,646	5,450	2,008	3,819	6,116
Petroleum	99,884	106,398	115,860	124,477	130,336	127,918	134,769	128,315	102,991
Domestic traffic [3]									
Outwards									
Total	56,877	56,789	56,904	56,218	52,011	51,792	57,269	56,888	48,868
Coal, etc.	17,841	17,272	15,027	13,761	9,194	7,155	6,948	5,926	6,475
Petroleum	33,261	33,565	35,993	36,305	36,099	37,808	41,408	43,707	35,327
Other	5,775	5,952	5,883	6,151	6,718	6,829	8,912	7,255	7,066

[1] Figures differ slightly from those in other tables because of inclusion of trade where flag of vessel is unrecorded. [2] Including re-exports. [3] Ports of Great Britain only, (excluding Isle of Man and Channel Islands), but refers to traffic to all parts of the United Kingdom.

Sources: HM Customs and Excise; National Ports Council

United Kingdom inward passenger movement by sea and air[1]

Analysis by countries of embarkation

TABLE 10.59

Thousands

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
All passengers: total	11,022	11,812	12,583	14,637	16,693	18,433	20,198	21,891	20,930	22,984	24,460
By sea[2]	4,464	4,654	4,761	5,392	5,879	5,990	6,125	6,439	6,871	7,939	8,283
By air[3]	6,558	7,158	7,822	9,245	10,814	12,443	14,073	15,452	14,059	15,045	16,177
Irish Republic: total	1,426	1,495	1,586	1,689	1,680	1,670	1,476	1,668	1,643	1,663	1,644
By sea	711	794	864	940	857	817	690	814	820	826	780
By air	715	701	722	749	823	853	786	854	823	837	864
European continent and Mediterranean Sea area[4]											
By sea:											
Total	3,441	3,516	3,582	4,139	4,743	4,921	5,203	5,404	5,828	6,944	7,367
Belgium	1,005	962	1,099	1,132	1,316	1,270	1,322	1,332	1,519	1,619	1,988
France[5]	1,877	1,906	1,783	2,191	2,499	2,686	2,902	3,082	3,268	3,965	3,907
Netherlands	310	346	384	466	533	549	549	558	594	751	920
Other EEC[6]	249	302	316	346	396	416	430	197	226	282	293
Other countries								234	220	227	259
By air:											
Total	4,631	5,047	5,498	6,548	7,657	9,004	10,228	11,287	9,934	10,553	11,056
Belgium	331	352	363	365	406	416	416	464	436	401	433
Denmark	111	129	144	170	193	215	227	246	245	248	287
Germany	443	501	583	692	928	1,012	1,218	1,269	1,130	1,140	1,218
France	1,071	1,101	947	1,090	1,194	1,259	1,396	1,463	1,336	1,372	1,461
Italy	474	466	480	570	721	843	966	1,032	895	937	968
Netherlands	448	480	509	566	636	706	744	860	800	819	917
Norway	60	62	75	83	94	103	121	137	136	173	258
Portugal	74	86	83	112	150	201	245	296	218	156	149
Sweden	58	63	72	78	92	93	117	140	141	168	213
Switzerland	321	348	395	449	537	564	578	604	525	555	598
Greece	74	83	87	119	148	243	314	379	276	346	439
Spain	672	843	1,130	1,537	1,737	2,364	2,743	2,981	2,426	2,651	2,332
Yugoslavia	55	58	51	65	97	146	146	199	161	204	207
Soviet Union and E. Europe	55	65	82	99	126	143	177	220	221	253	263
Middle East countries	126	133	178	190	222	266	296	352	406	512	635
Other countries	258	275	317	364	376	435	523	631	576	617	679
Rest of world											
By sea:											
Total	200.7	202.9	171.5	161.3	134.9	120.3	95.6	80.5	66.5	56.7	43.5
United States of America	60.6	54.3	44.6	44.3	27.8	25.9	24.2	22.0	19.0	16.6	12.1
Canada	22.7	27.3	19.0	16.0	11.2	10.6	2.7	2.2	1.2	0.8	1.1
Australia	41.3	47.2	44.7	40.7	45.5	38.1	28.5	19.4	14.9	11.0	9.3
New Zealand	14.2	14.3	11.7	10.0	9.3	8.7	8.0	6.4	4.9	4.0	2.7
South Africa	22.1	26.0	26.1	25.1	23.0	21.8	19.3	18.1	16.1	16.6	13.1
West Africa[7]	4.4	4.3	3.4	2.1	1.7	1.6	1.3	2.0	1.6	0.2	0.2
British West Indies and Bermuda	6.8	6.7	5.2	5.2	4.1	2.6	2.0	1.4	1.1	0.7	0.4
Other countries[8]	28.6	22.9	16.8	17.9	12.3	10.9	9.6	8.9	7.8	6.8	3.9
By air:											
Total	1,211.7	1,410.4	1,602.1	1,947.5	2,334.0	2,585.6	3,057.4	3,310.5	3,239.2	3,562.5	4,132.7
United States of America	641.1	728.7	809.5	1,010.0	1,246.4	1,405.0	1,606.0	1,657.4	1,446.7	1,476.6	1,768.7
Canada	218.6	258.9	308.1	390.9	446.4	458.9	541.8	630.0	636.8	681.9	712.0
Australia and New Zealand	13.3	14.6	17.5	23.1	38.7	39.9	52.1	86.9	109.6	152.9	206.0
South Africa	30.6	35.0	40.4	50.3	64.8	66.3	70.5	78.1	95.0	124.4	169.6
East Africa[7]	38.9	47.9	61.3	67.8	72.8	79.4	109.1	80.8	70.7	79.9	86.5
West Africa[7]	36.3	34.6	31.7	34.4	40.3	43.1	44.6	55.6	63.7	73.2	95.5
British West Indies and Bermuda	53.2	65.6	67.3	77.7	80.4	88.8	116.7	126.7	130.2	133.7	145.1
India, Pakistan[9] and Sri Lanka	68.9	81.2	92.9	92.6	95.1	78.1	84.9	114.0	141.6	163.6	210.0
Japan	6.5	8.6	9.8	16.9	22.8	39.9	40.6	58.3	64.8	90.6	85.3
Other countries	104.2	129.5	163.5	183.8	224.3	286.3	391.1	422.7	480.1	565.8	654.0
Pleasure cruises ending at UK seaports: total	113	141	144	152	144	132	136	141	157	113	92

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[1] Excluding movement by land across the frontier between the Irish Republic and Northern Ireland, passengers travelling between the Channel Islands and Great Britain, passengers carried in aircraft chartered by British government departments and, as far as possible, passengers travelling by sea on day trips and HM and other armed forces travelling in the course of their duties. [2] Including passengers on pleasure cruises beginning and/or ending at UK seaports. [3] From 1974 figures for oil rigs are included in the Total. [4] Passengers to and from North Africa and Middle East Mediterranean countries have been attributed to the European continent and Mediterranean Sea area. [5] Includes hovercraft passengers from 1 April 1968. [6] Consists of Denmark, Germany (Federal Republic) and Italy. [7] Commonwealth countries only. [8] Figures for Other countries cover mainly passengers to or from the Canary Islands, Madeira and the Azores. [9] Figures for Pakistan include East Pakistan, now Bangladesh.

Sources: Department of Industry; Civil Aviation Authority

United Kingdom outward passenger movement by sea and air [1]

TABLE **10.60**

Analysis by countries of landing

Thousands

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
All passengers: total	11,037	11,780	12,594	14,718	16,748	18,446	20,203	21,820	20,983	22,982	24,478
By sea [2]	4,465	4,634	4,757	5,461	5,904	6,014	6,135	6,378	6,889	7,955	8,348
By air [3]	6,573	7,146	7,837	9,257	10,844	12,432	14,068	15,442	14,094	15,027	16,130
Irish Republic: total	1,408	1,456	1,596	1,676	1,679	1,664	1,487	1,671	1,659	1,673	1,652
By sea	692	761	870	928	853	817	707	815	841	838	796
By air	716	695	726	748	826	847	780	856	818	835	856
European continent and Mediterranean Sea area [4]											
By sea											
Total	3,413	3,497	3,554	4,197	4,758	4,935	5,189	5,338	5,814	6,949	7,417
Belgium	1,033	974	1,114	1,172	1,317	1,296	1,330	1,274	1,510	1,823	1,986
France [5]	1,804	1,869	1,742	2,211	2,526	2,668	2,904	3,069	3,266	3,873	3,954
Netherlands	334	364	392	479	534	559	550	565	573	745	921
Other EEC [6]	242	291	307	334	381	412	405	197	232	285	294
Other countries								232	233	222	262
By air:											
Total	4,585	4,997	5,464	6,522	7,637	8,965	10,195	11,173	9,841	10,453	11,051
Belgium	334	363	368	370	412	416	416	470	421	387	416
Denmark	107	121	141	170	191	210	220	228	234	238	280
Germany	439	507	592	705	945	1,021	1,219	1,257	1,117	1,137	1,252
France	1,053	1,081	932	1,067	1,172	1,240	1,408	1,465	1,342	1,368	1,439
Italy	466	453	472	562	709	827	934	1,000	876	923	973
Netherlands	460	502	528	600	671	732	764	874	819	815	919
Norway	65	66	73	81	95	106	124	141	140	178	264
Portugal	71	81	80	108	145	194	238	283	211	151	147
Sweden	59	64	74	79	92	94	118	135	140	168	210
Switzerland	308	334	379	431	516	541	552	577	507	537	582
Greece	70	76	78	111	140	239	310	368	265	345	444
Spain	666	833	1,126	1,527	1,735	2,362	2,750	2,983	2,416	2,647	2,332
Yugoslavia	54	57	49	63	95	145	145	195	162	206	207
Soviet Union and E. Europe	52	62	77	93	122	136	168	209	216	252	252
Middle East countries	116	115	161	181	215	266	289	337	393	488	654
Others	265	283	333	374	382	436	538	651	582	614	680
Rest of world											
By sea:											
Total	247.0	235.5	195.8	183.7	150.2	126.1	105.5	87.3	78.3	56.7	42.7
United States of America	57.7	49.9	42.4	40.0	24.2	19.2	21.1	21.1	16.3	15.7	12.6
Canada	40.7	40.7	23.7	17.5	12.5	10.2	2.6	2.8	2.8	3.2	2.2
Australia	67.5	65.1	62.8	59.8	54.7	43.4	31.6	23.2	21.6	9.5	9.4
New Zealand	17.6	17.4	10.4	9.7	9.3	9.3	10.5	9.5	8.1	2.9	2.7
South Africa	24.8	26.8	27.4	28.3	28.0	22.8	21.7	13.9	17.1	17.6	11.1
West Africa [7]	6.5	5.5	5.0	3.2	3.1	3.4	2.7	3.9	2.5	0.4	0.4
British West Indies and Bermuda	8.8	10.3	9.3	8.6	6.7	6.7	5.8	3.5	2.6	0.9	0.6
Other countries [8]	23.3	19.9	14.8	16.6	11.7	10.9	9.5	9.4	7.5	6.4	3.8
By air:											
Total	1,272.8	1,454.1	1,647.2	1,986.9	2,381.2	2,619.9	3,093.5	3,413.2	3,373.9	3,646.8	4,097.0
United States of America	645.5	734.5	830.1	1,009.8	1,262.8	1,409.3	1,597.4	1,662.7	1,479.0	1,462.4	1,749.1
Canada	258.5	300.0	332.8	404.6	457.8	473.5	560.5	658.8	666.1	725.0	736.3
Australia and New Zealand	47.2	47.6	52.4	69.2	74.9	68.1	93.2	120.2	147.4	175.5	167.9
South Africa	37.2	42.6	51.5	60.0	78.4	84.0	92.8	103.2	136.9	164.8	160.3
East Africa [7]	36.8	44.2	52.3	61.3	64.0	70.2	74.9	72.2	66.8	70.5	75.7
West Africa [7]	38.8	34.1	34.2	39.5	46.1	48.0	49.3	61.7	71.5	83.9	110.9
British West Indies and Bermuda	48.0	58.9	65.3	76.0	79.5	84.5	105.2	119.1	128.4	142.3	151.7
India, Pakistan [9] and Sri Lanka	47.8	55.4	59.6	68.4	67.0	63.3	84.0	112.6	136.2	162.9	178.1
Japan	5.4	8.1	9.7	14.8	22.1	31.5	39.0	55.8	61.7	90.0	85.8
Other countries	107.7	128.8	159.3	183.4	228.5	287.6	397.1	446.9	479.9	569.4	681.1
Pleasure cruises beginning at UK seaports: total	112	140	137	152	143	136	134	138	156	112	92

See footnotes to Table 10.59.

Sources: Department of Industry; Civil Aviation Authority.

Postal, telegraph and telephone services

TABLE 10.71

Years ended 31 March[1]

	Unit	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Letters and parcel post												
Letters, etc. posted[2]	Millions	11,300	11,400	11,500	11,300	11,400	10,500	10,550	10,790	11,010	10,878	9,903
of which:												
Registered and insured	„	62.4	58.8	53.5	50.3	48.7	42.3	43.4	43.8	43.8	43.8	38.4
Airmail (Commonwealth and foreign)[3]	„	328	336	352	371	389	361	418	425	467	492	479
Business reply items	„	101.8	103.1	107.8	117.9	124.9	96.9	98.3	117.6	128.1	140.1	180.0
Parcels posted	„	229.8	216.8	211.1	207.4	202.9	176.6	184.2	190.2	191.0	196.8	165.2
of which:												
Registered and insured[4]	„	4.7	4.4	3.7	3.3	3.2	2.9	2.8	3.9	5.1	5.5	4.6
Inward and transit parcels handled	„	5.5	5.5	5.5	4.9	4.7	4.2	4.4	4.1	3.9	3.7	3.9
Money orders												
Total handled[5]	Thousands	16,410	16,170	14,556	13,895	12,355	9,875	7,693	7,148	5,443	3,402	2,653
Inland	„	13,175	12,975	11,699	11,149	9,793	7,701	5,262	4,990	3,255	1,446	1,148
Commonwealth and foreign	„	3,235	3,195	2,857	2,746	2,562	2,174	2,431	2,158	2,188	1,956	1,505
Postal orders												
Total issued[6]	„	673,553	667,160	616,488	544,869	501,698	434,620	342,251	361,724	360,631	303,756	224,752
Telegrams and telephones												
Length of single wire:												
Total	Th. kilometres	72,776	81,050	87,268	88,847	98,688	108,417	116,598	125,022	137,892	138,007	142,081
Overhead	„	1,641	2,375	2,585	2,113	2,093	1,419	1,551	1,531	1,306	1,017	1,079
Underground	„	71,060	78,602	84,609	86,651	96,504	106,910	114,957	123,412	136,503	136,906	140,917
Submarine	„	76	74	74	84	90	89	90	79	83	84	85
Telegrams:												
Total	Thousands	31,908	31,034	30,891	29,212	29,329	25,831	26,950	27,021	27,525	25,532	21,036
Inland	„	10,280	9,377	8,763	8,043	7,862	6,667	6,847	7,303	7,252	6,200	4,230
Foreign (via Post Office system)[7]	„	21,628	21,657	22,128	21,169	21,467	19,164	20,103	19,718	20,273	19,332	16,806
Telex connections	Number	17,092	19,389	22,269	25,721	29,147	32,945	37,774	43,292	49,220	54,493	59,421
Telephone calls: (Inland):												
Total	Millions	6,892	7,382	7,949	8,627	9,622	10,747	12,029	13,539	14,845	15,836	16,092
Local	„	6,050	6,450	6,880	7,420	8,270	9,230	10,330	11,595	12,707	13,523	13,736
Trunk	„	842	932	1,069	1,207	1,352	1,517	1,699	1,944	2,138	2,313	2,356
Telephone stations[8]:												
Total	Thousands	10,621	11,289	12,009	12,805	13,844	14,858	16,025	17,441	18,955	20,191	20,884
Public call offices	„	75	75	75	75	75	76	76	76	77	77	78
Private stations	„	10,546	11,215	11,934	12,730	13,769	14,782	15,949	17,365	18,878	20,114	20,806
Telephone exchanges[9]												
Total	Number	6,036	6,094	6,111	6,136	6,138	6,151	6,168	6,188	6,245	6,241	6,263
Automatic	„	5,694	5,835	5,919	5,995	6,033	6,065	6,100	6,140	6,215	6,228	6,260
Manual	„	342	259	192	141	105	86	68	48	30	13	3
Broadcast receiving licences current												
Sound[10]	Thousands	2,611	2,506	2,557	2,464	2,301	–	–	–	–	–	–
Television[11]	„	13,567	14,267	15,089	15,496	15,883	15,943	16,658	17,125	17,325	17,701	17,729
of which:												
Colour	„	–	–	20	99	273	610	1,635	3,332	5,558	7,580	8,628

[1] Years ended 31 March for letter and parcel post, money and postal orders, telegrams sent and telephone calls made in the United Kingdom. For all other items figures relate to 31 March in each year. [2] Including printed papers, newspapers, postcards and sample packets. [3] Including letters without special charge for air transport. In 1975/76 about 205 million items were carried by inland airmail. [4] From 1973 includes compensation fee parcels. Registered parcel service was abolished 3 September 1972. [5] Irish Republic money orders are included in the Inland figures. [6] Excluding those issued on HM ships, in many British possessions and in other places abroad. [7] Excluding those sent abroad via the private cable companies' system. [8] A station is an instrument which is connected directly or indirectly with the public exchange system. [9] Excluding auto-manual and trunk exchange. [10] Sound licences abolished 1 February 1971. [11] Including licences issued at concessionary fees.

Source: Post Office

TABLE 10.72

Cinemas: admissions and distribution of takings [1]

Great Britain

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Number of cinemas reporting[2]	1,847	1,736	1 631	1,581	1,529	1,482	1,450	1,530	1 535	1,530	1,525
Number of admissions (millions)	289	265	237	215	193	176	157	134	138	116	104
Gross box office takings (£ million):											
Total[3]	59.4	57.6	57.7	57.7	59.0	60.3	59.4	58.0	69.3	71.2	75.8
Payment to the British Film Production Fund	4.5	4.5	4.2	4.0	4.2	4.4	4.2	3.7	4.4	4.9	4.8
Payment for film hire	20.1	18.5	17.9	18.3	18.4	18.6	19.0	16.4	20.3	21.4	24.3
Exhibitors' share	34.8	34.6	35.6	35.4	36.4	37.3	36.1	37.9	44.6	44.9	46.7
Average price of admission (new pence)	20.6	21.8	24.3	26.8	30.6	34.2	37.9	43.2	50.1	62.0	73.0

Regional analysis

	Number of cinemas		Admissions (thousands)		Gross box office takings (£ thousand)		Seating capacity of cinemas (thousands)		Percentage of capacity filled[4]		Average price of admission (new pence)	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
Great Britain	1,530	1,525	116,284	103,865	71,178	75,829	879.7	826.6	19.0	18.4	62.00	73.01
North	91	89	5,950	5,471	3,120	3,499	55.1	50.3	17.9	18.2	52.43	63.96
Yorkshire and Humberside	120	124	8,723	7,493	4,925	5,071	61.9	57.3	21.3	20.7	56.39	67.68
East Midlands	85	84	5,265	4,957	3,014	3,355	41.6	37.2	18.8	21.0	57.24	67.68
East Anglia	55	52	3,430	3,276	2,014	2,294	31.0	27.2	19.4	20.1	58.73	70.02
South East:												
Greater London Council Area	234	234	25,419	22,635	20,405	21,544	144.5	139.1	19.1	17.7	80.28	95.18
Outer Metropolitan area	141	143	11,047	10,418	6,390	7,133	78.4	78.2	20.0	19.4	57.93	68.47
Remainder	139	136	10,164	9,128	6,085	6,342	75.9	71.7	18.0	16.9	59.69	69.48
South West	135	137	7,573	6,364	4,358	4,375	66.4	64.9	17.5	16.4	57.55	68.75
West Midlands	97	97	8,142	7,477	4,554	4,990	58.3	58.3	19.4	18.4	55.93	66.74
North West	193	195	12,490	11,327	7,123	7,802	93.8	87.3	17.8	17.6	57.03	68.88
Wales	101	96	5,453	4,279	2,478	2,336	58.7	52.7	19.4	17.6	45.45	54.59
Scotland	139	138	12,628	11,040	6,712	7,088	114.1	102.4	20.4	20.4	53.16	64.19

[1] The figures in this table are derived from annual returns made by cinemas open at the end of the year. Cinemas showing only 16 mm. film are excluded throughout. News cinemas are included. [2] Number of licensed cinemas open at end year. [3] Including VAT from April 1973. [4] Based on the number of complete performances during one week in November but excluding news cinemas.

Source: Department of Trade

TABLE 10.73

Films registered in Great Britain [1]

Years ended 31 March

Number

	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77
Cinematograph films registered [2] [3]											
Total	979	920	942	743	654	652	706	695	662	518	545
Long	362	357	401	383	389	424	461	442	453	379	374
Short	409	355	331	160	160	124	140	149	116	87	118
Newsreels	208	208	210	200	105	104	105	104	93	52	53
British films:											
Long	82	83	88	92	97	96	104	99	88	81	80
Short	195	227	186	73	108	78	93	75	72	63	82
Newsreels	208	208	210	200	105	104	105	104	93	52	53
Community films [3]:											
Long	–	–	–	–	–	–	49	124	118	72	87
Short	–	–	–	–	–	–		2	4	1	2
Foreign films:											
Long	280	274	313	291	292	328	308	219	247	226	207
Short	214	128	145	87	52	46	47	72	40	23	34

[1] Registered under the Films Acts, 1960 to 1970 as amended with effect from 1 January 1973 by the European Communities Act 1972. [2] Long films are 33⅓ minutes playing time and over. [3] Community films, which are also quota films, are national films of the member states of EEC and the figures for 1972/73, 1973/74 and 1974/75 are inflated by the inclusion of films which had previously been registered as foreign.

Source: Department of Trade

XI. Distributive Trades and Services n.e.s.

Retail and allied service trade establishments by kind of business: 1950, 1961, 1966, 1971

TABLE **11.1**

All establishments Great Britain

	1950[1]			1961[1]		
	Number	Turnover £ thousand	Number of persons engaged	Number	Turnover £ thousand	Number of persons engaged
Total retail trade[2]		5,084,847			9,253,779	
Retail shops[3] [4]	583,132	5,000,130	2,392,226	542,301	8,828,111	2,484,622
Co-operative societies	25,544	571,488	179,181	29,396	959,339	195,144
Multiples[5]	53,949	1,093,178	401,665	66,701	2,578,898	632,661
Independents[6]	503,639	3,335,464	1,811,380	446,204	5,289,875	1,656,817
Grocers and provision dealers	145,709	1,228,797	522,683	146,777	2,350,711	551,601
Other food retailers	137,867	991,331	534,710	114,655	1,727,896	471,533
Dairymen	10,231	195,382	78,593	6,573	363,739	73,600
Butchers	41,799	287,693	137,757	42,419	625,156	150,815
Fishmongers, poulterers	9,511	61,244	30,221	6,330	75,838	21,462
Greengrocers, fruiterers (including those selling fish)	43,948	193,133	114,943	33,073	289,597	98,409
Bread and flour confectioners	24,181	178,476	152,992	17,260	233,026	102,768
Off-licences	8,197	75,403	20,204	9,000	140,539	24,479
Confectioners, tobacconists, newsagents	74,606	502,661	254,266	70,108	797,833	249,853
Clothing and footwear shops	100,011	966,336	427,885	86,555	1,366,737	396,996
Footwear shops	14,870	138,283	57,501	14,104	219,621	62,796
Men's and boys' wear shops	15,581	199,903	71,413	13,577	270,022	63,488
Women's and girls' wear, household textiles and general clothing shops	69,560	628,151	298,971	58,874	877,095	270,712
Household goods shops	54,081	454,299	206,017	60,343	948,335	264,686
Furniture and allied shops	16,104	232,473	81,653	16,498	371,346	90,974
Radio and electrical goods shops (excluding hire)	11,761	93,003	50,256	16,517	269,942	76,039
Radio and television hire shops	168	1,678	492	2,225	71,350	15,829
Hardware, china, wallpaper and paint shops	26,048	127,145	73,616	25,103	235,696	81,844
Other non-food retailers	69,217	420,591	256,087	60,113	706,913	237,208
Bookshops and stationers	10,388	67,359	53,462	5,967	83,721	28,713
Chemists, photographic dealers	18,205	167,037	86,894	18,097	346,504	102,173
Cycle and perambulator shops	8,865	46,178	25,068	5,630	38,509	13,805
Jewellery, leather and sports goods shops	18,896	87,914	51,579	17,506	162,745	55,572
Other non-food shops	12,863	52,103	39,084	12,913	75,433	36,945
General stores	1,641	436,115	190,578	3,750	929,687	312,745
Department stores	529	308,339	129,304	784	545,421	181,757
Variety and general household stores	1,112	127,776	61,274	2,966	384,266	130,988
Market stalls and mobile shops[7]	. .	. .	. .	35,006	90,749	39,462
Electricity Board showrooms [8]	1,107	15,963	. .	1,333	55,029	. .
Gas Board showrooms [8]	1,347	22,875	. .	1,458	49,145	. .
Mail order businesses[9]	434	45,879	13,238	556	226,673	40,589
Automatic vending machine operators[9]	. .	. .	. .	26	4,072	992
Service trades						
Footwear repairers	18,467	18,983	34,199	11,154	25,436	24,183
Hairdressers	33,113	38,153	84,232	40,152	97,267	139,175
Laundries, launderettes and dry cleaners[9] [10]	. .	. .	. .	4,573	112,483	136,819

[1] The figures for 1950, 1961 and 1966 may differ from those previously published. They have been adjusted to correspond as far as possible with the 1971 figures. Differences arise from changes in presentation and classification. Detailed notes on the kinds of business to which shops are classified appear in Appendix B of the *Report on the Census of Distribution and Other Services 1971* (HMSO). [2] As defined in the table except for 1950 when sales through automatic vending machines were not covered in the census. [3] Retail shops include fixed lockable premises in permanent markets, mobile shops and non-lockable market stalls belonging to co-operative societies and multiple retailers, distributing depots from which roundsmen operate and premises used as a base by credit traders whose trade is done by calling on customers. The figures for 1950 however include all market stalls and mobile shops.

[4] – [10] See page 299.

Source: Business Statistics Office

Retail and allied service trade establishments by kind of business: 1950, 1961, 1966, 1971

TABLE **11.1** *(continued)*

All establishments Great Britain

	1966[1]			1971		
	Number	Turnover £ thousand	Number of persons engaged	Number	Turnover £ thousand	Number of persons engaged
Total retail trade[2]		11,757,314			16,685,462	
Retail shops[3] [4]	504,412	11,131,816	2,555,737	472,991	15,610,730	2,541,430
Co-operative societies	26,684	1,015,938	173,458	15,413	1,107,999	132,204
Multiples[5]	73,852	3,837,244	741,833	66,785	6,083,560	814,666
Independents[6]	403,876	6,278,634	1,640,446	390,793	8,419,171	1,594,560
Grocers and provision dealers	123,385	2,907,655	522,343	105,283	4,156,487	542,676
Other food retailers	104,359	2,081,314	459,358	92,524	2,614,683	418,437
Dairymen	4,456	442,342	67,320	3,853	563,190	59,287
Butchers	38,351	727,972	139,073	33,939	894,174	123,614
Fishmongers, poulterers	5,466	80,402	20,331	4,678	82,456	15,481
Greengrocers, fruiterers (including those selling fish)	27,172	314,180	89,195	23,318	383,058	85,917
Bread and flour confectioners	18,099	292,629	114,778	17,299	332,598	106,421
Off-licences	10,815	223,789	28,661	9,437	359,207	27,717
Confectioners, tobacconists, newsagents	63,333	1,045,572	297,762	52,064	1,305,875	275,458
Clothing and footwear shops	83,095	1,719,336	410,503	81,279	2,371,766	403,744
Footwear shops	13,519	258,909	65,229	13,445	349,347	68,661
Men's and boys' wear shops	15,099	350,246	72,153	14,619	482,527	71,046
Women's and girls' wear, household textiles and general clothing shops	54,477	1,110,181	273,121	53,215	1,539,891	264,037
Household goods shops	65,850	1,292,186	289,549	70,342	2,006,634	289,691
Furniture and allied shops	19,469	526,244	103,527	22,131	725,932	92,759
Radio and electrical goods shops (excluding hire)	16,691	327,674	77,253	17,942	572,511	76,610
Radio and television hire shops	3,881	131,786	23,424	3,808	225,396	28,196
Hardware, china, wallpaper and paint shops	25,809	306,481	85,345	26,461	482,795	92,126
Other non-food retailers	61,381	1,019,225	269,738	66,724	1,568,726	298,043
Bookshops and stationers	5,841	122,150	33,801	6,001	189,089	36,255
Chemists, photographic dealers	17,959	501,325	114,901	16,670	728,966	116,382
Cycle and perambulator shops	3,841	31,094	9,490	2,793	38,791	7,372
Jewellery, leather and sports goods shops	19,086	255,292	66,469	21,786	404,338	76,404
Other non-food shops	14,654	109,364	45,077	19,474	207,543	61,630
General stores	3,009	1,066,529	306,484	4,775	1,586,559	313,381
Department stores	760	652,849	178,914	818	950,030	181,567
Variety and general household stores	2,249	413,680	127,570	3,957	636,529	131,814
Market stalls and mobile shops[7]	. .	. .	. .	31,790	146,965	37,829
Electricity Board showrooms [8]	1,332	83,850	. .	1,218	144,118	6,752
Gas Board showrooms [8]	1,680	101,930	. .	1,141	139,182	3,827
Mail order businesses[9]	495	428,834	54,787	771	632,585	59,816
Automatic vending machine operators [9]	56	10,884	2,156	65	11,882	1,787
Service trades						
Footwear repairers	8,769	26,039	19,154	5,494	22,412	10,996
Hairdressers	47,632	135,823	163,298	47,191	166,158	154,950
Laundries, launderettes and dry cleaners [9] [10]	5,621	172,287	141,329	8,405	212,349	115,488

[1]–[3] See page 298. [4] Excluding Electricity and Gas Board showrooms. [5] Organisations, other than co-operative societies, with 10 or more branches. [6] Organisations, other than co-operative societies, with less than 10 branches. [7] Excluding fixed lockable stalls in permanent markets and non-lockable stalls and mobile shops belonging to co-operative societies and multiple retailers. Non-lockable stalls and mobile shops other than those belonging to co-operative societies and multiple retailers were not covered in the Census for 1966. The figures given are for returns received only, no estimates having been made for non-response. [8] In 1950 and 1961 charges for the installation, maintenance and repair of appliances are excluded from figures of turnover but included in 1966 and 1971. [9] Numbers of organisations are given: separate figures are not collected for the individual establishments of these types of retail and service trade organisations. [10] In 1961 excluding firms engaged in the hire of linen and industrial clothing which are included for 1966 and 1971.

Source: Business Statistics Office

Retail trade; index numbers of value and volume [1] [2]

TABLE 11.2

Great Britain

	Sales in 1966 £ million	Weekly average 1971 = 100			Sales in 1971 £ million	Weekly average 1971 = 100				
		1968	1969	1970		1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Value										
All kinds of business: total all retailers	11,549	80.4	84.9	91.4	15,895	112.0	126.9	146.7	174.5	200.3
Independent retailers	5,802	83	86	92	7,530	109	121	138	161	182
Multiple retailers	3,784	76	82	90	5,831	115	133	156	188	219
Co-operative societies	1,000	88	92	94	1,134	108	120	140	172	202
Department stores	535	78	83	90	781	116	131	147	175	204
Mail order businesses	429	82	88	99	619	124	149	180	211	243
Food shops: total all retailers	5,016	81.2	87.0	92.1	6,693	108.9	122.8	144.5	174.6	204.4
Independent retailers	2,596	84	88	93	3,247	107	119	138	164	188
Multiple retailers	1,641	76	84	90	2,548	113	130	155	190	224
Co-operative societies	779	87	92	94	898	107	118	138	172	206
Grocers[3]	2,957	80	87	92	4,062	110	124	149	180	209
Butchers	736	85	89	93	905	108	127	147	170	194
Greengrocers, fruiterers	320	85	90	94	381	105	116	133	161	189
Fishmongers, poulterers	82	92	93	95	84	110	125	142	161	182
Bread and flour confectioners[4]	256	85	88	92	323	109	119	144	167	185
Off-licences	219	70	79	91	355	113	131	159	201	249
Dairymen	447	82	85	91	584	105	112	106	142	187
Non-food shops: total all retailers	6,533	79.9	83.3	90.9	9,202	114.2	129.9	148.2	174.4	197.3
Clothing and footwear shops: total all retailers	1,771	82	85	92	2,314	112	128	149	172	190
Independent retailers	777	87	88	93	920	109	119	132	147	159
Multiple retailers	886	77	82	91	1,290	115	136	162	191	216
Co-operative societies	109	99	97	96	104	106	115	134	148	153
Footwear shops	269	81	85	92	349	112	126	144	165	189
Men's wear shops	366	81	84	92	487	111	126	143	156	166
Women's wear shops	1,137	82	86	92	1,479	112	130	152	178	199
Durable goods shops: total all retailers	1,229	79	79	87	1,801	118	136	143	166	186
Independent retailers	650	81	81	88	886	115	128	137	156	168
Multiple retailers	488	75	77	86	802	122	142	147	173	198
Co-operative societies	91	84	81	86	113	121	143	164	200	227
Furniture shops[5]	501	84	83	88	661	113	125	128	151	169
Other durable goods shops[5] : total	638	75	77	86	1,027	121	141	151	173	192
Radio, electrical, cycle and perambulator shops	350	71	72	84	600	120	141	149	166	181
Electricity showrooms	65	68	72	84	131	115	126	109	125	139
Gas showrooms	92	92	90	92	117	124	113	128	156	173
Radio and television rental specialists	131	83	85	91	179	130	173	202	240	277
Department stores	535	78	83	90	781	116	131	147	175	204
Mail order businesses	429	82	88	99	619	124	149	180	211	243
Miscellaneous non-food shops	2,570	79	84	91	3,687	111	125	145	174	199
Confectioners, tobacconists, newsagents	1,040	87	89	95	1,293	108	117	138	171	199
Booksellers, stationers[6]	80	66	75	86	153	112	127	146	173	196
Chemists, photographic goods dealers [7]	353	76	80	87	520	114	132	153	182	208
Jewellers	124	81	83	91	196	121	145	178	202	217
Leather goods, sports goods, toys and fancy goods shops	130	76	81	90	199	114	131	153	179	201
Ironmongers and hardware shops[5]	300	71	77	87	512	114	128	145	166	186
Variety and other general stores	397	78	84	92	580	112	124	142	177	201
Other miscellaneous non-food shops[8]	104	74	80	88	178	106	118	133	144	159

See footnotes on page 301.

Source: Department of Trade

Retail trade: index numbers of value and volume[1] [2]

Great Britain

TABLE **11.2** *(continued)*

	Sales in 1966 £ million	Weekly average 1971=100			Sales in 1971 £ million	Weekly average 1971=100				
		1968	1969	1970		1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Volume										
All kinds of business	11,549	97.2	97.3	99.0	15,895	105.8	110.7	109.9	107.9	108.1
Food shops	5,016	100.5	101.6	101.7	6,693	101.5	101.0	101.8	99.3	99.1
Non-food shops	6,533	94.8	94.2	97.1	9,202	109.0	117.7	115.9	114.2	114.6
Clothing and footwear shops	1,771	96	96	98	2,314	105	109	107	108	108
Durable goods shops	1,229	92	89	92	1,801	115	127	123	121	124
Other non-food shops	3,533	96	96	99	5,087	109	118	117	115	114

[1] A description of the series was published in *Trade and Industry* for 5 October 1972. [2] The series are based on the provisional results of the Census of Distribution for 1971 (see *Trade and Industry* for 8 November 1973). [3] Including the bakery departments of co-operative societies. [4] Excluding the bakery departments of co-operative societies. [5] Excluding co-operative societies. [6] Independent retailers only. [7] Excluding receipts under the national health service. [8] Including florists, nurserymen and garden seedsmen, pet shops, pawnbrokers and general second hand dealers.

Source: Department of Trade

Index numbers of turnover in the catering trades

Great Britain

TABLE **11.3**

	Weekly average 1964=100			Turnover in 1969 £ million	Weekly average 1964=100						
	1967	1968	1969		1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Catering[1]											
Total all caterers	113	117	126	2,533	108	118	131	148	170	201	230
Licensed hotels and holiday camps	114	122	131	408	111	123	140	162	186	216	257
Restaurants, cafes, etc., and fish and chip shops	112	116	122	623	106	113	124	140	157	178	199
Public houses	115	118	128	1,349	109	121	134	150	174	211	240
Canteens	105	109	113	153	103	105	111	123	143	166	191

[1] Descriptions of the method of calculation and the basis of the current series were published in the *Board of Trade Journal* for 18 November 1966 and *Trade and Industry* for 12 April 1973 respectively.

Source: Department of Trade

Research and Development

Survey of scientific research and development

The most recent information on scientific research and development in all sectors of the economy is based on an enquiry for 1972/73; the previous enquiry related to 1969/70.

Figures for recent years have been brought together in Table 11.11, but there are considerable difficulties in assessing trends over the period. The responsibilities of government departments and research councils have changed over time, and the method of estimating universities' expenditure, for which no direct measure is available, has been changed for the two most recent years shown. Total expenditure in the United Kingdom fell from a consistent 2.6 per cent of the gross national product at factor cost in the 1960's to 2.3 per cent in 1972/73.

Period covered

For the 1975/76 enquiry, industrial firms were asked to provide figures relating to the calendar year 1975 or the business year ending on a date between 6 April 1975 and 5 April 1976. The returns from government departments relate to the financial year ended 31 March 1973. The estimates for the universities in Great Britain relate to the academic year 1971/72 and other figures relate to the financial year ended 31 March 1973.

Definitions of sectors

The sectors of the economy used in the analyses are defined as follows:

Government covers central government in Great Britain and Northern Ireland (including the Atomic Energy Authority) and local authorities. The figures given for Defence include the defence budget elements of the expenditure of the former Ministries of Technology and Public Building and Works. The Research Councils are: Agricultural Research Council, Medical Research Council, Natural Environment Research Council and Science Research Council.

Universities and further education establishments. The figures of work carried out cover universities, Cranfield Institute of Technology, the Royal College of Art, and such further education establishments as were thought to incur appreciable expenditure on research and development. The figures for work done in universities and further education establishments and financed from central and local government sources, represent in part general grants and in part payments for specific items of research and development.

Public corporations are as listed in *National Accounts Statistics, Sources and Methods* (HMSO) and therefore include the Post Office.

Research associations. None of the research associations are now grant aided.

Private industry covers firms in private manufacturing, construction, mining and quarrying industries, private water companies and the distributive and wholesale trades. Agriculture is excluded.

Other. The figures in the row for funds provided include receipts by Government, universities and industry, etc. from individuals, and from sales of patents, licences and equipment, etc.; and may include some receipts from industry for contract research.

The figures in the column for work carried out include payments for research work made by government and industry, etc. to: individuals (including postgraduate awards and research training grants from Research Councils); consultants; private research organisations; research institutions supported by grants from the Agricultural Research Council, the Medical Research Council and the Natural Environment Research Council; and professional and learned Societies.

Comments on Table 11.11

Figures for private industry have been revised for 1966/67 to 1969/70 from those shown in previous publications. In the earlier figures estimates of government assistance to industry were based on information from government rather than from companies. The figures, for Total as returned by government and Total as returned by sectors carrying out the work, now correspond exactly to their descriptions. The discrepancy between these two lines is due in part to timing (see *Period covered,* above) and also to the adoption by central government of a wider definition of research and development.

Comments on Table 11.12

Product group classification. Firms covered in the survey were asked to provide figures for each product group in which they had incurred research and development expenditure. Product groups generally correspond quite closely to industry groups, since manufacturing industries are defined in terms of the products they make and a high proportion of the output of a particular product usually comes from a single industry group. Fuller details are given in the publication *Trade and Industry* for 24 June, 1977 and 1 July, 1977. Some amendments have been made to the figures since publication.

Cost of scientific research and development: analysis by sector

Work performed within each sector

TABLE **11.1**

	1966/67		1967/68		1968/69		1969/70		1972/73	
	£ million	Percentage	£ million	Percentage	£ million	Percentage	£ million	Percentage	£ million	Percentage
Sector carrying out the work										
Central government										
Defence	110.3	*12.3*	109.0	*11.6*	113.4	*11.4*	104.8	*10.0*	133.0	*10.2*
Civil:										
Research councils	30.9	*3.4*	37.6	*4.0*	40.8	*4.1*	46.9	*4.5*	64.2	*4.9*
Other	87.4	*9.7*	91.6	*9.7*	94.6	*9.5*	110.2	*10.5*	138.2	*10.6*
Local government	0.4	—	0.4	—	0.4	—	0.8	*0.1*	1.3	*0.1*
Total	229.0	*25.4*	238.6	*25.3*	249.2	*25.0*	262.7	*25.1*	336.7	*25.8*
Universities and further education establishments[1]	66.2	*7.4*	75.2	*8.0*	84.2	*8.4*	80.4	*7.7*	115.6	*8.8*
Public corporations	30.7	*3.4*	41.6	*4.4*	41.0	*4.1*	44.9	*4.3*	69.2	*5.3*
Research associations	14.4	*1.6*	13.0	*1.4*	14.5	*1.5*	16.5	*1.6*	18.8	*1.4*
Private industry [2] [3]	535.3	*59.5*	550.0	*58.4*	583.3	*58.4*	619.0	*59.2*	739.2	*56.4*
Other	23.8	*2.7*	23.8	*2.5*	25.8	*2.6*	21.9	*2.1*	30.6	*2.3*
Total cost of research and development performed	899.4	*100.0*	942.2	*100.0*	998.0	*100.0*	1,045.4	*100.0*	1,310.1	*100.0*

Finance provided by each sector

	1966/67		1967/68		1968/69		1969/70		1972/73	
	£ million	Percentage	£ million	Percentage	£ million	Percentage	£ million	Percentage	£ million	Percentage
Sector providing the funds										
Central government [4]										
Defence	244.5	*26.0*	225.9	*23.2*	217.1	*21.2*	220.6	*21.2*	327.3	*22.2*
Civil:										
Research councils	48.8	*5.2*	57.1	*5.9*	62.6	*6.1*	72.5	*7.0*	106.1	*7.2*
Other	174.9	*18.6*	200.5	*20.6*	228.1	*22.3*	230.2	*22.1*	283.6	*19.2*
Local government	1.8	*0.2*	1.8	*0.2*	2.2	*0.2*	3.6	*0.3*	4.9	*0.3*
Total as returned by Government	470.0	*50.0*	485.3	*49.9*	510.0	*49.8*	526.9	*50.6*	721.9	*48.9*
Total as returned by sectors carrying out work	450.2	*50.0*	470.2	*49.9*	496.9	*49.8*	529.4	*50.6*	640.0	*48.9*
Universities [1]	5.0	*0.6*	5.7	*0.6*	6.4	*0.6*	10.0	*1.0*	13.2	*1.0*
Public corporations	35.3	*3.9*	44.5	*4.7*	45.6	*4.6*	51.7	*5.0*	76.1	*5.8*
Private industry [2] [3]	356.3	*39.6*	363.7	*38.6*	395.3	*39.6*	397.4	*38.0*	491.8	*37.5*
Overseas	25.9	*2.9*	30.3	*3.2*	36.5	*3.7*	40.2	*3.8*	72.6	*5.5*
Other	26.7	*3.0*	27.8	*3.0*	17.3	*1.7*	16.7	*1.6*	16.4	*1.3*
Total	899.4	*100.0*	942.2	*100.0*	998.0	*100.0*	1,045.4	*100.0*	1,310.1	*100.0*

[1] University figures from 1969/70 have been estimated on a revised basis. Figures for 1969/70 on a comparable basis with earlier years would show a further £10.7 million work performed; the associated changes to source of funds would be (in £ million): other government (+18.3); Universities (−3.2); Private industry (−1.9); Overseas (−0.7); Other (−1.8). [2] Up to and including 1967/68 this covers research and development (R and D) budgets only: other monies earned by R and D departments of private industry and used for their R and D programmes are included under the category Other. The sums involved are estimated to be: 1964/65, £7.8 million; 1966/67, £13.5 million; 1967/68, £12.6 million. From 1968/69 any receipts of this kind that would be identified have been included with R and D budgets under this heading. [3] Including £0.6 million in 1966/67, £0.7 million in 1967/68, £0.5 million in 1968/69, £0.9 million in 1969/70 and £0.6 million in 1972/73 financed by research associations. [4] The percentages applying to the government sector have been calculated using the figures returned by the sectors carrying out the work and these percentages have been apportioned *pro rata* over those subdivisions of the government sector shown here.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Cost of scientific research and development in industry

Work performed within, or financed by, industry [1] : by sector and product group 1969/70

TABLE 11.12

£ thousand

Product group	Total expenditure	Research and development carried out within following industrial sectors				Research and development financed by industry and carried out by other sectors [2]
		Total industry	Private industry	Public corporations	Research associations	
Total	693,872	680,340	618,985	44,905	16,450	13,532
of which product groups covering:						
Total manufacturing	683,502	670,621	614,135	41,383	15,104	12,881
Food, drink, tobacco	22,812	21,641	20,743	28	870	1,171
Chemicals: Total	108,580	104,490	101,881	1,527	1,081	4,090
Pharmaceutical products	26,207	24,231	24,214	13	4	1,976
Plastics	14,261	14,199	13,914	117	167	62
Chemicals and coal products	56,381	54,557	52,260	1,387	910	1,824
Petroleum products	11,731	11,503	11,493	10	—	228
Iron and steel	10,563	10,405	2,575	6,916	915	158
Non-ferrous metals	7,936	7,766	6,794	16	956	170
Mechanical engineering: Total	61,111	60,334	45,206	11,954	3,174	777
Agricultural machinery	1,511	1,502	1,499	3	—	9
Textile machinery	2,410	2,371	2,097	30	244	39
Machine tools and parts	5,304	5,210	4,202	66	941	94
Industrial plant and steelwork	17,530	17,406	7,612	8,838	956	124
Mechanical handling and contractors' plant	4,749	4,725	3,960	760	5	24
Industrial and marine engines	29,609	29,122	25,836	29	97	487
Other				2,228	931	
Metal products not elsewhere specified	8,974	8,871	8,227	148	496	103
Ships and marine engineering	4,909	4,866	3,839	8	1,019	43
Scientific instruments	17,461	17,304	16,214	231	859	157
Electrical engineering: Total	184,689	180,629	162,243	17,141	1,245	4,060
Computers	23,723	23,654	22,942	655	57	69
Electronics and telecommunications	120,673	117,485	105,098	12,216	171	3,188
Electrical machinery	24,854	24,675	20,360	3,441	874	179
Domestic appliances	3,348	2,829	2,783	1	44	519
Other	12,093	11,988	11,060	828	99	105
Motor vehicles	49,158	48,937	48,218	212	506	221
Railway equipment	2,791	2,699	161	2,538	1	92
Aerospace (including air cushion vehicles)	159,149	157,782	157,265	517	—	1,367
Textiles and man-made fibres	15,728	15,686	14,488	22	1,176	42
Clothing, footwear, leather	1,396	1,372	940	—	432	24
Stone, clay and glass products	12,022	11,922	10,926	124	872	100
Timber, furniture, paper, printing, publishing	6,523	6,383	5,395	—	988	140
Rubber and rubber products	4,823	4,774	4,275	1	498	49
Other manufactures	4,881	4,762	4,744	2	15	119
Construction [3]	3,519	3,127	2,403	110	614	392
Other research and development	6,851	6,592	2,448	3,412	732	259

[1] 'Industry' comprises the three sectors: private industry, public corporations and research associations. [2] Government establishments, universities, non-profit organisations. [3] The figures for this product group do not include the sums for the appreciable development work undertaken on sites, particularly work undertaken in civil engineering.

Source: Department of Industry

Cost of scientific research and development in industry

Work performed within, or financed by, industry: by sector and product group 1972/73

TABLE **11.12** *(continued)*

£ thousand

Product group	Total expenditure	Research and development carried out within following industrial sectors				Research and development financed by industry and carried out by other sectors[4]
		Total industry	Private industry	Public corporations	Research associations	
Total	838,517	830,529	742,516	69,165	18,848	7,989
Mining and quarrying[1]	3,383	3,333	1,959	363	1,012	50
Manufactures: Total	811,406	806,156	736,696	54,020	15,440	5,250
Food, drink, tobacco	26,631	26,084	24,643	–	1,442	546
Chemical and allied products: Total	140,773	137,849	135,170	1,425	1,254	2,926
Petroleum products	13,802	13,585	13,585	–	–	218
Pharmaceutical products	43,195	41,907	41,907	–	–	1,288
Paint	4,089	4,087	3,800	–	287	2
Synthetic rubber, resins and plastic materials	14,815	14,773	14,425	–	348	43
Other chemicals	64,872	63,497	61,453	1,425	619	1,375
Iron and steel	14,250	14,092	2,009	11,355	728	158
Non-ferrous metals	6,722	6,622	5,661	85	876	100
Mechanical engineering: Total	55,132	54,775	36,161	16,347	2,267	355
Metal-working machine tools	2,811	2,786	1,587	105	1,093	25
Textile machinery	2,741	2,684	2,358	–	327	56
Mechanical handling and contractors plant	4,068	4,035	2,521	1,514	–	33
Industrial plant and steelwork	17,021	16,907	4,507	11,935	465	113
Other machinery and equipment	28,491	28,363	25,188	2,793	382	128
Scientific instruments and systems	20,823	20,706	19,933	87	686	117
Electrical engineering: Total	219,611	219,151	193,940	23,535	1,676	462
Electronic computers	27,300	27,289	26,979	22	288	11
Electronic components and apparatus including telecommunications	152,089	151,720	133,271	18,294	155	370
Electrical machinery	24,492	24,441	19,642	3,745	1,055	50
Insulated wires and cables	5,526	5,507	4,158	1,256	93	20
Domestic appliances	2,925	2,924	2,664	218	41	2
Miscellaneous electrical goods	7,279	7,270	7,226	–	44	9
Ships and marine engines	7,150	7,101	5,875	114	1,111	49
Motor vehicles	58,265	58,140	57,164	222	754	125
Aerospace (including air cushion vehicles)	208,416	208,337	208,092	223	22	78
Metal goods not elsewhere specified	8,690	8,657	7,905	514	237	34
Textiles and man-made fibres	13,376	13,306	12,220	–	1,086	71
Leather, leather goods and fur	239	239	111	–	128	1
Clothing and footwear	831	830	353	–	477	1
Building materials and abrasives	4,564	4,481	3,941	–	540	84
Pottery, china and glass	7,537	7,490	7,160	–	330	46
Timber and furniture	978	977	386	41	550	1
Paper, paper products and publishing	5,616	5,600	5,102	–	498	17
Rubber and rubber goods	5,885	5,867	5,104	–	763	17
Other manufactures	5,918	5,857	5,769	73	15	61
Construction[2]	3,198	3,069	1,630	295	1,144	129
Utilities and services[3]	20,531	17,971	2,231	14,488	1,253	2,560

[1] Mining and quarrying products, petroleum and natural gas exploration and extraction. [2] The figures for this product group do not include the sums for the appreciable development work undertaken on sites: particularly work undertaken in civil engineering. [3] Gas, electricity, water, railway, road, sea and air transport systems, industrial health and safety, etc. [4] Government establishments, universities, non-profit organisations.

Source: Department of Industry

Cost of scientific research and development in industry

Work performed within, or financed by, industry:

by sector and product group

TABLE 11.12 *(continued)*

1975

£ million

Product group	Total expenditure	Research and development carried out within following industrial sectors				Research and development financed by industry and carried out by other sectors[4]
		Total industry	Private industry	Public corporations	Research associations	
Total	1,352.3	1,340.1	1,185.1	124.0	31.1	12.2
Mining and quarrying[1]	6.4	5.4	4.6	0.7	—	1.1
Manufactures: Total	1,302.4	1,293.4	1,172.4	98.8	22.2	9.0
Food, drink, tobacco	50.3	49.5	47.7	0.1	1.7	0.9
Chemical and allied products: Total	251.0	245.4	237.6	5.4	2.4	5.5
Petroleum products	18.3	18.1	18.1	—	—	0.2
Pharmaceutical products	81.4	78.7	78.7	—	—	2.7
Paint	7.2	7.2	6.8	—	0.4	—
Synthetic rubber, resins and plastic materials	26.8	26.7	25.5	0.1	1.1	0.1
Other chemicals	117.3	114.8	108.5	5.3	0.9	2.5
Iron and steel	27.7	27.5	3.5	23.1	1.0	0.2
Non-ferrous metals	8.7	8.6	7.1	0.3	1.3	0.1
Mechanical engineering: Total	104.4	103.4	71.0	30.1	2.3	0.6
Metal-working machine tools	5.7	5.7	4.3	—	1.3	—
Textile machinery	3.6	3.6	3.4	—	0.2	—
Mechanical handling and contractors plant	7.6	7.6	5.6	1.9	—	0.1
Industrial plant and steelwork	27.8	27.4	7.4	19.4	0.6	0.3
Other machinery and equipment	59.3	59.2	50.3	8.7	0.2	0.2
Scientific instruments and systems	26.1	25.9	21.1	3.8	1.0	0.2
Electrical engineering: Total	352.4	351.9	315.1	34.9	2.0	0.5
Electronic computers	51.0	50.9	50.3	0.4	0.3	0.1
Electronic components and apparatus including telecommunications	228.3	228.0	200.3	27.5	0.2	0.3
Electrical machinery	33.8	33.8	27.7	4.7	1.3	—
Insulated wires and cables	11.4	11.4	9.0	2.2	0.2	0.1
Domestic appliances	6.5	6.4	6.3	0.1	—	—
Miscellaneous electrical goods	21.5	21.4	21.4	—	—	—
Ships and marine engines	16.2	16.1	14.0	—	2.1	0.1
Motor vehicles	88.5	88.3	86.9	—	1.4	0.1
Aerospace (including air cushion vehicles)	291.9	291.5	291.5	—	0.1	0.3
Metal goods not elsewhere specified	11.1	11.1	9.9	0.9	0.3	0.1
Textiles and man-made fibres	26.3	26.1	24.5	—	1.6	0.1
Leather, leather goods and fur, Clothing and footwear	1.6	1.6	0.7	—	0.9	—
Building materials and abrasives	6.8	6.7	6.4	0.1	0.3	0.1
Pottery, china and glass	11.1	11.1	10.5	—	0.5	—
Timber and furniture	1.6	1.6	0.6	—	1.0	—
Paper, paper products and publishing	8.2	8.2	7.4	0.1	0.7	—
Rubber and rubber goods	9.9	9.8	8.5	—	1.3	—
Other manufactures	9.0	8.9	8.5	0.1	0.3	0.1
Construction[2]	6.1	6.1	2.1	0.3	3.6	—
Utilities and services[3]	37.1	35.0	5.6	24.2	5.2	2.1

[1] Mining and quarrying products, petroleum and natural gas exploration and extraction. [2] The figures for this product group do not include the sums for the appreciable development work undertaken on sites: particularly work undertaken in civil engineering. [3] Gas, electricity, water, railway, road, sea and air transport systems, industrial health and safety, etc. [4] Government establishments, universities, non-profit organisations.

Source: Department of Industry

XII. External Trade

The tables covering external trade have been compiled from information published or to be published in the *Annual Statement of the Trade of the United Kingdom* and from the *Monthly Overseas Trade Statistics of the United Kingdom.* The statistics on Table 12.1 are on a balance of payments basis; all other statistics in this section are on an *Overseas Trade Statistics* basis. The adjustment of the value of external trade on an Overseas Trade Statistics basis to a balance of payments basis is shown in Table 13.3. For more detailed figures, notes and definitions relating to external trade, reference should be made to these volumes and also to the *Supplement of Definitions and Explanatory Notes to the Monthly Digest of Statistics.*

Changes in the coverage of the overseas trade statistics are made from time to time but as far as possible figures in this report have been adjusted to the current basis. Re-exports have not been separately distinguished in the statistics of United Kingdom trade since 1 January 1970 and are included with exports of United Kingdom produce. All the figures in these tables have been adjusted to include re-exports with exports. The statistics of exports (except those in Table 12.1) do not contain any allowance for the under-recording of exports.

Parcel post figures are based on estimated values of parcels which are revised periodically. Estimates used for 1966 and later periods are based on a parcel post sample survey conducted in 1968/1969.

From 1 January 1970 imports and exports, other than by parcel post, of low individual value are aggregated under Section 9 as Commodities and transactions not classified according to kind. Up to 31 August 1973 this applied to consignments worth less than £50; with effect from 1 September 1973 this was extended to cover consignments worth less than £100. This trade, amounting to a very small proportion of total trade, is not analysed either by commodity or country. Figures for 1970 to 1976 for individual commodity and country headings are therefore deficient to the extent of these consignments.

Visible trade of the United Kingdom

TABLE **12.1**

On a balance of payments basis[1]

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Value (£ million)											
Imports (f.o.b.)	5,342	5,796	7,100	7,425	8,146	8,781	10,151	14,468	21,732	22,664	28,987
Exports (f.o.b.)	5,276	5,241	6,433	7,269	8,121	9,061	9,449	12,115	16,538	19,461	25,416
Visible balance	−66	−555	−667	−156	−25	+280	−702	−2,353	−5,194	−3,203	−3,571
Unit value index numbers (1970 = 100)											
Imports (f.o.b.)	82.6	82.8	92.7	95.6	100.0	104.7	109.7	139.9	217.2	246.1	300.3
Exports (f.o.b.)	82.2	83.4	90.0	93.0	100.0	105.6	111.1	126.0	162.7	198.5	240.6
Terms of trade[2]	99.6	100.8	97.1	97.3	100.0	100.9	101.3	90.1	74.9	80.7	80.1
Volume index numbers (1970 = 100)											
Imports	78.1	84.9	93.6	94.4	100.0	104.2	116.7	133.8	136.4	126.5	134.3
Exports	78.0	77.6	87.3	95.9	100.0	106.7	107.1	122.2	132.0	126.1	136.6

[1] Statistics of visible trade on a balance of payments basis are obtained by making certain adjustments in respect of valuation and coverage to the statistics recorded in the *Overseas Trade Statistics*. These adjustments are summarised in Table 13.3; they are described in detail in *United Kingdom Balance of Payments 1966–76*. [2] Export unit value index as a percentage of the import unit value index.

Source: Department of Trade

Value of the external trade of the United Kingdom

TABLE **12.2**

On an overseas trade statistics basis [1]

£ million

	SITC section code number [2]	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Exports (f.o.b.)											
Total[3]		5,244	6,442	7,352	8,076	9,187	9,759	12,505	16,600	19,921	25,769
Food, beverages and tobacco	0 and 1	356	430	454	514	588	660	876	1,063	1,428	1,692
Basic materials	2 and 4	192	232	250	273	278	321	433	576	561	776
Fuels	3	132	168	173	207	236	239	370	767	814	1,255
Manufactures: total	5–8	4,386	5,413	6,256	6,806	7,825	8,257	10,455	13,685	16,459	21,338
Machinery and transport equipment	7	2,167	2,657	3,032	3,301	3,871	4,014	4,774	6,059	8,233	10,125
Chemicals	5	500	607	693	784	884	962	1,272	2,144	2,179	3,045
Metal and miscellaneous metal manufactures	67–69	608	744	845	959	1,005	1,015	1,310	1,712	1,837	2,345
Textiles	65	258	309	360	396	426	445	590	745	699	934
Other		853	1,096	1,326	1,366	1,639	1,821	2,509	3,025	3,511	4,889
Imports (c.i.f.)											
Total[3]		6,440	7,900	8,317	9,040	9,825	11,143	15,852	23,234	24,128	31,155
Food, beverages and tobacco	0 and 1	1,762	1,900	1,930	2,047	2,176	2,356	3,094	3,762	4,335	4,983
Fuels	3	729	902	907	945	1,247	1,242	1,724	4,626	4,301	5,645
Industrial materials: total	2, 4, 5 and 6	2,611	3,327	3,555	3,862	3,842	4,286	6,239	8,924	8,341	11,262
Basic materials	2 and 4	1,012	1,207	1,253	1,362	1,271	1,323	1,963	2,560	2,204	3,218
Chemicals	5	329	415	464	543	569	651	897	1,579	1,411	1,999
Other semi-manufactures	6	1,271	1,704	1,838	1,957	2,003	2,312	3,380	4,785	4,726	6,045
Finished manufactures: total	7 and 8	1,245	1,653	1,835	2,072	2,431	3,130	4,632	5,550	6,663	8,853
Machinery and transport equipment	7	868	1,189	1,320	1,498	1,730	2,238	3,293	3,903	4,794	6,386
Other	8	377	464	515	574	701	892	1,339	1,647	1,869	2,467

[1] See footnote [1] to Table 12.1 above. [2] Section code numbers in the *Standard International Trade Classification, Revised*. [3] Including Section 9 (Postal packages and commodities not classified according to kind).

Source: Department of Trade

Export and import unit value index numbers

TABLE 12.3

1970 = 100

	SITC section or division code number [1]	*Weights*	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Exports (f.o.b.)												
Total		*1,000*	84.2	90.8	93.8	100.0	105.6	111.1	125.8	161.4	198.3	240.1
Food, beverages and tobacco	0 and 1	*64*	88	92	99	100	106	113	126	148	178	213
Basic materials	2 and 4	*34*	84	90	96	100	104	113	143	181	198	240
Fuels	3	*26*	92	100	98	100	115	116	166	381	439	553
Manufactures: total	5 to 8	*844*	83	90	93	100	105	111	124	155	193	234
Machinery and transport equipment: total	7	*410*	84	91	95	100	110	118	128	153	196	245
Machinery	71 and 72	*276*	83	91	95	100	109	118	128	155	200	250
Transport equipment	73	*134*	85	91	94	100	111	117	129	149	189	234
Chemicals	5	*97*	84	90	93	100	102	104	114	169	209	238
Metals and miscellaneous metal manufactures	67 to 69	*119*	78	85	90	100	99	100	115	164	194	228
Textiles	65	*49*	88	91	96	100	102	104	123	159	177	202
Other manufactures		*169*	84	92	95	100	102	107	125	146	180	221
Imports (c.i.f.)												
Total		*1,000*	82.9	92.7	95.5	100.0	104.9	109.1	138.1	210.3	235.9	288.6
Food, beverages and tobacco	0 and 1	*227*	86	90	94	100	107	114	150	193	219	247
Fuels	3	*105*	93	109	102	100	122	123	164	468	535	704
Industrial materials: total	2, 4, 5 and 6	*427*	80	90	95	100	99	102	131	190	199	239
Basic materials	2 and 4	*151*	80	88	94	100	102	106	141	208	215	260
Chemicals	5	*60*	91	101	100	100	102	104	125	207	229	267
Other semi-manufactures	6	*216*	76	88	95	100	96	99	126	172	180	217
Finished manufactures: total	7 and 8	*229*	82	93	95	100	106	111	128	152	188	237
Machinery and transport equipment: total	7	*166*	81	93	94	100	107	112	127	147	183	232
Machinery	71 and 72	*133*	79	90	92	100	107	109	123	143	181	227
Transport equipment	73	*33*	. .	. .	. .	100	108	124	141	163	194	253
Other	8	*63*	83	92	94	100	102	110	131	164	200	249

Note: These statistics are on an overseas trade statistics basis (*see* footnote [1] to Table 12.1).

[1] Section code numbers in the *Standard International Trade Classification, Revised.*

Source: Department of Trade

Export and import volume index numbers

TABLE **12.4**

1970 = 100

	SITC section or division code number [1]	*Weights*	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Exports												
Total		*1,000*	78.0	88.0	97.6	100.0	108.9	111.3	126.5	132.9	129.8	139.4
Food, beverages and tobacco	0 and 1	*64*	90	91	90	100	109	113	135	142	155	156
Basic materials	2 and 4	*34*	88	97	101	100	99	107	114	115	107	122
Fuels	3	*26*	70	81	86	100	101	102	107	101	93	108
Manufactures: total	5 to 8	*844*	77	88	99	100	110	112	128	135	130	140
Machinery and transport equipment: total	7	*410*	77	88	100	100	108	106	117	125	133	133
Machinery	71 and 72	*276*	75	85	94	100	109	106	119	127	136	135
Transport equipment	73	*134*	81	95	112	100	107	105	114	120	128	130
Chemicals	5	*97*	76	86	95	100	110	118	143	169	142	171
Metals and miscellaneous metal manufactures	67 to 69	*119*	83	92	97	100	107	108	123	116	102	108
Textiles	65	*49*	71	83	92	100	106	111	127	125	105	124
Other manufactures		*169*	75	87	103	100	119	128	148	154	145	168
Imports												
Total		*1,000*	85.0	93.9	95.4	100.0	104.8	116.0	132.7	133.8	124.4	133.5
Food, beverages and tobacco	0 and 1	*227*	101	104	100	100	100	102	102	99	98	101
Fuels	3	*105*	82	87	93	100	109	109	112	106	89	87
Industrial materials: total	2, 4, 5 and 6	*427*	84	95	96	100	101	109	125	129	113	127
Basic materials	2 and 4	*151*	92	100	98	100	91	93	104	93	78	93
Chemicals	5	*60*	64	74	83	100	103	118	140	151	122	150
Other semi-manufactures	6	*216*	83	97	98	100	106	119	136	147	135	145
Finished manufactures: total	7 and 8	*229*	73	85	92	100	115	146	186	189	183	196
Machinery and transport equipment: total	7	*166*	..	..	..	100	113	145	185	188	182	197
Machinery	71 and 72	*133*	..	..	..	100	106	136	176	188	176	186
Transport equipment	73	*33*	..	..	..	100	140	183	219	192	203	241
Other	8	*63*	..	..	..	100	122	147	189	191	186	193

Note: These statistics are on an overseas trade statistics basis (see footnote [1] to Table 12.1).

[1] Section code numbers in the *Standard International Trade Classification, Revised.*

Source: Department of Trade

Value of exports (f.o.b.)

Analysis by sections and divisions

TABLE **12.5**

£ million

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total	5,244.3	6,441.8	7,351.9	8,076.0	9,186.7	9.759.4	12,504.5	16,600.1	19,921.4	25,769.5
0. Food and live animals										
Total	186.1	194.2	219.3	249.0	281.0	345.6	512.1	610.4	884.1	1,034.2
00. Live animals	25.6	20.0	28.9	32.6	25.6	40.4	58.8	45.4	53.4	62.4
01. Meat and meat preparations	11.4	8.5	17.1	21.3	23.4	49.4	79.9	80.0	139.9	182.0
02. Dairy products and eggs	12.0	13.5	14.6	14.4	18.8	22.2	44.4	41.1	51.7	115.0
03. Fish and fish preparations	10.4	12.3	16.2	20.8	26.8	29.3	43.1	51.7	57.8	81.2
04. Cereals and cereal preparations	41.1	40.5	26.5	33.7	38.4	33.9	54.5	76.7	169.1	134.3
05. Fruit and vegetables	15.6	18.8	21.0	22.1	25.5	31.4	43.3	52.7	67.4	84.1
06. Sugar, sugar preparations and honey	23.9	25.1	28.4	30.7	37.4	46.5	61.5	94.8	162.0	128.7
07. Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	26.4	33.3	39.3	41.5	48.9	50.6	61.3	91.6	101.0	142.2
08. Feedingstuff for animals (not including unmilled cereals)	8.6	8.5	9.9	11.4	12.9	16.8	29.6	29.0	32.2	45.2
09. Miscellaneous food preparations	11.4	13.8	17.4	20.5	23.1	25.3	35.5	47.4	49.6	59.2
1. Beverages and tobacco										
Total	169.4	236.0	234.4	265.1	306.6	314.3	363.5	452.9	543.5	658.3
11. Beverages	144.7	204.5	198.2	225.0	263.8	266.3	305.4	384.0	437.1	524.5
12. Tobacco	24.7	31.5	36.2	40.1	42.8	48.0	58.1	68.9	106.3	133.8
2. Crude materials, inedible										
Total	185.7	225.0	240.2	263.5	267.9	309.9	416.3	544.2	533.9	739.5
21. Hides, skins and fur skins, undressed	32.7	44.9	44.3	53.1	59.2	75.6	80.7	91.6	102.3	157.8
23. Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	13.1	17.4	20.4	23.1	25.2	28.1	37.9	53.6	41.8	61.5
26. Textile fibres, not manufactured and their waste	80.1	93.2	101.8	96.5	87.3	108.1	172.1	201.7	184.5	260.3
27. Crude fertilizers and minerals	26.0	33.3	37.7	47.8	48.3	49.4	60.2	79.5	80.0	107.0
28. Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	22.1	22.7	21.3	26.3	29.9	28.8	36.1	72.0	86.1	99.5
Other (22, 24, 25, 29)	11.7	13.5	14.7	16.7	18.0	19.9	29.4	45.9	39.3	53.3
3. Mineral fuels, lubricants, etc.										
Total	132.4	167.8	173.0	206.8	236.3	238.6	370.1	767.1	813.5	1,254.5
32. Coal, coke and briquettes	14.0	18.4	25.0	29.1	22.3	17.0	26.7	62.9	83.8	71.7
33. Petroleum and petroleum products	118.2	148.6	147.3	176.3	212.5	219.3	340.6	696.1	720.7	1,161.5
Other (34 and 35)	0.2	0.9	0.7	1.4	1.5	2.3	2.9	8.2	9.0	21.3
4. Animal and vegetable oils and fats										
Total	6.2	7.3	9.3	9.3	10.6	11.2	17.1	31.5	27.0	36.2
5. Chemicals										
Total	499.9	607.5	693.4	784.4	884.0	961.8	1,272.3	2,143.8	2,178.6	3,045.2
51. Chemical elements and compounds	121.5	154.9	169.8	210.1	231.5	254.6	364.4	730.4	653.4	1,045.3
53. Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	57.2	69.1	76.6	81.3	88.6	106.0	140.5	213.8	201.4	282.1
54. Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	78.8	96.9	118.7	139.7	168.4	180.8	221.2	301.2	373.0	451.9
55. Essential oils and perfume materials, toilet, polishing and cleansing materials	44.5	53.6	62.4	67.0	72.2	77.3	96.8	145.5	169.3	235.7
56. Fertilizers, manufactured	8.4	7.5	5.4	4.8	3.6	7.0	14.8	46.4	53.4	51.1
57. Explosives and pyrotechnic products	8.8	11.4	12.1	11.0	12.0	10.6	12.0	19.7	23.6	27.7
58. Plastic materials and artificial resins	95.2	111.3	129.4	143.1	159.9	176.4	225.2	366.0	354.5	531.5
Other (52 and 59)	85.4	102.7	119.1	127.6	147.6	149.1	197.4	320.8	349.9	419.8
6. Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material										
Total	1,290.5	1,610.2	1,870.8	1,989.6	2,232.3	2,354.6	3,258.8	4,002.7	4,267.8	5,788.4
61. Leather, leather manufactures and dressed furs	33.6	46.0	51.1	50.7	54.7	67.0	83.8	94.4	98.8	148.3
62. Rubber manufactures n.e.s	54.2	61.6	73.0	92.7	103.6	96.4	121.2	166.5	221.0	299.6
63. Wood and cork manufactures (excluding furniture)	5.6	6.8	7.7	11.2	11.8	11.4	15.5	25.4	28.5	53.3
64. Paper, paperboard and manufactures thereof	54.0	66.5	79.3	89.3	97.5	101.7	128.8	199.2	205.8	278.2
65. Textile yarn, fabrics and articles	258.5	309.4	360.5	396.4	425.6	445.3	589.5	745.1	698.7	933.5
66. Non-metallic mineral manufactures	276.2	376.2	454.5	390.2	534.5	617.7	1,010.1	1,060.0	1,177.6	1,730.5
67. Iron and steel	229.7	266.7	287.3	348.2	402.8	376.4	433.2	552.5	681.9	823.4
68. Non-ferrous metals	223.8	292.0	341.4	350.1	297.2	348.3	537.8	689.4	539.1	721.3
69. Manufactures of metal	154.9	185.1	216.2	260.9	304.5	290.4	338.9	470.2	616.4	800.3

Source: Department of Trade

Value of exports (f.o.b.)

Analysis by sections and divisions

TABLE **12.5** *(continued)*

£ million

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
7. Machinery and transport equipment										
Total	2,167.0	2,656.6	3,032.5	3,301.2	3,871.2	4,014.2	4,774.2	6,058.8	8,233.1	10,124.6
71. Machinery other than electric	1,069.1	1,309.7	1,460.1	1,641.7	1,944.7	2,054.2	2,413.2	3,082.9	4,251.9	5,056.1
72. Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances	358.8	423.2	484.2	579.7	648.1	661.9	807.3	1,131.6	1,530.2	2,003.9
73. Transport equipment	738.9	923.6	1,088.2	1,079.8	1,278.5	1,298.1	1,553.6	1,844.2	2,451.0	3,064.6
8. Miscellaneous manufactured articles										
Total	428.2	538.5	659.5	731.2	837.1	926.5	1,149.8	1,479.3	1,779.7	2,379.5
81. Sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fittings	11.2	13.9	17.4	20.8	24.8	23.4	28.5	43.6	56.0	61.0
82. Furniture	14.7	17.9	23.3	25.3	30.1	35.1	44.2	69.4	98.4	142.3
84. Clothing	64.3	84.5	108.6	122.9	129.4	144.4	179.6	229.7	265.8	412.3
85. Footwear	20.2	26.2	33.8	35.6	36.5	32.3	35.6	47.2	52.9	68.2
86. Professional, scientific and controlling instruments, photographic and optical goods, watches and clocks	128.3	155.0	188.2	208.7	253.3	273.6	343.8	424.3	517.9	627.5
Other (83 and 89)	189.6	241.0	288.1	317.9	363.0	417.7	518.2	665.1	788.8	1,068.2
5–8. Manufactured goods	4,385.6	5,412.7	6,256.2	6,806.4	7,824.5	8,257.2	10,455.0	13,684.6	16,459.2	21,337.7
9. Commodities and transactions not classified according to kind										
Total	178.8	198.7	219.5	275.8	259.9	282.6	370.5	509.3	660.2	709.0
Post parcels	121.9	138.9	148.5	159.6	139.8	153.5	172.8	174.2	226.0	284.0
Other	56.9	59.8	71.0	116.2	120.1	129.1	197.7	335.1	434.2	425.0

Source: Department of Trade

Value of imports (c.i.f.)

Analysis by sections and divisions

TABLE **12.6**

£ million

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total	6,439.5	7,899.9	8,317.1	9,039.7	9,824.8	11,143.1	15,851.7	23,234.4	24,128.4	31,154.7
0. Food and live animals										
Total	1,608.6	1,707.4	1,745.8	1,857.9	1,967.6	2,100.7	2,710.3	3,355.6	3,920.7	4,495.4
00. Live animals	50.8	56.5	53.9	56.5	71.3	72.0	80.2	76.9	108.0	84.0
01. Meat and meat preparations	372.0	398.4	432.1	437.8	464.9	540.1	715.8	681.3	701.9	838.5
02. Dairy products and eggs	208.4	199.6	183.0	185.3	238.7	255.4	225.1	332.8	522.6	504.6
03. Fish and fish preparations	67.7	76.9	69.9	74.4	83.4	96.4	132.1	122.0	136.5	191.2
04. Cereals and cereal preparations	222.1	232.1	251.6	280.5	282.7	257.1	369.8	590.9	612.0	747.5
05. Fruit and vegetables	325.3	347.0	356.0	378.2	391.4	429.2	561.3	655.0	690.8	941.5
06. Sugar, sugar preparations and honey	103.0	104.4	112.2	117.0	123.8	145.9	174.6	367.0	631.6	428.8
07. Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	170.6	191.9	182.6	208.7	197.3	187.4	248.6	322.1	321.6	493.1
08. Feedingstuff for animals (not including unmilled cereals)	67.2	78.9	81.3	88.1	80.6	84.5	153.6	127.0	110.5	172.8
09. Miscellaneous food preparations	21.4	21.8	23.1	31.4	33.6	32.6	49.1	80.6	85.0	93.6
1. Beverages and tobacco										
Total	153.8	192.6	183.8	189.4	208.2	255.2	383.5	406.8	414.1	487.9
11. Beverages	64.4	76.0	69.2	79.0	99.3	133.7	229.8	221.3	222.1	251.3
12. Tobacco	89.3	116.6	114.6	110.4	108.9	121.5	153.7	185.4	192.0	236.6
2. Crude materials, inedible										
Total	949.4	1,139.6	1,179.4	1,261.3	1,161.6	1,233.7	1,833.6	2,344.2	2,039.6	3,017.4
21. Hides, skins and fur skins, undressed	50.9	62.5	78.1	70.1	73.9	85.1	112.5	106.3	106.7	171.6
22. Oil seeds, oil nuts and oil kernels	36.7	41.4	38.4	41.7	38.1	51.2	104.0	141.9	127.7	205.6
23. Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	44.5	48.5	60.9	57.6	52.8	47.5	74.8	100.3	92.8	140.5
24. Wood, lumber and cork	191.8	231.1	217.4	237.7	244.8	253.5	458.1	587.2	362.2	585.2
25. Pulp and waste paper	126.2	155.5	164.9	197.8	161.4	171.6	201.0	329.8	357.8	463.3
26. Textile fibres, not manufactured and their waste	196.3	219.4	210.4	183.7	149.9	213.4	322.2	310.3	262.3	438.5
27. Crude fertilizers and minerals	51.8	63.3	63.0	65.2	63.5	59.9	80.9	140.1	155.7	195.3
28. Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	203.1	266.4	290.8	346.5	316.8	284.1	389.1	518.4	469.8	682.9
29. Crude animal and vegetable materials	48.0	51.5	55.4	60.9	60.6	67.4	91.0	109.9	104.6	134.4

Source: Department of Trade

Value of imports (c.i.f.)

Analysis by sections and divisions

TABLE 12.6 (*continued*)

£ million

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
3. Mineral fuels, lubricants, etc.										
Total	729.0	901.5	906.5	944.9	1,246.6	1,241.6	1,723.7	4,626.2	4,300.8	5,645.1
32. Coal, coke and briquettes	0.9	1.0	1.3	3.4	47.3	59.3	29.1	69.1	112.8	90.2
33. Petroleum and petroleum products	713.8	881.6	885.5	924.5	1,184.5	1,166.0	1,678.3	4,532.6	4,159.7	5,511.7
Other (34 and 35)	14.4	19.0	19.4	16.9	14.8	16.3	16.4	24.5	28.2	43.1
4. Animal and vegetable oils and fats										
Total	62.7	67.8	73.2	100.7	108.9	89.4	129.4	216.2	164.7	200.8
5. Chemicals										
Total	328.7	415.4	464.3	542.8	568.7	651.4	896.6	1,578.7	1,410.8	1,999.4
51. Chemical elements and compounds	138.1	169.7	203.7	237.8	236.0	265.2	360.4	711.7	674.6	875.6
53. Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	19.0	26.4	27.8	33.4	38.2	43.2	60.3	78.2	62.2	104.7
54. Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	15.8	19.5	25.5	33.7	37.6	43.7	67.0	92.3	97.0	139.1
55. Essential oils and perfume materials; toilet, polishing and cleansing materials	16.4	20.8	22.0	23.2	26.7	32.7	51.5	76.2	68.7	97.0
56. Fertilizers, manufactured	26.3	29.2	24.2	23.0	25.8	32.8	35.1	57.0	55.1	60.5
58. Plastic materials and artificial resins	65.2	82.4	92.7	110.8	119.4	143.4	204.7	360.9	262.0	462.6
Other (52, 57 and 59)	47.9	67.5	68.4	80.8	84.9	90.3	117.6	202.5	191.2	259.8
6. Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material										
Total	1,270.6	1,704.0	1,838.0	1,957.3	2,003.1	2,311.8	3,379.8	4,785.3	4,725.7	6,044.9
61. Leather, leather manufactures and dressed furs	27.3	33.6	37.4	32.5	38.0	47.2	67.4	60.6	68.9	107.5
62. Rubber manufactures, not elsewhere specified	15.4	27.6	24.7	27.6	33.0	42.4	57.1	87.7	97.2	130.5
63. Wood and cork manufactures (excluding furniture)	81.0	95.9	90.1	108.5	113.9	141.9	244.4	232.2	217.5	290.1
64. Paper, paperboard and manufactures thereof	155.0	185.3	203.6	231.1	256.6	311.4	401.9	725.1	621.8	826.1
65. Textile yarn, fabrics and articles	182.0	231.2	238.7	256.3	325.0	369.7	514.6	687.6	682.4	911.3
66. Non-metallic mineral manufactures, not elsewhere specified	250.8	337.7	384.9	373.8	459.3	564.3	855.2	974.2	1,062.6	1,363.2
67. Iron and steel	120.1	154.9	174.2	222.4	206.5	252.1	373.3	716.3	823.9	965.7
68. Non-ferrous metal	379.5	567.2	608.7	608.4	460.4	446.6	660.6	1,015.6	819.2	1,035.3
69. Manufactures of metal, not elsewhere specified	59.4	70.7	75.8	96.7	110.4	136.3	205.2	286.0	332.2	415.1
7. Machinery and transport equipment										
Total	867.8	1,188.6	1,320.4	1,498.0	1,730.5	2,238.3	3,292.8	3,902.9	4,793.7	6,385.9
71. Machinery other than electric	511.8	632.6	681.2	856.4	903.0	1,040.5	1,526.2	1,958.8	2,568.5	3,254.5
72. Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances	184.3	236.9	267.3	342.9	375.1	527.8	847.4	1,009.4	1,045.8	1,382.4
73. Transport equipment	171.6	319.1	371.9	298.7	452.4	670.0	919.2	934.7	1,179.4	1,749.0
8. Miscellaneous manufactured articles										
Total	376.7	464.2	514.6	574.1	700.9	891.8	1,338.8	1,646.5	1,869.4	2,466.8
82. Furniture	11.2	14.0	13.5	15.6	21.4	35.1	62.9	70.0	92.0	122.5
84. Clothing	83.4	110.1	124.5	129.4	178.2	218.8	333.2	402.4	505.1	683.7
85. Footwear	26.7	32.8	35.5	40.6	54.6	62.4	84.3	109.1	123.3	165.5
86. Professional, scientific and controlling instruments; photographic and optical goods; watches and clocks	98.4	110.1	115.4	141.7	166.0	199.7	281.7	376.8	446.8	574.3
Other (81, 83 and 89)	157.1	197.3	225.7	246.7	280.8	375.8	576.7	688.3	702.2	920.7
5–8. Manufactured goods	2,843.7	3,772.3	4,137.3	4,572.1	5,003.2	6,093.4	8,908.0	11,913.5	12,799.6	16,896.9
9. Commodities and transactions not classified according to kind										
Total	92.4	118.8	91.1	113.4	128.5	129.3	163.2	371.9	489.0	411.3
Post parcels	49.0	53.7	52.7	52.4	50.2	51.7	53.8	51.8	81.3	97.1
Other	43.4	65.1	38.4	61.0	78.3	77.6	109.4	320.1	407.7	314.2

Source: Department of Trade

Value of exports (f.o.b.)

TABLE 12.7

Analysis by destination

£ million

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total all countries	5,244.3	6,441.8	7,351.9	8,076.0	9,186.7	9,759.4	12,504.5	16,600.1	19,921.4	25,769.5
European Economic Community										
Total	1,394.1	1,741.0	2,067.3	2,359.2	2,659.9	2,940.3	4,034.1	5.516.2	6,417.3	9,168.2
Germany, Federal Republic	278.5	364.8	419.1	504.5	535.2	590.9	790.1	1,025.9	1,303.3	1,833.9
Netherlands	205.9	256.1	298.1	377.1	409.4	451.4	603.7	982.9	1,114.0	1,498.8
Belgium and Luxembourg	186.2	244.0	292.5	294.2	339.8	394.9	620.8	835.7	922.6	1,400.5
France	218.9	254.3	312.8	339.1	393.5	511.5	678.5	914.1	1,163.8	1,708.8
Italy	157.9	178.8	210.8	242.9	249.2	284.1	386.2	509.9	563.0	825.4
Denmark	146.7	164.0	196.2	220.2	231.6	238.1	329.2	427.4	443.6	654.6
Irish Republic	200.1	279.0	337.8	381.2	501.2	469.4	625.5	820.3	907.0	1,246.2
Rest of Western Europe										
Total	852.1	961.2	1,173.3	1,367.9	1,512.2	1,730.2	2,266.1	2,952.5	3,368.7	4,272.3
Finland	72.7	80.1	101.6	128.9	142.5	137.2	167.8	228.8	264.5	288.8
Sweden	225.2	263.7	301.8	364.5	383.3	404.9	514.4	723.2	825.3	1,045.0
Norway	129.9	127.9	145.1	173.8	177.1	190.2	240.9	333.8	389.7	473.4
Switzerland	126.4	141.6	193.0	217.3	234.7	378.1	561.7	672.7	804.6	1,000.0
Portugal	48.8	61.1	77.6	88.6	106.0	114.0	150.2	185.6	156.7	223.2
Austria	40.6	53.3	71.6	90.7	106.3	119.4	136.7	153.1	165.0	212.3
Greece	35.3	40.8	59.0	57.3	72.0	67.6	99.2	105.1	117.4	149.1
Turkey	30.1	34.9	35.0	35.9	38.6	60.1	81.8	104.7	143.5	211.2
Yugoslavia	23.1	25.0	31.8	45.5	62.0	43.1	56.2	83.2	94.1	128.3
Spain	92.6	99.0	118.9	123.2	145.4	170.6	199.3	260.0	294.7	366.9
Other countries	27.4	33.8	37.7	42.3	44.3	45.1	58.0	102.2	113.1	174.1
North America										
Total	862.3	1,182.8	1,222.9	1,231.0	1,443.6	1,599.7	1,937.4	2,262.6	2,329.1	3,097.1
Canada	221.6	268.7	311.3	288.4	349.2	380.0	414.0	488.1	538.3	628.7
United States	637.1	907.6	903.7	934.3	1,082.4	1,208.7	1,516.0	1,764.1	1,776.3	2,447.7
Other countries [4]	3.5	6.5	7.9	8.3	12.1	11.0	7.4	10.3	14.5	20.8
Other developed countries										
Total	707.6	790.6	867.1	955.7	1,063.6	945.4	1,219.4	1,698.7	1,879.1	1,943.6
South Africa	262.2	266.3	292.7	332.2	395.0	308.3	374.3	525.1	684.3	645.3
Japan	88.2	99.3	129.4	148.6	157.5	172.5	273.7	319.1	309.5	359.5
Australia	256.9	320.6	323.0	345.8	365.0	317.9	404.2	599.1	631.7	687.6
New Zealand	100.3	104.4	122.0	129.0	146.1	146.6	167.2	255.5	253.6	251.2
Oil exporting countries										
Total	268.8	362.1	451.3	465.7	578.9	644.7	800.2	1,210.5	2,277.6	3,146.7
Algeria	3.2	4.8	9.7	16.8	27.8	33.8	37.9	54.8	78.7	101.9
Libya	23.1	34.8	43.2	24.3	31.0	46.3	61.1	62.5	107.3	134.7
Nigeria	59.4	59.0	79.4	114.3	165.0	153.9	172.6	222.4	511.7	773.9
Gabon	0.7	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.8	2.8	3.6	2.8	4.0
Saudi Arabia	16.2	47.1	56.9	35.3	39.0	45.2	58.5	119.6	199.7	399.5
Kuwait	25.3	29.2	41.6	36.2	35.3	31.3	36.1	59.8	99.2	144.4
Bahrain	8.6	11.0	12.8	24.5	25.2	19.6	24.3	32.5	60.9	89.6
Qatar	3.7	7.2	5.9	7.5	15.5	12.8	19.4	22.1	55.8	86.8
Abu Dhabi	6.9	9.6	15.0	10.8	12.5	15.3	24.8	42.9	91.4	125.7
Dubai	5.4	9.1	13.6	13.7	13.8	15.8	24.7	53.7	104.9	189.2
Sharjah, etc.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.5	2.5	9.0
Oman	2.4	2.9	5.3	7.8	13.1	17.2	22.2	43.0	98.0	102.2
Iraq	17.3	16.0	21.9	23.7	24.9	26.8	27.0	60.3	137.1	151.8
Iran	43.3	61.1	71.7	66.2	78.5	116.9	169.4	279.2	494.7	513.1
Brunei	2.1	2.1	2.7	2.9	4.0	1.9	2.5	5.1	9.7	14.7
Indonesia	5.9	6.1	8.9	11.8	15.7	19.9	32.9	47.4	60.4	80.6
Trinidad and Tobago	20.2	23.8	25.5	28.1	34.0	36.0	32.9	37.2	52.3	73.8
Venezuela	21.7	32.9	31.7	33.7	36.5	42.7	39.2	50.3	91.6	128.6
Ecuador	3.5	4.5	4.2	7.0	6.1	7.4	11.8	13.8	18.7	23.2

See footnotes on page 315.

Source: Department of Trade

Value of exports (f.o.b.)

TABLE 12.7 *(continued)*

Analysis by destination

£ million

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Other developing countries										
Total	941.9	1,140.8	1,280.5	1,351.4	1,609.0	1,560.1	1,791.8	2,383.0	2,924.3	3,359.7
Egypt	11.1	12.5	15.6	18.5	20.2	18.4	27.1	52.3	107.7	171.6
Ghana	31.1	33.4	37.5	38.3	44.6	16.5	30.4	54.6	50.8	79.6
Kenya	48.2	47.9	50.3	52.7	65.5	55.5	60.8	79.5	85.8	97.7
Tanzania	14.3	18.8	18.3	19.5	23.7	17.4	21.8	29.3	41.8	43.9
Zambia	26.6	35.9	35.5	37.8	49.3	46.1	41.0	63.8	79.9	66.0
Cyprus	16.9	23.5	26.5	26.1	29.1	32.7	40.4	38.6	27.1	50.8
Lebanon	13.7	21.0	21.5	23.6	26.2	35.4	42.0	60.8	69.5	10.0
Israel	50.3	88.3	103.0	96.1	117.0	134.6	187.2	219.2	237.1	249.2
Pakistan [1]	51.5	47.4	53.8	49.5	50.4	35.5	34.3	45.8	77.4	92.7
India	83.5	73.2	66.9	72.9	138.4	140.9	132.9	126.8	164.7	206.8
Thailand	22.3	28.4	31.0	32.1	32.1	27.9	36.1	56.9	55.8	59.1
Malaysia	43.5	48.5	47.7	60.4	64.7	62.2	78.1	113.3	114.7	118.1
Singapore	36.4	40.8	50.7	62.5	73.1	77.3	100.7	153.6	157.1	168.2
Taiwan	2.3	3.6	4.7	6.6	10.1	11.0	25.5	39.1	33.9	52.5
Hong Kong	62.6	78.2	89.0	99.5	104.3	101.0	126.8	158.8	159.6	204.3
South Korea	2.3	6.2	12.2	11.4	22.2	25.2	21.4	36.1	52.4	63.1
Philippines	19.6	22.5	28.2	25.1	28.5	20.2	29.1	49.2	54.5	86.2
Jamaica	23.9	29.1	36.0	38.1	43.2	41.5	43.5	50.1	61.3	50.6
Mexico	27.0	32.3	30.0	34.2	30.8	37.9	39.7	60.0	111.8	119.8
Chile	13.4	15.1	17.6	20.5	22.6	24.1	16.8	36.8	36.2	36.3
Brazil	19.9	44.7	43.8	61.2	84.3	84.1	111.8	142.9	160.8	174.2
Argentina	25.3	33.9	47.1	44.0	53.5	51.4	41.7	49.2	67.8	63.7
Other countries [4]	296.3	355.8	413.5	420.8	475.2	463.4	502.7	666.1	916.3	1,095.3
Centrally planned economies										
Total	217.5	263.3	289.6	308.3	284.4	308.9	411.1	516.3	666.5	726.4
Soviet Union	64.3	104.9	95.5	102.4	88.8	90.3	97.4	109.7	210.7	240.2
Poland	49.0	45.2	55.9	60.1	64.4	75.4	111.2	139.1	181.6	189.6
German Democratic Republic	17.1	12.5	12.8	17.0	17.3	15.0	13.7	39.1	32.5	44.9
Czechoslovakia	15.1	18.7	18.2	20.4	20.2	23.7	27.2	44.8	51.3	60.1
Romania	10.1	32.1	29.1	29.1	31.2	38.7	34.2	33.8	39.8	48.9
Other countries [2]	61.9	49.9	78.0	79.4	62.6	65.7	127.5	149.8	150.7	142.8
Low value trade [3]	—	—	—	36.9	34.9	30.1	44.5	60.3	58.9	55.5

[1] The figures for Pakistan prior to 1973 include those for East Pakistan, now Bangladesh. [2] Hungary, Albania, Bulgaria, China, North Korea, Vietnam and Outer Mongolia. [3] From the beginning of 1970, items valued at less than £50 (raised to £100 with effect from 1 September, 1973) have not been allocated to specific countries and areas. [4] Greenland, Puerto Rico and St. Pierre and Niquelon.

Source: Department of Trade

Value of imports (c.i.f.)

TABLE **12.8**

Analysis by source

£ million

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total all countries	6,439.5	7,899.9	8,317.1	9,039.7	9,824.8	11,143.1	15,851.7	23,234.4	24,128.4	31,154.7
European Economic Community										
Total	1,706.9	2,062.5	2,151.3	2,440.2	2,914.9	3,520.4	5,206.4	7,712.6	8,786.5	11,384.9
Germany, Federal Republic	339.2	436.4	466.8	549.1	647.2	840.6	1,351.1	1,903.6	2,001.1	2,755.0
Netherlands	328.7	393.1	408.1	458.7	508.2	614.3	910.8	1,631.3	1,861.5	2,425.1
Belgium and Luxembourg	146.5	174.2	187.6	197.7	223.9	315.0	454.7	730.0	951.3	1,300.2
France	255.2	312.6	324.6	368.2	444.9	603.5	978.5	1,345.0	1,622.1	2,089.9
Italy	195.1	235.9	222.6	249.0	282.2	353.1	506.6	721.8	807.1	1,103.8
Denmark	217.5	239.2	245.1	275.1	301.1	348.0	477.2	574.1	621.3	704.9
Irish Republic	224.7	271.0	296.4	342.3	507.5	445.8	527.6	807.0	922.1	1,006.2
Rest of Western Europe										
Total	852.9	1,084.9	1,170.8	1,310.9	1,452.5	1,818.7	2,700.1	3,460.0	3,570.6	4,577.2
Finland	129.8	160.7	173.7	194.9	214.9	246.3	331.2	493.5	399.0	562.0
Sweden	247.5	314.5	333.1	371.4	406.9	512.1	739.1	924.5	885.0	1,186.7
Norway	127.4	162.2	179.6	198.0	201.7	218.4	325.7	408.0	604.7	623.0
Switzerland	121.2	151.3	175.1	199.2	227.6	370.8	597.8	763.0	736.4	961.7
Portugal	56.0	74.3	76.7	86.4	106.9	126.5	190.5	236.3	200.9	199.0
Austria	41.7	58.5	64.2	79.6	101.7	128.1	178.2	204.6	204.0	232.3
Greece	13.1	12.4	16.6	19.6	16.1	17.3	46.6	68.1	65.1	64.6
Turkey	13.5	16.8	15.6	15.6	15.0	16.9	33.9	35.0	34.5	60.3
Yugoslavia	15.7	23.5	24.8	21.7	18.4	22.1	24.5	30.6	24.4	33.5
Spain	73.6	98.6	97.8	107.7	123.9	138.1	202.0	260.2	274.5	356.8
Other countries	13.4	11.8	13.7	16.7	19.3	22.1	30.6	36.3	142.1	297.2
North America										
Total	1,264.1	1,574.5	1,636.1	1,855.1	1,731.9	1,784.3	2,357.3	3,240.5	3,205.8	4,217.4
Canada	457.1	513.9	506.8	682.2	637.4	604.5	735.2	983.1	855.0	1,159.9
United States	803.5	1,056.2	1,125.9	1,169.8	1,091.5	1,170.7	1,610.3	2,244.9	2,328.6	3,042.8
Other countries [4]	3.4	4.4	3.3	3.1	3.1	9.1	11.8	12.5	22.2	14.8
Other developed countries										
Total	670.5	794.9	858.8	856.4	947.1	1,141.5	1,461.5	1,679.2	1,849.5	2,116.2
South Africa	219.7	272.0	302.4	258.4	241.3	291.8	401.2	555.9	630.5	612.4
Japan	91.1	115.2	104.6	134.6	201.5	315.0	443.4	569.9	672.8	795.8
Australia	173.9	211.0	236.1	260.2	276.9	283.1	340.7	311.2	279.3	387.2
New Zealand	185.9	196.7	215.7	203.2	227.5	251.6	276.1	242.3	266.8	320.9
Oil exporting countries										
Total	577.6	782.1	793.4	827.8	1,067.1	1,034.0	1,490.5	3,794.9	3,278.9	4,207.1
Algeria	15.6	21.2	22.1	21.2	17.0	22.4	46.6	36.2	87.5	80.3
Libya	66.4	157.0	151.0	167.0	191.6	144.3	169.0	385.9	128.0	166.4
Nigeria	78.9	70.3	104.5	124.0	139.5	155.5	207.1	367.7	313.2	317.0
Gabon	2.6	2.5	1.7	1.2	1.6	2.5	11.1	28.4	3.7	9.2
Saudi Arabia	62.5	68.7	85.4	104.8	174.0	183.7	317.8	1,184.1	857.0	977.8
Kuwait	73.6	151.4	171.9	165.0	197.0	175.9	231.5	568.2	418.2	587.2
Bahrain	2.9	2.0	2.1	1.6	4.0	8.6	15.8	19.4	17.8	30.1
Qatar	4.3	24.4	24.7	30.6	40.6	39.3	47.7	169.1	159.3	248.7
Abu Dhabi	5.9	14.5	16.6	18.7	26.5	42.6	33.4	165.0	98.6	77.8
Dubai	6.6	36.7	13.6	13.2	20.6	11.3	35.7	56.4	60.2	121.9
Sharjah, etc.	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	0.2
Oman	1.1	11.1	10.4	7.3	4.0	2.9	15.9	27.5	114.7	73.2
Iraq	24.1	28.0	31.1	18.7	36.8	34.1	30.7	104.2	102.6	279.4
Iran	136.7	90.7	73.2	76.3	109.5	124.2	236.3	511.6	701.2	1,046.6
Brunei	0.1	0.1	0.1	–	0.1	0.1	0.2	1.9	0.6	0.3
Indonesia	5.0	7.7	6.6	7.3	7.2	9.1	14.5	14.6	15.1	22.5
Trinidad and Tobago	23.0	22.4	21.5	19.4	20.5	19.5	16.3	15.3	34.6	48.2
Venezuela	68.3	73.1	56.5	50.8	75.9	56.8	58.7	137.1	164.3	117.6
Ecuador	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.7	1.1	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.6

See footnotes on page 317.

Source: Department of Trade

Value of imports (c.i.f.)

TABLE **12.8** *(continued)*

Analysis by source

£ million

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Other developing countries										
Total	1,082.2	1,262.7	1,336.9	1,341.6	1,315.6	1,402.0	2,018.3	2,581.0	2,664.2	3,511.4
Egypt	7.3	10.3	9.3	10.8	15.8	12.4	23.7	37.3	41.0	65.2
Ghana	24.1	35.1	43.4	38.8	32.2	33.1	48.6	70.8	58.0	82.3
Kenya	19.8	25.3	25.7	27.0	30.1	29.0	38.7	36.9	39.0	61.3
Tanzania	24.2	24.4	24.0	24.0	24.7	22.3	30.3	32.0	32.1	34.0
Zambia	71.2	89.8	105.5	101.2	56.8	60.4	80.1	134.9	91.8	73.1
Cyprus	14.5	16.0	19.0	20.4	22.8	21.7	28.6	30.4	30.3	63.1
Lebanon	3.1	4.2	4.0	3.1	4.0	6.5	8.9	28.9	8.2	6.0
Israel	32.3	43.9	39.2	44.9	53.7	56.8	69.6	78.8	91.1	127.6
Pakistan[1]	32.9	40.5	39.7	35.2	33.8	34.8	31.0	39.7	37.9	40.4
India	125.7	135.0	107.0	105.3	111.2	112.2	147.5	201.8	235.4	355.1
Thailand	5.4	5.9	5.7	5.5	6.7	7.3	11.7	18.3	13.6	25.5
Malaysia	28.1	35.8	33.6	46.5	42.8	46.6	94.8	128.3	116.1	156.9
Singapore	17.9	26.5	30.6	33.5	37.5	39.5	85.4	75.0	64.5	94.4
Taiwan	2.0	3.0	4.0	5.9	12.6	23.7	52.0	66.3	73.1	97.0
Hong Kong	89.6	115.5	125.5	128.4	164.8	184.7	263.4	292.5	307.0	439.6
South Korea	2.6	2.7	4.1	6.2	5.7	10.1	27.1	51.0	74.5	135.7
Philippines	5.1	3.7	4.3	7.5	5.9	5.3	9.8	16.4	40.6	33.5
Jamaica	28.8	26.2	26.5	27.4	34.5	38.6	44.3	46.6	81.0	63.0
Mexico	11.5	18.0	14.5	6.3	7.1	6.9	10.2	17.9	10.9	23.4
Chile	46.5	56.5	72.2	64.8	48.6	36.0	57.3	86.3	62.1	80.7
Brazil	26.6	37.9	50.7	62.7	69.7	86.1	157.2	194.4	174.9	239.5
Argentina	72.1	51.7	78.7	65.5	57.0	76.5	106.1	93.3	53.5	91.0
Other countries [4]	390.9	454.8	469.6	470.5	437.5	451.5	591.8	803.0	927.9	1,123.1
Centrally planned economies										
Total	285.2	338.5	369.8	388.9	375.8	423.3	593.7	742.2	735.4	1,109.2
Soviet Union	123.5	158.1	196.2	210.5	199.6	218.7	327.1	388.1	391.2	645.1
Poland	56.1	60.5	57.0	62.1	59.7	70.6	94.9	111.3	114.5	154.2
German Democratic Republic	12.1	17.6	14.6	16.1	19.6	21.7	26.4	44.1	38.7	60.2
Czechoslovakia	20.5	23.1	21.5	23.5	25.9	32.3	39.1	55.2	59.3	70.2
Romania	25.7	25.8	24.9	23.1	21.2	25.3	31.7	34.1	35.9	49.4
Other countries[2]	47.4	53.4	55.6	53.7	49.8	54.8	74.5	109.4	95.8	130.0
Low value trade[3]	–	–	–	18.9	19.8	18.9	23.9	24.0	37.5	31.4

[1] The figures for Pakistan prior to 1973 include those for East Pakistan, now Bangladesh. [2] Hungary, Albania, Bulgaria, China, North Korea, Vietnam and Outer Mongolia. [3] From the beginning of 1970, items valued at less than £50 (raised to £100 with effect from 1 September, 1973) have not been allocated to specific countries and areas. [4] Greenland, Puerto Rico and St. Pierre and Niquelon.

Source: Department of Trade

Value of United Kingdom trade with selected areas: exports (f.o.b.)

Analysis by commodity divisions

TABLE 12.9

£ million

	1974				1975				1976			
	EEC	Rest of Western Europe	North America	Rest of world	EEC	Rest of Western Europe	North America	Rest of world	EEC	Rest of Western Europe	North America	Rest of world
Exports												
Total	5,516.2	2,952.5	2,262.6	5,808.6	6,417.3	3,368.7	2,329.1	7,747.4	9,168.2	4,272.3	3,097.1	9,176.3
0. Food and live animals												
Total	262.3	91.8	75.6	180.8	456.0	119.5	76.9	231.6	569.8	104.7	96.2	263.5
00. Live animals	26.1	2.1	5.8	11.4	34.5	1.9	4.5	12.4	44.6	2.6	4.8	10.3
01. Meat and meat preparations	69.4	4.2	0.7	5.7	129.5	4.3	0.6	5.6	164.4	6.4	0.6	10.7
02. Dairy products and eggs	21.0	1.3	5.6	13.2	35.3	1.6	1.0	13.8	88.3	2.7	1.6	22.3
03. Fish and fish preparations	25.4	5.9	8.1	12.4	34.6	5.5	7.6	10.1	47.5	6.9	13.3	13.4
04. Cereals and cereal preparations	30.5	7.7	6.9	31.6	112.5	7.9	6.9	41.9	58.3	9.8	10.7	55.5
05. Fruit and vegetables	22.2	10.8	3.8	15.9	24.8	10.7	3.9	28.0	37.7	15.7	5.2	25.4
06. Sugar, sugar preparations and honey	12.6	29.5	16.2	36.4	19.6	58.1	23.3	61.0	26.4	23.6	26.0	52.7
07. Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	23.5	14.2	24.1	29.9	28.2	16.4	24.9	31.5	48.9	21.3	29.9	42.0
08. Feeding stuff for animals (not incl. unmilled cereals)	15.2	8.0	0.3	5.5	18.2	6.4	0.2	7.3	30.2	6.9	0.5	7.5
09. Miscellaneous food preparations	16.5	8.1	4.1	18.7	18.9	6.7	4.1	20.0	23.5	8.7	3.4	23.5
1. Beverages and tobacco												
Total	86.2	30.0	172.7	164.0	110.4	36.6	169.3	227.1	145.7	48.8	198.7	265.0
11. Beverages	69.7	25.6	170.3	118.5	85.8	30.8	166.5	154.1	106.8	40.3	195.5	181.9
12. Tobacco	16.6	4.4	2.4	45.6	24.6	5.9	2.8	73.0	38.9	8.5	3.2	83.2
2. Crude materials, inedible												
Total	285.2	103.5	34.0	121.5	293.7	96.3	26.8	117.1	424.0	139.5	45.1	130.9
21. Hides, skins and furskins, undressed	71.0	12.3	5.5	2.8	75.9	17.4	5.2	3.8	124.1	20.8	8.0	4.9
23. Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	31.4	12.9	1.1	8.2	26.4	7.3	0.5	7.6	40.4	9.7	1.6	9.8
26. Textile fibres, not manufactured and their waste	61.5	41.3	15.8	83.1	64.8	31.9	13.4	74.4	109.7	51.5	19.9	79.3
27. Crude fertilizers and minerals	42.0	24.2	2.1	11.2	39.4	23.5	2.4	14.7	52.1	32.3	2.9	19.8
28. Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	53.8	7.6	4.9	5.6	64.2	11.9	2.7	7.2	67.7	18.3	8.3	5.2
Other (22, 24, 25 and 29)	25.5	5.2	4.6	10.6	23.0	4.3	2.7	9.3	30.1	6.9	4.5	11.8
3. Minerals fuels, lubricants, etc.												
Total	447.3	227.2	25.6	67.1	459.2	232.2	32.3	89.8	757.8	303.5	81.1	112.1
33. Petroleum and petroleum products	412.5	201.8	18.1	63.6	410.1	193.4	31.0	86.3	712.8	258.8	80.8	109.2
Coal, coke gas and electric energy (32, 34 and 35)	34.8	25.4	7.4	3.5	49.1	38.8	1.4	3.5	45.0	44.8	0.3	3.0
4. Animal and vegetable oils and fats												
Total	16.9	3.1	1.8	9.7	15.4	2.4	0.7	8.6	17.6	5.1	1.6	11.8
5. Chemicals												
Total	797.2	369.3	158.3	819.1	752.9	361.0	167.0	897.6	1,107.4	485.9	294.7	1,157.2
51. Chemical elements and compounds	374.8	95.1	68.1	192.3	300.3	82.9	74.6	195.6	477.7	119.3	170.4	277.9
53. Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	54.6	48.0	13.2	98.0	49.9	42.8	13.9	94.8	72.6	59.4	19.9	130.1
54. Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	87.0	50.8	21.5	141.9	100.7	63.2	24.7	184.5	126.6	78.0	33.8	213.4
55. Essential oils and perfume materials	42.8	30.8	5.0	67.0	54.8	36.1	4.7	73.7	79.0	46.3	6.1	104.3
58. Plastic materials and artificial resins	109.1	86.5	22.9	147.5	118.8	75.8	19.9	139.9	204.5	109.3	32.5	185.2
Other (52, 56, 57 and 59)	128.9	58.1	27.7	172.3	128.4	60.2	29.3	209.1	146.9	73.5	31.9	246.2
6. Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material												
Total	1,288.2	869.2	604.5	1,240.8	1,342.2	978.4	479.2	1,468.0	2,100.7	1,285.3	637.0	1,765.4
61. Leather, leather manufactures and dressed furs	36.4	20.3	18.0	19.7	40.4	21.1	15.3	21.9	66.7	30.3	22.6	28.8
62. Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.	48.4	43.2	16.1	58.9	69.3	58.4	20.0	73.4	103.7	68.4	42.8	84.7
63. Wood and cork manufactures (excluding furniture)	11.4	3.3	2.1	8.6	11.5	2.8	1.7	12.6	17.3	3.8	2.5	29.7
64. Paper, paperboard and manufactures thereof	77.2	33.4	6.8	81.9	79.9	34.3	8.3	83.2	125.3	44.4	10.2	98.3
65. Textile yarn, fabrics and articles	219.2	171.3	58.2	296.4	233.5	151.5	47.1	266.7	354.7	187.3	74.1	317.4
66. Non-metallic mineral manufactures	341.8	287.1	187.1	244.1	368.0	361.8	153.0	294.7	600.9	570.1	223.2	336.3
67. Iron and steel	136.0	111.7	114.8	190.0	158.7	121.6	116.6	285.0	234.8	147.4	120.9	320.3
68. Non-ferrous metals	281.8	124.9	142.7	140.1	221.6	146.4	58.5	112.6	371.2	135.1	80.7	134.4
69. Manufactures of metal, n.e.s.	136.1	74.2	58.8	201.1	159.3	80.4	58.8	317.8	226.3	98.5	59.9	415.6

Source: Department of Trade

Value of United Kingdom trade with selected areas: exports (f.o.b.)

Analysis by commodity divisions

TABLE 12.9 (*continued*)

£ million

	1974				1975				1976			
	EEC	Rest of Western Europe	North America	Rest of world	EEC	Rest of Western Europe	North America	Rest of world	EEC	Rest of Western Europe	North America	Rest of world
7. Machinery and transport equipment												
Total	1,744.3	861.4	851.2	2,601.9	2,235.7	1,057.2	1,006.7	3,933.5	3,060.4	1,361.2	1,240.7	4,462.3
71. Machinery other than electric	901.3	435.8	478.7	1,267.0	1,144.8	563.1	570.2	1,973.7	1,486.5	717.6	629.5	2,222.5
72. Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances	338.0	175.8	94.3	523.6	411.5	205.1	128.9	784.8	561.2	260.6	204.5	977.7
73. Transport equipment	505.0	249.7	278.2	811.3	679.4	289.0	307.5	1,175.0	1,012.8	383.0	406.8	1,262.1
8. Miscellaneous manufactured articles												
Total	482.2	264.7	285.6	446.9	594.5	310.9	290.3	584.1	840.4	386.7	410.8	741.6
81. Sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fittings	14.1	5.0	1.0	23.5	15.2	5.3	1.2	34.3	19.3	5.0	1.3	35.4
82. Furniture	26.0	10.4	14.5	18.6	36.1	12.4	17.4	32.5	53.3	18.1	27.2	43.6
84. Clothing	87.3	62.3	31.1	49.0	109.6	69.2	27.3	59.7	182.9	100.6	39.6	89.2
85. Footwear	16.1	9.7	8.2	13.3	17.7	11.7	7.4	16.1	26.7	12.4	10.0	19.1
86. Professional, scientific and controlling instruments; photographic and optical goods; watches and clocks	147.0	83.8	61.8	131.6	175.6	95.7	66.9	179.6	231.3	113.6	74.6	208.0
Other (83 and 89)	191.7	93.4	169.0	210.9	240.3	116.7	170.0	261.8	327.2	137.1	258.1	345.7
5-8. Manufactured goods	4,311.9	2,364.6	1,899.5	5,108.7	4,925.2	2,707.6	1,943.1	6,883.2	7,108.9	3,519.1	2,583.3	8,126.5
9. Commodities and transactions not classified according to kind												
Total	106.4	132.4	53.4	156.8	157.4	174.1	79.9	190.0	144.3	151.5	91.2	266.5

Source: Department of Trade

Value of United Kingdom trade with selected areas: imports (c.i.f.)

Analysis by commodity divisions

TABLE 12.10

£ million

	1974				1975				1976			
	EEC	Rest of Western Europe	North America	Rest of world	EEC	Rest of Western Europe	North America	Rest of world	EEC	Rest of Western Europe	North America	Rest of world
Total	7,712.6	3,460.0	3,240.5	8,797.3	8,786.5	3,570.6	3,205.8	8,528.0	11,384.9	4,577.2	4,217.4	10,943.9
0. Food and live animals												
Total	1,482.5	216.7	366.6	1,289.9	1,925.9	201.7	321.6	1,471.4	1,992.5	268.6	483.0	1,751.2
00. Live animals	71.4	0.3	5.0	0.2	105.1	0.4	2.4	0.1	79.5	0.3	3.7	0.4
01. Meat and meat preparations	398.1	6.9	14.2	262.2	439.2	6.7	17.6	238.4	500.6	3.8	26.1	308.1
02. Dairy products and eggs	279.8	2.8	1.4	48.9	447.2	2.2	1.7	71.6	412.5	2.8	0.9	88.5
03. Fish and fish preparations	26.7	29.5	24.9	40.9	30.9	33.4	26.2	46.0	40.7	51.7	33.5	65.1
04. Cereals and cereal preparations	314.6	6.3	217.3	.52.6	373.9	5.0	187.5	45.6	418.3	13.4	268.6	47.3
05. Fruit and vegetables	151.6	139.4	51.3	312.8	196.1	127.1	52.1	315.5	247.6	162.3	102.7	428.9
06. Sugar, sugar preparations and honey	80.2	1.4	2.0	283.4	171.3	1.8	3.5	455.1	84.3	1.1	2.2	341.2
07. Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	66.3	5.8	2.1	247.8	57.4	4.0	1.8	258.4	71.3	5.5	2.0	414.3
08. Feeding stuff for animals (not includi unmilled cereals)	43.6	18.4	32.1	33.0	42.7	17.2	18.9	31.8	69.4	24.6	27.3	51.5
09. Miscellaneous food preparations	50.3	5.9	16.3	8.1	62.3	4.0	9.9	8.9	68.4	3.2	16.0	6.0
1. Beverages and tobacco												
Total	172.3	49.8	96.1	88.5	176.1	45.6	92.0	100.3	218.9	44.7	98.1	126.3
11. Beverages	148.7	48.4	2.8	21.5	150.3	44.1	2.7	25.0	183.8	43.8	3.5	20.2
12. Tobacco	23.6	1.5	93.3	67.1	25.8	1.5	89.3	75.4	35.0	0.9	94.6	106.1
2. Crude materials, inedible												
Total	275.2	609.1	493.7	966.5	266.0	490.4	454.2	829.1	436.4	707.7	678.9	1,194.4
21. Hides, skins and fur skins, undressed	18.1	7.5	14.7	65.9	22.3	6.4	12.3	65.6	29.9	9.6	25.8	106.3
22. Oil seeds, oil nuts and oil kernels	44.4	4.1	43.0	50.3	36.9	2.5	50.7	37.7	90.1	4.6	62.3	48.7
23. Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	27.8	1.9	8.2	62.4	31.2	2.3	7.2	52.0	48.2	1.8	10.6	80.0
24. Wood, lumber and cork	17.6	294.0	103.7	171.9	12.9	159.5	40.6	149.3	18.7	240.3	95.7	230.5
25. Pulp and waste paper	4.3	191.8	107.2	26.5	2.6	196.7	127.3	31.2	5.2	253.8	174.4	29.9
26. Textile fibres, not manufactured and their waste	49.2	29.5	25.8	205.9	46.2	33.4	17.7	165.0	79.4	51.3	24.7	283.0
27. Crude fertilizers and minerals	27.3	12.6	28.0	72.2	32.1	14.8	30.0	78.9	42.4	18.5	49.0	85.3
28. Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	39.3	60.3	156.0	262.9	35.3	67.4	162.0	205.1	65.6	117.9	225.4	274.0
29. Crude animal and vegetable materials	47.3	7.4	6.7	48.5	46.5	7.4	6.2	44.4	56.9	10.0	11.0	56.6
3. Mineral fuels, lubricants, etc.												
Total	697.9	91.6	67.6	3,769.1	771.8	166.5	78.4	3,284.1	980.4	284.2	69.1	4,311.4
33. Petroleum and petroleum products	682.9	82.2	31.5	3,736.1	752.9	160.3	26.7	3,219.8	950.6	272.3	39.8	4,249.1
4. Animal and vegetable oils and fats												
Total	49.2	14.7	20.3	132.0	45.7	16.2	12.1	90.7	47.9	28.3	19.6	105.1
5. Chemicals												
Total	903.7	218.9	285.5	170.6	758.9	189.1	266.8	195.9	1,183.4	272.6	368.3	175.0
51. Chemical elements and compounds	379.8	102.2	142.3	87.4	313.8	85.4	142.0	133.4	466.1	127.2	184.1	98.1
53. Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	36.9	26.6	10.9	3.7	29.5	20.4	8.6	3.6	53.0	34.7	12.5	4.4
54. Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	44.2	18.9	20.1	9.2	48.8	20.9	20.9	6.3	69.3	29.6	33.2	7.0
55. Essential oils and perfume materials	40.6	7.9	15.4	12.3	40.6	6.7	15.1	6.3	55.7	9.8	22.8	8.7
56. Fertilizers, manufactured	36.1	1.3	2.2	17.4	36.6	0.6	1.6	16.3	36.8	3.8	2.7	17.3
58. Plastic materials and artificial resins	252.1	30.7	63.0	15.0	180.2	25.8	47.0	9.0	336.1	41.7	71.2	13.6
Other (52, 57 and 59)	113.9	31.3	31.6	25.6	109.3	29.3	31.8	20.8	166.4	25.7	41.7	25.9
6. Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material												
Total	1,429.7	1,425.3	639.7	1,290.7	1,526.0	1,344.6	592.5	1,262.7	1,991.4	1,747.7	689.5	1,616.2
61. Leather, leather manufactures and dressed furs	19.0	7.3	2.3	31.9	22.3	7.3	3.6	35.7	26.6	9.6	4.9	66.5
62. Rubber manufactures n.e.s.	51.1	18.5	9.5	8.5	57.7	18.7	10.4	10.4	83.1	20.2	12.8	14.4
63. Wood and cork manufactures	39.4	83.0	42.3	67.6	50.3	77.8	32.7	56.7	63.6	88.8	43.1	94.6
64. Paper, paperboard and manufactures thereof	98.6	466.7	147.9	11.9	74.5	400.1	137.0	10.3	117.7	517.2	176.1	15.0
65. Textile yarns, fabrics and articles	276.6	160.9	76.9	173.2	295.7	158.7	77.6	150.3	413.1	183.9	87.0	227.3
66. Non-metallic mineral manufactures	195.9	307.3	35.4	435.6	236.0	329.0	31.6	466.0	319.7	450.4	40.8	552.3
67. Iron and steel	428.8	156.1	46.0	85.4	470.8	184.2	35.0	133.9	550.1	229.3	45.2	141.1
68. Non-ferrous metals	178.6	169.6	230.3	437.1	153.9	99.6	207.1	358.6	212.6	169.7	211.8	441.1
69. Manufactures of metal n.e.s.	141.5	55.9	49.1	39.5	164.8	69.2	57.5	40.6	205.0	78.5	67.7	63.9

Source: Department of Trade

Value of United Kingdom trade with selected areas: imports (c.i.f.)

Analysis by commodity divisions

TABLE **12.10** *(continued)*

£ million

	1974				1975				1976			
	EEC	Rest of Western Europe	North America	Rest of world	EEC	Rest of Western Europe	North America	Rest of world	EEC	Rest of Western Europe	North America	Rest of world
7. Machinery and transport equipment												
Total	2,005.9	483.6	922.3	491.1	2,464.4	743.6	991.1	594.6	3,459.2	814.1	1,309.7	802.9
71. Machinery other than electric	1,021.6	243.8	547.1	146.3	1,286.6	493.4	616.5	172.0	1,721.6	508.7	785.1	239.1
72. Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances	419.6	136.7	251.8	201.3	459.0	122.4	262.8	201.5	604.5	139.1	364.0	274.8
73. Transport equipment	564.8	103.1	123.4	143.4	718.7	127.9	111.8	221.1	1,133.1	166.3	160.7	288.9
8. Miscellaneous manufactured articles												
Total	609.6	285.0	271.9	480.0	721.2	311.2	275.1	561.9	928.0	360.7	366.9	811.2
82. Furniture	41.3	13.2	3.1	12.3	57.4	16.7	3.6	14.4	77.6	17.7	5.5	21.7
84. Clothing	94.6	88.3	8.5	211.0	123.2	91.9	11.6	278.4	163.6	95.3	21.1	403.8
85. Footwear	53.4	18.9	1.0	35.8	59.0	24.2	0.8	39.4	74.7	28.3	1.0	61.5
86. Professional, scientific and controlling instruments; photographic and optical goods; watches and clocks	156.4	57.8	108.9	53.8	195.3	69.0	118.3	64.2	254.6	72.9	155.6	91.2
Other (81, 83 and 89)	264.0	106.9	150.3	167.1	286.3	109.4	140.9	165.5	357.5	146.4	183.7	233.1
5-8. Manufactured goods	4,948.9	2,412.7	2,119.4	2,432.4	5,470.5	2,588.5	2,125.5	2,615.1	7,562.0	3,195.1	2,734.4	3,405.3
9. Commodities and transactions not classified according to kind												
Total	86.6	65.3	77.1	119.0	130.5	61.6	122.0	137.3	146.8	48.6	134.3	50.1

Source: Department of Trade

XIII. Balance of Payments

Tables 13.1 to 13.21 in this section are derived from *United Kingdom Balance of Payments 1966–76* (the 'Pink Book') and Tables 13.22–13.25 are based on the annual publication *British Aid Statistics,* the latest edition of which covers the period 1971 to 1975.

The following general notes and footnotes to the tables provide brief definitions and explanations of the figures and terms used. Further notes are included in the publications named above. As far as possible transactions have been included in the balance of payments at the rate of exchange at which the transactions took place, and revaluations of balances denominated in overseas currencies arising from changes in exchange rates in 1967 and from 23 August, 1971 onwards have been excluded from the figures.

Current account

In principle, transactions are recorded when the ownership of goods or assets changes and when services are rendered.

Visible trade

The *Overseas Trade Statistics of the United Kingdom* are the basis of the balance of payments figures, but certain adjustments are made in respect of valuation and coverage. The principal adjustment is the deduction of freight and insurance from the *Trade Statistics* figures of imports. Details are given in Table 13.3.

Invisibles

General government

All UK government current expenditure and receipts not appropriate to other items in the current account. The main components are shown in Table 13.4.

Transport–sea transport

Covers both dry cargo and tanker transactions of UK operators with overseas residents, and of overseas operators with UK residents. The figures relate to freight, charter hire, port disbursements and passage money as shown in Table 13.5.

Transport–civil aviation

Covers overseas transactions of British Airways and the British independent airlines, and the transactions of overseas airlines with UK residents. Figures relate to passenger fares, freight, charter hire and airport disbursements as shown in Table 13.6.

Travel

Personal expenditure by overseas residents in the United Kingdom and by UK residents in overseas countries. A geographical analysis of travel credits and debits is given in Table 13.7

Financial Services

Only net earnings net of all claims and/or expenses, etc. are recorded under this heading, which covers all aspects of banking, insurance, commodity trading, arbitrage, underwriting of capital issues, risk underwriting, etc. but excludes interest, profit and dividends and earnings from services, rendered to or received from associated concerns.

Other services

All other invisible transactions not included elsewhere. The main components are shown in Table 13.9.

Interest, profits and dividends

Include all investment income remitted from or to the United Kingdom for payment of interest and dividends (after deduction of local taxes and depreciation) and profits remitted or retained for re-investment. An analysis of interest, profits and dividends is given in Table 13.10.

Private transfers

Value of private assets passing from non-resident to resident ownership or vice versa without a *quid pro quo.* The item includes private gifts of money and of goods sent by parcel post and transfers of assets by migrants other than their personal or household belongings.

Capital transfers

Capital transfers

Payments made by the central government in implementation of the guarantee clauses of the Sterling Agreements of 1968, as renewed in 1971 and as unilaterally renewed in September 1973. The extension of the agreements expired in December 1974.

Investment and other capital transactions

Official long-term capital

Inter-government loans

The entries under this item cover drawings and repayments of loans made by the UK government to overseas governments and drawings and repayments of loans made to the UK government by overseas governments. The four flows of inter-government loans are shown in Table 13.12.

Other official long-term capital

The item covers the UK capital subscriptions to the International Development Association and other international lending bodies, other than the IMF, net loans and investment by the Commonwealth Development Corporation and other official capital items of a long-term nature.

Overseas investment in UK public sector

This consists of transactions with overseas residents in UK government and government guaranteed stocks (excluding those with central monetary institutions and international organisations), and local authority securities and mortgages, together with public corporations and local authorities net issues abroad and net borrowing abroad from banks, etc., other than under the exchange cover scheme. An analysis is given in Table 13.11.

UK private sector investment

Overseas investment in UK private sector and UK private investment overseas is subdivided between direct, portfolio investment and other (including oil) investment. An analysis is given in Table 13.11.

Direct investment comprises net investment by overseas companies, in their UK affiliates, including the reinvestment of retained profits, and by UK companies in their overseas branches, subsidiaries and associates. Government departments, oil companies and foreign-owned insurance companies are excluded. Certain transactions of a number of public corporations are included.

Overseas investment in UK company securities represents the changes in the holdings by overseas residents of UK company securities, including securities issued abroad.

UK portfolio investment overseas consists mainly of net purchases and sales of overseas government, municipal and company securities.

Other (oil and miscellaneous) investment includes overseas oil companies' investment in the United Kingdom and UK oil companies' investment abroad on a basis comparable with the estimates of other direct investment. Other overseas investment in the UK private sector includes borrowing by UK companies direct from banks and commercial companies overseas and identified investment in real estate and in the insurance industry in the United Kingdom. Other overseas investment by UK residents includes purchase of real estate abroad.

Overseas currency borrowing or lending (net) by UK banks

Borrowing to finance UK investment overseas

Overseas currencies on-lent by UK banks to UK residents in the form of credits to finance UK investment overseas.

Other borrowing or lending (net)

Covers changes in external liabilities and claims of UK banks in overseas currencies other than liabilities in the form of commercial bills and claims in the form of bills lodged with the banks and excluding borrowing reflected in amounts on-lent to UK residents to finance UK investment overseas.

Exchange reserves in sterling

Changes in sterling reserves of overseas countries and international organisations, other than the International Monetary Fund, as reported by UK banks, etc. Transactions in British government stocks, including government guaranteed stocks, and banking and money market liabilities in sterling are shown separately.

Other external banking and money market liabilities in sterling

Transactions by overseas holders other than central monetary institutions and international organisations, in Treasury bills, and sterling deposits with UK banks, other financial institutions and local authorities.

Import credit

This item consists of the change in trade credit received by UK businesses from overseas businesses other than affiliates and parent companies, *less* advance and progress payments made by UK businesses. Prior to 1973 information on credit received on oil company ships is not available separately and is included in 'Other commercial short-term transactions (net)'.

For convenience, import deposits paid direct to HM Customs by overseas firms in 1968 to 1971 are included in this heading.

Export credit

The entries consist of the net changes in credit extended by banks in the United Kingdom and trade credit extended by UK businesses to overseas businesses other than affiliates and parent companies, *less* advance and progress payments, net credit extended by UK merchants on third-country trade is included.

Other short-term transactions

Consists of changes in the following: total UK external sterling claims other than export bills; official assets and liabilities (n.e.i.) other than import deposits paid directly from overseas: other commercial short-term transactions (net); IMF administrative and operational expenditure and receipts in sterling and IMF gold deposits in the United Kingdom. For 1973 onwards other commercial short-term transactions (net) excludes trade credit on oil companies' ships which thereafter is included in import credit.

Balancing item

Represents the net total of errors and omissions in other items.

EEA loss on forward commitments

Records the loss arising from the fact that the Exchange Equalisation Account forward commitments with the market entered into before devaluation in 1967 have been recorded as being settled on maturity at the new parity.

Official financing

Details of these components are given in Table 13.13.

IMF

UK drawings and repurchases, and drawings and repurchases in sterling by other countries which affect the UK repurchase obligations to the IMF. From July 1972 credit tranche transactions only are included.

Other overseas monetary authorities

Net borrowing from other monetary authorities (and a consortium of Swiss banks in 1967) and assistance with a sterling counterpart in the form of foreign currency deposits, and swaps with overseas monetary authorities.

Foreign currency borrowing by HM Government

These are drawings on a euro-dollar facility arranged by the Bank of England with UK clearing banks and their associates on behalf of HM Government to borrow $2,500 million for a period of up to 10 years. The transaction is allocated to the debtor (HM Government) rather than the transactor (the clearing banks).

Foreign currency borrowing by public sector under exchange cover scheme

This is all borrowing by UK public corporations and local authorities under the exchange cover scheme first introduced in 1969. These borrowings (net of repayments) are in the form of issues abroad, direct borrowing abroad from banks etc. or from UK banks but are included in official financing since they are regarded as primarily motivated by considerations of reserve management, the foreign currency generated being added to the official reserves.

Transfer from dollar portfolio to reserves

The transfer of the government's portfolio of dollar securities to the official reserves in 1966 and 1967.

Official reserves

The gold, IMF Special Drawing Rights and convertible currencies held in the Exchange Equalisation Account together with, from July 1972, the reserve position in the IMF. Drawings on and additions to official reserves equal the changes in the sterling value of the level of the reserves except in 1967 and from 23 August 1971 onwards. In 1967 the effect of the revaluation at the time of devaluation has been excluded. From 23 August 1971 drawings on and additions to the reserves base have been valued in sterling at market related rates of exchange and no longer equal the difference between the opening and closing levels of the reserves. Table 13.14 shows the level of the reserves broken down between gold, SDRs, convertible currencies and, from July 1972, the reserve position in the IMF. The level of convertible currencies in the reserves is, from the end of 1972 onwards, valued at the end-period market rates of exchange.

Area analysis

The definitions of the areas shown in Table 13.7 are:

European Economic Community member countries (EEC countries)

Belgium, Denmark (including Greenland), France, German Federal Republic, Irish Republic, Italy, Luxembourg, and the Netherlands.

Other Western Europe

Austria, Andorra, Cyprus, Faroe Islands, Finland, Gibraltar, Greece, Iceland, Malta, Norway, Portugal (including Azores and Madeira), Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Yugoslavia and Continental Shelf (foreign).

North America

United States of America and dependencies, Canada.

Overseas aid

(Tables 13.22–13.25)

Until 1972 there was some identity between what had for domestic purposes been recognised as the aid programme (for example in the context of the *Public Expenditure* White Papers) and the OECD Development Assistance Committee's concept of official development assistance. But with effect from 1972 elements of national subscriptions to the regular budgets of certain multilateral organisations that finance projects in developing countries have been included in the recognised definition of official development assistance although remaining outside the aid programme. Since 1973 there has been a further refinement in that flows with a grant element of less than 25 per cent fall outside the definition of official development assistance. For the purpose of tables in the *Annual Abstract* and also related data in *Financial Statistics,* the figures pertain to public expenditure on overseas aid (see programme 2.5 as shown in *Public Expenditure to 1980–81* (Cmnd 6721-II))

Tables 13.22 to 13.24 reflect gross disbursements (that is without making any allowance for repayments on earlier loans). Table 13.25 shows the main components of gross bilateral disbursements presented in Table 13.22 for the past three years, with particulars of loans given net as well as gross. For international reporting and balance of payments recording, the cancellation of debt is treated as repayment on past loans combined with an equivalent increase in grants: such offsetting transactions are disregarded in the present context.

Statistical information concerning the UK aid effort and the one per cent target is contained in *British Aid Statistics 1972–1976.* International comparisons are available in the OECD's annual *Development Co-operation: Efforts and Policies of the Members of the Development Assistance Committee* (available from HMSO).

Balance of payments of the United Kingdom

TABLE 13.1

£ million

	Item No.	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Current account												
Visible trade:												
Exports (f.o.b.)		5,276	5,241	6,433	7,269	8,121	9,061	9,449	12,115	16,538	19,461	25,416
Imports (f.o.b.)		5,342	5,796	7,100	7,425	8,146	8,781	10,151	14,468	21,732	22,664	28,987
Visible balance		–66	–555	–667	–156	–25	+280	–702	–2,353	–5,194	–3,203	–3.571
Invisibles[1]												
Services and transfers (net):												
General government		–470	–462	–466	–467	–486	–520	–561	–768	–858	–999	–1,546
Private sector (and public corporations)		+253	+339	+513	+565	+650	+793	+834	+876	+1,181	+1,601	+2,533
Interest, profits and dividends (net):												
General government		–166	–178	–241	–340	–269	–204	–143	–200	–355	–517	–652
Private sector (and public corporations)		+553	+556	+574	+838	+825	+709	+677	+1,523	+1,661	+1,417	+1,831
Invisible balance		+170	+255	+380	+596	+720	+778	+807	+1,431	+1,629	+1,502	+2,166
CURRENT BALANCE	*1*	+104	–300	–287	+440	+695	+1,058	+105	–922	–3,565	–1,701	–1,405
Capital transfers	*2*	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–59	–75	–	–
Investment and other capital transactions[2]												
Official long-term capital	*3*	–81	–59	+16	–99	–205	–274	–255	–254	–276	–288	–158
Overseas investment in UK public sector	*4*	+35	+54	+16	–56	–10	+107	+120	+175	+252	+43	+203
Overseas investment in UK private sector	*5*	+264	+360	+567	+673	+838	+1,052	+773	+1,652	+2,278	+1,719	+2,051
UK private investment overseas	*6*	–303	–456	–727	–679	–789	–836	–1,383	–1,848	–1,149	–1,383	–2,100
Overseas currency borrowing or lending (net) by UK banks[3]												
Borrowing to finance UK investment overseas	*7*	+15	+55	+155	+72	+180	+280	+725	+595	+270	+320	+165
Other borrowing or lending (net)	*8*	–207	–19	–170	–110	+292	+191	–254	–70	–564	–85	–271
Exchange reserves in sterling:												
British government stocks	*9*	–51	–40	–22	+237	+63	+55	+65	+74	–124	+7	+14
Banking and money market liabilities	*10*	+22	–150	–158	+77	+130	+658	+222	+87	+1,534	–624	–1,421
Other external banking and money market liabilities in sterling	*11*	–72	–96	–128	–53	+266	+709	–91	–7	+148	+550	+255
Import credit[4]	*12*	–6	+13	+75	+153	+14	+54	+196	+326	+159	+224	+169
Export credit[4]	*13*	–190	–202	–356	–334	–395	–287	–409	–552	–809	–570	–1,178
Other short-term transactions	*14*	–4	+43	–24	–46	+188	+107	–399	–152	–48	+290	–543
Total investment and other capital transactions (*items 3 to 15*)	*15*	–578	–497	–756	–165	+572	+1,816	–690	+26	+1,671	+203	–2,814
Balancing item	*16*	–73	+231	–116	+412	+20	+272	–680	+184	+323	+33	+591
EEA loss on forward commitments	*17*	–	–105	–251	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Balance for official financing *(items 1, 2 and 15 to 17)*	*18*	*–547*	*–671*	*–1,410*	*+687*	*+1,287*	*+3,146*	*–1,265*	*–771*	*–1,646*	*–1,465*	*–3,628*
Allocation of Special Drawing Rights	*19*	–	–	–	–	+171	+125	+124	–	–	–	–
Gold subscription to IMF	*20*	–44	–	–	–	–38	–	–	–	–	–	–
Total (*items 18 to 20*)	*21*	–591	–671	–1,410	+687	+1,420	+3,271	–1,141	–771	–1,646	–1,465	–3,628
Official financing												
Net transactions with overseas monetary authorities												
IMF [5]	*22*	+15	–339	+506	–30	–134	–554	–415	–	–	–	+1,018
Other monetary authorities	*23*	+294	+691	+790	–669	–1,161	–1,263	+864	–	–	–	–34
Foreign currency borrowing:												
by HM government[6]	*24*	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	+644	+423	–
by public sector under exchange cover scheme	*25*	–	–	–	+56	–	+82	–	+999	+1,107	+387	+1,791
Transfer from dollar portfolio to reserves	*26*	+316	+204	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Drawings on (+)/additions to (–) official reserves [5] [7]	*27*	–34	+115	+114	–44	–125	–1,536	+692	–228	–105	+655	+853
TOTAL OFFICIAL FINANCING	*28*	+591	+671	+1,410	–687	–1,420	–3,271	+1,141	+771	+1,646	+1,465	+3,628

[1] Details are shown in Table 13.2. [2] Assets: increase–/decrease +; Liabilities: increase +/decrease –. [3] Excluding borrowing through banks included in items *24* and *25*. [4] Excluding trade credit between 'related' firms (part of *items 5* and *6*). [5] From July 1972 transactions with IMF affecting the United Kingdom reserve position in the Fund are included as changes in the official reserves. [6] Drawings on a euro-dollar facility to borrow $2,500 million. [7] From 23 August 1971, valued in sterling at market-related rates of exchange.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Current account

TABLE 13.2

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Credits											
Exports (f.o.b.)	5,276	5,241	6,433	7,269	8,121	9,061	9,449	12,115	16,538	19,461	25,416
Services:											
General government	42	37	44	48	51	59	72	104	110	139	215
Private sector (and public corporations)											
Sea transport	765	884	1,053	1,051	1,361	1,621	1,613	2,062	2,678	2,669	3,251
Civil aviation	180	199	235	287	316	354	410	480	625	780	1,051
Travel	219	236	282	359	432	486	546	681	837	1,123	1,628
Financial services	125	179	254	332	413	435	492	551	691	914	1,086
Other services	530	589	648	699	757	865	965	1,137	1,397	1,715	2,190
Interest, profits and dividends											
General government	48	50	31	31	54	91	156	176	237	266	253
Private sector (and public corporations)	914	927	1,076	1,307	1,392	1,388	1,576	2,716	2,930	2,680	3,493
Transfers											
General government	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	63	130	363	251
Private sector	135	143	171	181	192	215	231	295	355	395	420
Total invisibles	2,958	3,244	3,794	4,295	4,968	5,514	6,061	8,265	9,990	11,044	13,838
Total credits	8,234	8,485	10,227	11,564	13,089	14,575	15,510	20,380	26,528	30,505	39,254
of which: Goods and services	7,137	7,365	8,949	10,045	11,451	12,881	13,547	17,130	22,876	26,801	34,837
Debits											
Imports (f.o.b.)	5,342	5,796	7,100	7,425	8,146	8,781	10,151	14,468	21,732	22,664	28,987
Services:											
General Government	332	311	331	338	360	374	423	513	648	759	969
Private sector (and public corporations)											
Sea transport	760	901	1,018	1,084	1,437	1,673	1,688	2,160	2,796	2,605	3,206
Civil aviation	149	169	201	238	266	297	333	405	529	664	810
Travel	297	274	271	324	382	439	527	682	683	878	1,008
Other services	338	360	414	468	510	546	587	697	953	1,365	1,584
Interest, profits and dividends											
General government	214	228	272	371	323	295	299	376	592	783	905
Private sector (and public corporations)	361	371	502	469	567	679	899	1,193	1,269	1,263	1,662
Transfers											
General government	180	188	179	177	177	205	210	422	450	742	1,043
Private sector	157	187	226	230	226	228	288	386	441	483	485
Total invisibles	2,788	2,989	3,414	3,699	4,248	4,736	5,254	6,834	8,361	9,542	11,672
Total debits	8,130	8,785	10,514	11,124	12,394	13,517	15,405	21,302	30,093	32,206	40,659
of which: Goods and services	7,218	7,811	9,335	9,877	11,101	12,110	13,709	18,925	27,341	28,935	36,564
Net transactions											
Visible balance	−66	−555	−667	−156	−25	+280	−702	−2,353	−5,194	−3,203	−3,571
Services:											
General government	−290	−274	−287	−290	−309	−315	−351	−409	−538	−620	−754
Private sector (and public corporations)											
Sea transport	+5	−17	+35	−33	−76	−52	−75	−98	−118	+64	+45
Civil aviation	+31	+30	+34	+49	+50	+57	+77	+75	+96	+116	+241
Travel	−78	−38	+11	+35	+50	+47	+19	−1	+154	+245	+620
Financial services	+125	+179	+254	+332	+413	+435	+492	+551	+691	+914	+1,086
Other services	+192	+229	+234	+231	+247	+319	+378	+440	+444	+350	+606
Interest, profits and dividends											
General government	−166	−178	−241	−340	−269	−204	−143	−200	−355	−517	−652
Private sector (and public corporations)	+553	+556	+574	+838	+825	+709	+677	+1,523	+1,661	+1,417	+1,831
Transfers											
General government	−180	−188	−179	−177	−177	−205	−210	−359	−320	−379	−792
Private sector	−22	−44	−55	−49	−34	−13	−57	−91	−86	−88	−65
Invisible balance	+170	+255	+380	+596	+720	+778	+807	+1,431	+1,629	+1,502	+2,166
Current balance	+104	−300	−287	+440	+695	+1,058	+105	−922	−3,565	−1,701	−1,405
of which: Goods and services	−81	−446	−386	+168	+350	+771	−162	−1,795	−4,465	−2,134	−1,727

Source: Central Statistical Office

Visible trade in the balance of payments

TABLE **13.3**

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Exports											
Trade statistics (f.o.b.)	5,275	5,244	6,442	7,352	8,076	9,187	9,759	12,505	16,600	19,922	25,770
Coverage and valuation adjustments	–59	–83	–139	–126	–116	–229	–310	–410	–144	–461	–431
Net adjustment for recording of exports	+60	+80	+130	+43	+161	+103	–	+20	+82	–	+77
Exports balance of payments basis (f.o.b.)	5,276	5,241	6,433	7,269	8,121	9,061	9,449	12,115	16,538	19,461	25,416
Imports											
Trade statistics (c.i.f.)	5,951	6,439	7,900	8,317	9,040	9,825	11,143	15,852	23,234	24,128	31,155
Freight, insurance and port charges	–550	–627	–732	–771	–840	–936	–966	–1,291	–1,538	–1,484	–1,844
Other valuation adjustments	–31	–39	–46	–50	–61	–61	–67	–64	–44	–6	–37
New ships delivered abroad	+9	+49	+98	+155	+123	+203	+327	+377	+419	+440	+268
Other coverage adjustments	–37	–26	–120	–226	–116	–250	–286	–406	–339	–414	–555
Imports balance of payments basis (f.o.b.)	5,342	5,796	7,100	7,425	8,146	8,781	10,151	14,468	21,732	22,664	28,987
Visible balance	–66	–555	–667	–156	–25	+280	–702	–2,353	–5,194	–3,203	–3,571

Sources: Central Statistical Office; Department of Trade

Services and transfers transactions of UK government

TABLE **13.4**

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Credits											
Services											
US and Canadian forces' expenditure	16	14	12	20	18	19	19	19	18	21	25
Other military	99	11	16	7	11	9	22	45	38	42	84
European Communities institutions	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	13	19	32	44
Other	17	12	16	21	22	31	31	27	35	44	62
Total services	42	37	44	48	51	59	72	104	110	139	215
Transfers											
European Communities institutions	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	63	130	363	251
Total general government credits	42	37	44	48	51	59	72	167	240	502	466
Debits											
Services											
Military	283	264	275	282	301	315	350	424	551	645	832
Administrative, diplomatic, etc.	49	47	56	56	59	59	73	89	97	114	137
Total services	332	311	331	338	360	374	423	513	648	759	969
Transfers											
Economic grants	87	90	88	87	85	103	100	106	118	166	276
Military grants	19	21	12	9	6	6	5	5	3	2	2
Subscriptions and contributions to international organisations											
Military	5	7	7	7	7	6	9	10	10	15	25
European Communities institutions	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	187	186	350	475
Multilateral economic assistance	8	7	8	11	11	24	16	25	19	59	61
Other	37	33	35	38	36	33	35	40	56	75	107
Other transfers	24	30	29	25	32	33	45	49	58	75	97
Total transfers	180	188	179	177	177	205	210	422	450	742	1,043
Total general government debits	512	499	510	515	537	579	633	935	1,098	1,501	2,012
General government (net)	–470	–462	–466	–467	–486	–520	–561	–768	–858	–999	–1,546

Source: Central Statistical Office

Private sector services: sea transport — analysis by component

TABLE 13.5

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Credits											
Ships owned by UK operators											
Freight on exports	133	138	162	171	177	212	191	224	326	376	422
Freight on cross-trades	207	233	282	288	382	462	401	531	712	647	816
Charter receipts	32	40	48	51	88	101	184	264	448	512	613
Passenger revenue											
Visitors to the United Kingdom	19	25	23	23	19	20	18	19	22	37	42
Other passengers	33	36	36	41	46	57	70	62	70	85	99
Total	424	472	551	574	712	852	864	1,100	1,578	1,657	1,992
Ships on charter to UK operators											
Freight on exports	13	18	26	25	17	22	18	23	30	26	50
Freight on cross-trades	204	261	331	306	466	561	527	684	701	559	696
Charter receipts	9	6	9	10	17	6	7	18	63	55	45
Total	226	285	366	341	500	589	552	725	794	640	791
Overseas operators											
Disbursements in the United Kingdom	115	127	136	136	149	180	197	237	306	372	468
Total credits	765	884	1,053	1,051	1,361	1,621	1,613	2,062	2,678	2,669	3,251
Debits											
Ships owned by UK operators											
Disbursements abroad	241	239	260	273	310	397	429	494	746	791	978
Ships on charter to UK operators											
Charter payments	225	344	385	399	643	743	628	778	799	660	803
Disbursements abroad	78	86	100	98	104	120	129	167	317	299	349
Total	303	430	485	497	747	863	757	945	1,116	959	1,152
Overseas operators											
Freight on imports	204	220	259	298	361	390	475	690	897	801	1,030
Passenger revenue											
Visitors from the United Kingdom	9	9	10	12	14	18	23	27	31	49	40
Other passengers	3	3	4	4	5	5	4	4	6	5	6
Total	216	232	273	314	380	413	502	721	934	855	1,076
Total debits	760	901	1,018	1,084	1,437	1,673	1,688	2,160	2,796	2,605	3,206
Sea transport (net)	+5	−17	+35	−33	−76	−52	−75	−98	−118	+64	+45

Sources: Central Statistical Office; Department of Trade

Private sector services: civil aviation

TABLE 13.6

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Credits											
UK airlines											
Passenger revenue											
Visitors to the United Kingdom	61	64	78	106	117	129	152	199	258	370	486
Other passengers	47	50	54	56	58	66	81	80	87	65	131
Freight on exports and cross-trades	16	19	24	30	31	37	48	58	71	86	106
Other	17	19	22	26	28	24	23	21	35	39	43
Total	141	152	178	218	234	256	304	358	451	560	766
Overseas airlines											
Disbursements in the United Kingdom	39	47	57	69	82	98	106	122	174	220	285
Total credits	180	199	235	287	316	354	410	480	625	780	1051
Debits											
UK airlines											
Disbursements abroad	82	90	103	124	146	162	183	210	290	343	441
Overseas airlines											
Passenger revenue											
Visitors from the United Kingdom	48	59	72	85	89	104	115	145	178	259	295
Other passengers	7	8	11	12	13	12	14	21	23	22	22
Freight on imports	9	10	12	14	15	16	19	27	33	36	47
Other	3	2	3	3	3	3	2	2	5	4	5
Total	67	79	98	114	120	135	150	195	239	321	369
Total debits	149	169	201	238	266	297	333	405	529	664	810
Civil aviation (net)	+31	+30	+34	+49	+50	+57	+77	+75	+96	+116	+241

Sources: Central Statistical Office; Civil Aviation Authority

Private sector services: travel-geographical analysis

TABLE 13.7

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Credits											
European Communities [1]	69	71	90	106	125	132	146	199	240	328	474
Other Western Europe (including Cyprus)	22	25	30	41	48	53	64	82	113	152	242
North America	71	79	92	126	150	171	188	205	215	267	359
Rest of world	57	61	70	86	109	130	148	195	269	376	553
Total	219	236	282	359	432	486	546	681	837	1,123	1,628
Debits											
European Communities [1]	154	139	133	146	163	175	207	255	268	336	377
Other Western Europe (including Cyprus)	96	85	94	125	156	187	225	310	278	355	379
North America	16	17	15	17	23	28	32	42	49	70	97
Rest of world	31	33	29	36	40	49	63	75	88	117	155
Total	297	274	271	324	382	439	527	682	683	878	1,008
Travel (net)	–78	–38	+11	+35	+50	+47	+19	–1	+154	+245	+620

[1] Figures for all years relate to the eight countries.

Source: Department of Trade

Private sector services: financial services [1] —analysis by component

TABLE 13.8

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Credits											
Insurance	39	75	116	166	208	236	235	228	252	337	458
Banking	22	26	36	41	48	59	78	92	109	127	169
Commodity trading	30	35	40	50	60	70	90	110	140	209	201
Merchanting of other goods	5	5	7	9	12	13	15	22	30	34	46
Brokerage, etc.	29	38	55	66	85	57	74	99	160	207	212
Total	125	179	254	332	413	435	492	551	691	914	1,086

[1] Excludes earnings from services rendered to or received from associated concerns. Interest received from and profits of overseas branches, subsidiaries and associates are included in interest, profits and dividends (Table 13.10).

Source: Central Statistical Office.

Private sector services: other services—analysis by component

TABLE 13.9

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Credits											
Commissions, etc. on imports	83	85	89	91	93	94	99	111	124	125	165
Telecommunications and postal services	24	28	34	39	38	44	54	85	89	103	132
Films and television	34	49	46	43	28	40	32	28	26	37	45
Royalties, etc.	76	81	110	117	142	147	166	201	246	275	340
Services rendered by United Kingdom enterprises to related overseas enterprises	46	49	52	57	70	75	74	82	106	137	170
Agency expenses, advertising and other commercial services	29	34	37	42	45	46	50	51	58	73	83
Earnings on construction work overseas	40	51	56	69	82	104	125	155	210	283	456
Expenditure by overseas students and journalists	46	49	51	54	59	71	76	98	136	181	235
Overseas governments' and non-territorial organisations' expenditure	47	48	50	55	58	77	105	130	157	210	265
Non-governmental receipts from foreign military forces	31	37	42	42	45	58	55	58	70	84	58
Other	74	78	81	90	97	109	129	138	175	207	241
Total	530	589	648	699	757	865	965	1,137	1,397	1,715	2,190
Debits											
Commissions, etc. on exports	70	71	76	90	92	94	98	105	113	155	178
Telecommunications and postal services	23	31	38	39	44	46	59	78	87	109	126
Films and television	25	22	22	28	17	21	21	25	27	34	40
Royalties, etc.	60	71	92	105	118	123	137	160	199	239	297
Services rendered to United Kingdom enterprises by related overseas enterprises	37	39	49	52	56	60	65	78	86	114	143
Agency expenses, advertising and other commercial services	44	50	50	66	82	82	83	85	112	116	123
Services associated with UK Continental Shelf activities [1]	—	—	—	—	15	25	25	50	200	430	490
Other	79	76	87	88	86	95	99	116	129	168	187
Total	338	360	414	468	510	546	587	697	953	1,365	1,584
Other services (net)	+192	+229	+234	+231	+247	+319	+378	+440	+444	+350	+606

[1] Rough estimates: excluding service transactions recorded elsewhere in the accounts. Further explanation appears on page 26 of *UK Balance of Payments 1966–76.*

Source: Central Statistical Office

Interest, profits and dividends

TABLE 13.10

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Credits											
Direct investment[1]	429	438	568	650	710	718	911	1,450	1,490	1,583	2,064
Portfolio investment	153	145	164	161	171	166	164	192	232	221	234
Other (including oil companies)	380	394	375	527	565	595	657	1,250	1,445	1,142	1,448
Total	962	977	1,107	1,338	1,446	1,479	1,732	2,892	3,167	2,946	3,746
Debits											
Direct investment[1]	204	216	329	308	360	390	552	698	609	615	1,045
Portfolio investment	83	85	96	100	113	135	151	180	236	288	353
Other (including oil companies)	288	298	349	432	417	449	495	691	1,016	1,143	1,169
Total	575	599	774	840	890	974	1,198	1,569	1,861	2,046	2,567
Interest, profits and dividends (net)	+387	+378	+333	+498	+556	+505	+534	+1,323	+1,306	+900	+1,179

[1] Department of Trade inquiry into overseas direct investment. Credits exclude the earnings of UK oil companies; debits exclude the earnings of UK oil and insurance companies.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Inward and outward investment [1]

TABLE 13.11

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Overseas investment in UK public sector											
British government stocks [2]	+43	+48	+9	–74	–10	+82	+108	+42	+105	–13	+116
Local authorities' securities and mortgages	–8	+6	+7	–1	+2	+21	+5	+32	–10	+4	+14
Net issues abroad[3]											
Public corporation	—	—	—	+10	—	—	—	+52	+85	–4	+46
Local authorities	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	+30	—	—	—
Net borrowing abroad from banks, etc.[3]											
Public corporations	—	—	—	+9	–2	+4	+7	+19	+69	+56	+27
Local authorities	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	+3	—	—
Total	+35	+54	+16	–56	–10	+107	+120	+175	+252	+43	+203
Overseas investment in UK private sector											
Direct[4]	+195	+170	+274	+319	+354	+445	+405	+726	+837	+525	+753
Investment in UK company securities:											
Issues abroad (net)	+4	+25	+19	+6	+35	+88	+149	+138	+2	+56	+56
Other securities	–75	–46	+15	+130	+49	+100	+6	+91	+132	–24	+149
Oil and miscellaneous	+140	+211	+259	+218	+400	+419	+213	+697	+1,307	+1,162	+1,093
Total	+264	+360	+567	+673	+838	1,052	+773	+1,652	+2,278	+1,719	+2,051
UK private investment overseas											
Direct[5]	–276	–281	–410	–549	–546	–676	–737	–1,621	–1,575	–1,094	–1,874
Portfolio:											
London Market Loans—net new issues	+18	–18	+10	+7	+16	–1	+4	+20	+29	+28	+24
Other	+65	–41	–246	–41	–108	–20	–589	+273	+726	–77	+141
Oil and miscellaneous	–110	–116	–81	–96	–151	–139	–61	–520	–329	–240	–391
Total	–303	–456	–727	–679	–789	–836	–1,383	–1,848	–1,149	–1,383	–2,100

[1] Net of disinvestment. Assets: increase–/decrease+. Liabilities: increase+/decrease–. [2] Excluding investment by central monetary institutions and international organisations which is included in *item 9* of Table 13.1. [3] Excluding foreign currency borrowing by the public sector under the exchange cover scheme which is included under Official financing. [4] Department of Trade inquiry into overseas direct investment; excluding oil and insurance. [5] Department of Trade inquiry into direct investment overseas; excluding oil, but includes investment by a number of public corporations.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Official long-term capital

TABLE 13.12

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Inter-government loans											
Loans made by the United Kingdom	–94	–87	–90	– 82	–110	–125	–110	– 93	–108	–113	– 54
Loans repaid to the United Kingdom	30	26	30	30	27	32	34	31	33	34	37
Inter-government loans by the United Kingdom (net)[1]	–64	–61	–60	–52	–83	–93	–77	–62	– 75	– 79	– 17
Loans made to the United Kingdom	50	88	98	117	9	4	–	–	–	–	–
Loans repaid by the United Kingdom	–47	–66	–44	–112	–104	–100	–112	– 91	– 84	– 83	– 21
Inter-government loans to the United Kingdom (net)[1]	+3	+22	+54	+5	–95	–96	–112	–91	– 84	– 83	– 21
Inter-government loans (net)	–61	–39	–6	–48	–178	–189	–188	–153	–159	–162	– 38
Other official long-term capital (net)	–20	–20	+22	–51	–27	–85	–67	–101	–117	–126	–120
Total official long-term capital	–81	–59	+16	–99	–205	–274	–255	–254	–276	–288	–158

[1] Assets: increase–/decrease+. Liabilities: increase+/decrease–. Components have been rounded independently of the totals.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Official financing

TABLE 13.13

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Net transactions with overseas monetary authorities											
International Monetary Fund[1]											
UK drawings	+44	–	+583	+354	+63	–	–	–	–	–	+1018
UK repurchases	–	–249	–77	–382	–141	–541	–313	–	–	–	–
Other net drawings[2]	–29	–89	–	–2	–56	–13	–102	–	–	–	–
Total	+15	–339	+506	–30	–134	–554	–415	–	–	–	+1018
Other monetary authorities											
Foreign currency	+14	+173	+18	–61	–150	–	–	–	–	–	–20
Sterling	+280	+518	+772	–608	–1,011	–1,263	+864	–	–	–	–14
Total	+294	+691	+790	–669	–1,161	–1,263	+864	–	–	–	–34
Foreign currency borrowing:											
by HM government[3]	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	+644	+423	–
by public sector under exchange cover scheme	–	–	–	+56	–	+82	–	+999	+1,107	+387	+1791
Transfer from dollar portfolio to reserves	+316	+204	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Drawings on (+)/additions to (–) official reserves[4]	–34	+115	+114	–44	–125	–1,536	+692	–228	–105	+655	+853
Total official financing	+591	+671	+1,410	–687	–1,420	–3,271	+1,141	+771	+1,646	+1,465	+3,628

[1] Components and the total are rounded independently. From July 1972, includes credit tranche transactions and from January 1976 UK drawings on the oil facility. [2] Drawings and repurchases in sterling by other countries which affect the UK's repurchase obligations to the IMF. [3] Drawings on an euro-dollar facility for HM government to borrow $2,500 million. [4] From 23 August 1971, valued in sterling at market related rates of exchange. From July 1972, includes transactions affecting the United Kingdom reserve position in the IMF.

Source: Bank of England

Official reserves [1] [2]

TABLE 13.21

End of year

$ million

	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Gold	2,265	1,940	1,291	1,474	1,472	1,348	843	801	887	888	888	888
IMF Special Drawing Rights	–	–	–	–	–	266	642	656	724	830	840	728
Convertible currencies	739	1,159	1,404	948	1,056	1,213	5,097	4,063	4,725	4,823	3,335	2,513
Reserve position in the IMF	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	126	140	248	366	–
Total official reserves $ millions	3,004	3,099	2,695	2,422	2,528	2,827	6,582	5,646	6,476	6,789	5,429	4,129
£ *millions* [3]	*1,073*	*1,107*	*1,123*	*1,009*	*1,053*	*1,178*	*2,526*	*2,404*	*2,787*	*2,890*	*2,683*	*2,426*

[1] From end-1970 convertible currencies are valued at middle or central rates. Special Drawing Rights are valued at SDR 1 = $1 until end-1970; at SDR 1 = $1.08571 from end-1971 to end-1972; and at SDR 1 = $1.20635 thereafter. Gold is valued at $35 per fine ounce until end-1970; at $38 per fine ounce from end-1971 to end-1972; and at $42.2222 per fine ounce thereafter. [2] In July 1972 the official reserves were redefined to include the UK reserve position in the IMF, which at that time amounted to $760 million. From end-1964 to end-1971 this was nil. [3] Total reserves valued as in [1] above are converted to sterling at $2.8 = £1 from end-1964 to end-1966; at $2.4 = £1 from end-1967 to end-1970; at $2.60571 = £1 at end-1971; and at end-year dollar/sterling middle-market closing rates thereafter.

Source: HM Treasury; Bank of England

UK public expenditure on overseas aid

Gross disbursements – analysis by major components [1]

TABLE 13.22

£ million

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total public expenditure on overseas aid ...	208.4	210.3	210.1	218.2	273.0	282.2	284.5	351.9	439.2	513.6
Aid programme (gross): total	200.9	203.0	210.8	213.8	264.7	276.1	274.1	339.2	425.1	509.5
Bilateral: total	181.9	184.3	177.7	193.8	234.3	227.1	211.6	254.1	291.0	372.2
Financial aid: projects										
General	60.0	55.6	51.8	54.7	79.8	79.2	84.3	74.6	93.1	105.1
Commonwealth Development Corporation	7.8	9.4	13.9	8.9	15.2	14.1	10.5	22.0	13.2	21.8
Financial aid: non-project	80.6	78.0	68.4	84.7	85.9	72.4	44.1	81.1	88.6	118.0
Total financial aid	148.4	142.9	134.1	148.2	180.9	165.7	138.9	177.7	194.8	244.9
Technical co-operation	33.5	41.3	43.6	45.6	53.4	61.4	72.6	76.4	96.3	127.4
Multilateral: total	19.0	18.7	33.1	20.0	30.4	48.9	62.6	85.1	134.0	137.2
Financial aid	14.3	13.1	26.6	13.2	23.3	38.9	50.4	71.7	105.7	109.4
Technical co-operation	4.7	5.6	6.5	6.8	7.2	10.0	12.1	13.4	28.2	27.8
Other overseas aid (gross): total	7.5	7.3	−0.8	4.4	8.2	6.2	10.4	12.7	14.1	4.1
Bilateral: total	7.5	7.3	−0.8	4.4	8.2	6.2	10.4	12.7	14.1	4.1
General	6.8	5.0	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Commonwealth Development Corporation	0.8	2.3	−0.8	4.4	8.2	6.2	10.4	12.7	14.1	4.1

[1] See introductory notes to Chapter XIII.

Source: Ministry of Overseas Development

UK public expenditure on overseas aid [1]

Multilateral disbursements

TABLE 13.23

£ million

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total multilateral disbursements	19.0	18.7	33.1	20.0	30.4	48.9	62.6	85.1	131.5	137.2
Financial aid: total	14.3	13.1	26.6	13.2	23.2	38.9	50.4	71.7	103.2	109.4
UN agencies										
United Nations Relief and Works Agency	1.8	1.9	1.9	2.0	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.3	–
United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees	–	–	–	–	0.1	0.4	0.8	0.2	1.8	–
World Food Programme [2]	0.4	0.8	2.5	2.2	2.8	0.7	0.7	1.5	7.0	1.6
Other	–	–	–	–	2.0	11.7	7.8	2.2	0.9	–
World Bank group:										
International Bank for Reconstruction and Development	–	–	–	1.4	1.7	1.6	1.3	1.7	1.7	8.4
International Development Association [3]	11.5	9.2	20.2	6.4	14.2	20.5	30.1	47.5	64.4	59.4
Regional development banks:										
African Development Fund	–	–	–	–	–	–	0.1	–	–	–
Caribbean Development Bank	–	–	–	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.7	2.3
Inter-American Development Bank ...	–	–	1.3	0.1	0.2	0.9	1.2	1.3	1.3	4.7
Asian Development Bank	0.7	1.3	0.6	0.6	0.2	1.0	3.1	3.1	4.3	5.5
Other	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1.5
European Economic Community	–	–	–	–	–	–	3.0	11.8	18.9	26.0
Technical co-operation: total	4.7	5.6	6.5	6.8	7.2	10.0	12.1	13.4	28.2	27.8
UN agencies										
United Nations Development Programme	4.2	4.9	5.9	5.9	6.0	8.0	8.5	9.2	14.7	13.6
United Nations Children's Fund	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.7	1.2	1.3	3.5	2.3
United Nations Fund for Population Activities	–	–	–	0.2	0.3	0.6	1.4	1.0	1.8	2.0
United Nations Relief and Works Agency [4]	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	3.7
United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees [4]	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	0.7
Other	–	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.7	1.1	1.9	8.2	5.5

[1] See introductory notes to Chapter XIII. [2] Including from 1969 to 1971 part of the UK contribution under the Food Aid Convention. [3] For years prior to 1968 the figures are of contributions by promissory notes. For 1968 and subsequent years the figures are of encashment of promissory notes. [4] UN Relief and Works Agency and UN High Commission for Refugees included in technical co-operation from 1976.

Source: Ministry of Overseas Development

UK public expenditure on overseas aid

Gross bilateral disbursements — analysis by main recipient countries [1]

TABLE 13.24

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total bilateral disbursements	193.7	189.4	191.6	177.0	198.2	242.5	233.3	221.9	266.8	305.2	376.3
Africa: total	68.4	69.8	73.6	63.1	61.3	63.8	59.0	64.7	74.6	79.2	106.0
Kenya	12.1	9.6	11.0	10.8	11.1	9.8	10.6	11.7	16.4	9.5	21.0
Mauritius	1.5	1.8	3.9	1.9	1.7	1.7	1.2	1.9	2.4	2.2	1.8
Seychelles	0.3	0.8	1.0	0.5	1.7	3.2	3.5	3.4	3.7	3.3	3.9
Tanzania	4.4	1.2	1.8	1.8	2.0	2.1	1.7	1.5	1.5	4.1	4.4
Uganda	4.6	5.0	3.9	4.0	4.4	4.0	3.3	1.8	0.4	0.2	0.1
General EAC	2.9	3.0	2.0	1.5	1.0	2.2	2.0	3.0	2.7	2.3	2.4
Botswana	4.7	5.6	5.8	4.9	2.8	4.4	3.4	3.3	4.0	4.8	6.6
Lesotho	3.9	4.0	4.3	3.7	0.7	3.1	2.4	1.9	2.5	3.9	2.1
Malawi	8.9	8.6	7.8	7.2	7.7	5.8	8.2	6.9	8.1	10.7	16.0
Swaziland	3.8	4.4	3.7	4.4	3.1	1.5	3.8	3.4	3.5	3.4	2.5
Zambia	6.4	14.1	10.8	5.7	2.6	5.4	4.2	7.1	8.4	9.9	11.4
Gambia	0.8	0.8	1.2	0.9	0.4	0.6	0.9	0.9	1.2	1.5	1.7
Ghana	0.5	0.5	6.3	5.7	5.5	6.9	1.8	1.8	1.1	1.4	3.1
Nigeria	6.3	6.0	6.3	5.6	11.0	7.1	6.5	7.8	6.0	5.8	5.5
Other countries	7.1	4.4	3.8	4.5	5.7	4.5	5.5	8.4	12.7	16.2	23.5
America: total	18.8	14.1	15.9	17.9	20.4	29.2	24.7	25.4	30.0	40.2	40.0
Anguilla	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	0.6	0.8	0.6
Barbados	0.4	–	0.2	0.3	0.6	1.3	1.2	1.2	0.5	0.2	0.3
Belize	0.7	1.9	2.0	2.6	2.3	1.8	1.2	1.6	1.9	2.3	3.9
Dominica	0.9	0.7	0.7	0.8	1.4	2.3	1.3	1.4	0.9	1.5	1.9
Jamaica	1.8	1.5	3.6	3.2	1.8	2.8	3.0	3.3	4.8	2.2	0.9
Montserrat	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.6	0.6	0.9	0.9	0.8	1.6	1.2
St Kitts-Nevis[2]	0.7	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.8	2.3	2.5	2.2	1.4	0.5	0.9
St Lucia	0.5	0.4	0.7	0.7	2.3	3.3	2.0	1.5	1.9	2.8	3.0
St Vincent	0.8	0.9	0.8	0.9	1.2	1.8	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.9	1.4
Turks and Caicos Islands	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.9	1.2	1.0	1.4	2.0
Virgin Islands (Br)	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.6	3.3	1.2	0.9	0.7	1.1	1.4
Guyana	2.3	1.7	2.3	2.5	3.6	2.7	2.3	0.8	1.5	1.7	1.4
Other countries	9.8	5.6	4.2	5.5	4.6	6.3	6.9	9.2	12.8	22.2	21.1
Asia: total	84.3	83.0	75.5	71.4	83.7	108.8	109.3	90.0	120.2	124.7	157.0
Hong Kong	0.4	0.6	0.3	0.1	0.2	1.5	1.2	0.1	0.1	0.7	0.2
Malaysia	5.4	5.6	7.1	4.0	6.5	6.0	6.1	4.8	5.4	7.0	4.5
Singapore	0.2	1.9	0.9	5.5	7.9	7.7	7.5	7.4	4.5	0.4	0.4
Indonesia	–	0.7	1.1	2.3	2.7	5.8	6.8	8.1	8.9	6.8	4.7
Laos	1.7	1.6	1.3	1.2	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.1
Bangladesh	–	–	–	–	–	–	2.5	2.7	6.4	14.3	13.7
India	43.7	37.5	40.1	34.0	44.8	62.1	55.8	49.4	75.4	68.1	109.3
Sri Lanka	2.8	4.5	4.0	4.5	4.5	6.0	3.7	2.1	1.6	2.7	5.5
Nepal	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.9	1.1	1.8	2.3	2.3	3.2	2.3	1.7
Pakistan[3]	10.7	11.9	9.5	11.1	10.6	8.3	12.3	4.4	3.6	6.6	6.5
General—Indus Basin	2.7	2.7	4.3	2.1	–	1.7	4.5	0.5	1.5	0.7	–
Jordan	2.6	2.2	1.4	2.1	1.1	3.0	2.1	2.4	1.0	6.9	3.9
Other countries	13.6	13.4	5.2	3.4	3.4	4.1	3.7	4.8	7.8	7.3	6.5
Europe: total	13.9	12.7	13.2	7.9	13.9	17.3	12.4	9.8	7.7	7.4	6.4
Gibraltar	0.6	1.0	0.4	0.6	1.1	1.6	1.9	2.6	2.8	1.4	1.7
Malta	6.1	5.6	6.8	4.0	7.3	9.4	2.8	4.4	3.5	3.5	3.6
Turkey	6.9	6.0	5.2	3.0	5.2	6.1	7.0	2.5	0.9	1.5	0.2
Other countries	0.3	0.1	0.8	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.7	0.3	0.5	1.0	0.9
Oceania: total	4.0	4.2	6.1	7.7	8.3	8.5	10.9	13.8	14.1	19.3	25.5
Fiji	1.3	1.0	1.8	2.8	2.4	3.3	1.9	3.6	3.9	3.9	5.5
Gilbert and Ellice Islands	0.2	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.8	0.9	1.5	2.2	2.1	2.4	2.0
New Hebrides	0.8	0.7	0.9	1.2	1.2	1.3	2.2	2.8	2.8	3.8	5.5
Solomon Islands (Br)	1.6	1.8	2.5	3.0	3.3	2.8	4.8	4.6	4.8	8.8	9.4
Other countries	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.7	0.5	0.4	3.1
Unallocated: total	4.2	5.5	7.4	8.8	10.5	14.8	16.9	18.3	20.2	34.4	41.4

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[1] See introductory notes on page 324. [2] Includes Anguilla up to and including 1973. [3] Includes East Pakistan up to and including 1971.

Source: Ministry of Overseas Development

UK public expenditure on overseas aid

Components of gross bilateral disbursements — analysis by main recipient countries [1]

TABLE 13.25

£ million

	1974				1975				1976			
	Financial aid			Technical co-operation (Grants)	Financial aid			Technical co-operation (Grants)	Financial aid			Technical co-operation (Grants)
	Loans		Grants		Loans		Grants		Loans		Grants	
	(Gross)	(Net)			(Gross)	(Net)			(Gross)	(Net)		
Total bilateral disbursement	142.7	101.6	47.7	76.4	140.0	96.4	68.9	96.3	79.7	33.6	169.2	127.4
Africa: total	29.6	14.2	14.5	30.6	26.4	13.0	17.3	35.5	30.2	14.9	26.9	48.9
Kenya	9.5	5.8	2.3	4.6	3.7	0.5	0.9	4.8	8.5	3.8	3.9	8.6
Mauritius	1.8	1.4	—	0.6	1.8	1.3	—	0.4	1.1	0.5	—	0.6
Seychelles	0.1	0.1	2.9	0.8	—	—	2.3	1.0	—	–0.1	2.7	1.1
Tanzania	0.2	–0.4	—	1.3	0.2	–0.5	1.8	2.0	—	–0.8	2.6	1.9
Uganda	—	–1.0	—	0.4	—	–0.2	—	0.2	0	–0.1	–0	0.1
General — EAC	—	–0.7	—	2.7	—	–0.5	—	2.3	—	–0.8	—	2.4
Botswana	1.8	1.7	0.9	1.3	2.0	1.8	0.9	1.8	3.1	2.9	0.8	2.6
Lesotho	—	—	2.0	0.6	—	—	3.2	0.7	—	—	1.2	0.8
Malawi	4.8	3.9	—	3.2	6.2	5.1	1.1	3.3	4.8	3.5	6.9	4.3
Swaziland	2.9	2.5	0.2	0.4	2.5	1.4	—	0.9	1.0	0.4	–0	1.4
Zambia	2.5	2.2	1.5	4.4	3.6	3.3	1.6	4.7	2.5	2.2	2.0	6.9
Gambia	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.5	0.9	0.7	—	0.6	0.9	0.7	–0	0.8
Ghana	—	–0.6	—	1.1	—	–0.7	—	1.4	—	–1.6	0.4	2.7
Nigeria	2.2	2.3	—	3.8	2.4	–0.6	—	3.5	1.6	–1.0	0.1	3.8
Other countries	3.3	–3.4	4.5	4.9	3.1	1.4	5.5	7.9	6.7	5.3	6.3	10.8
America: total	11.7	9.1	10.7	7.6	15.3	12.1	15.1	9.8	13.0	7.6	15.2	11.8
Anguilla	—	—	0.6	—	—	—	0.7	0.1	—	—	0.5	0.1
Barbados	0.3	0.3	—	0.2	—	—	—	0.2	—	–0.1	—	0.3
Belize	—	—	1.5	0.4	—	–0.1	1.9	0.4	—	–0.1	3.4	0.5
Dominica	0.2	0.2	0.6	0.2	—	—	1.4	0.1	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.2
Jamaica	4.2	3.4	—	0.6	1.7	0.5	—	0.6	0.3	–0.7	—	0.6
Montserrat	—	—	0.7	0.1	—	—	1.4	0.1	—	—	1.1	0.2
St Kitts-Nevis[2]	0.1	0.1	1.2	0.1	—	—	0.4	0.1	—	—	0.7	0.2
St Lucia	1.0	0.9	0.7	0.2	0.3	0.3	1.8	0.7	0.9	0.7	1.5	0.6
St Vincent	0.3	0.3	0.8	0.1	—	—	1.8	0.1	—	—	1.3	0.2
Turks and Caicos Is.	—	—	0.9	0.1	—	—	1.3	0.2	—	—	1.8	0.2
Virgin Is. (Br)	—	—	0.5	0.2	—	—	1.0	0.1	0	—	1.2	0.2
Guyana	1.3	0.3	—	0.2	1.6	0.6	—	0.2	1.1	0.1	—	0.3
Other countries	4.3	3.6	3.2	5.2	11.7	10.8	3.4	6.9	9.8	6.8	2.9	8.2
Asia: total	97.2	77.6	10.2	12.8	91.5	67.6	18.2	15.0	31.6	9.0	108.6	16.8
Hong Kong	—	–0.3	—	0.1	0.6	–0.3	—	0.1	—	–0.1	0.1	0.2
Malaysia	3.7	1.4	—	1.7	5.2	1.7	—	1.8	3.1	2.6	—	1.3
Singapore	4.0	3.7	—	0.4	—	–0.6	—	0.4	—	–0.8	0	0.3
Indonesia	8.1	8.0	—	0.8	5.0	4.9	0.4	1.4	2.5	2.1	0	2.2
Laos	—	—	0.7	0.1	—	—	0.7	0.1	—	—	—	0.1
Bangladesh	1.0	1.0	4.5	0.9	7.5	7.5	5.7	1.0	1.5	1.5	10.9	1.3
India	74.3	59.4	—	1.2	60.0	43.2	6.5	1.6	16.6	–2.0	91.1	1.6
Sri Lanka	1.1	0.4	—	0.5	2.0	1.2	—	0.7	1.6	0.6	3.2	0.7
Nepal	—	–0.1	2.5	0.7	0.1	—	1.3	0.9	0	–0.1	0.7	1.0
Pakistan	2.7	2.6	0.7	0.2	3.0	3.0	3.1	0.5	3.6	3.6	2.0	1.0
General—Indus Basin	—	—	1.5	—	—	—	0.7	—	—	—	—	—
Jordan	0.3	–0.3	—	0.7	6.2	5.5	—	0.7	2.5	1.8	—	1.4
Other countries	2.0	1.8	0.3	5.5	1.9	1.5	–0.2	5.8	0.2	–0.2	0.6	5.7
Europe: total	1.2	–2.2	5.7	0.7	1.6	–1.4	5.1	0.8	0.1	–2.1	5.4	0.9
Gibraltar	0.5	0.5	2.2	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.9	0.2	—	—	1.4	0.3
Malta	—	–0.2	3.5	—	—	–0.2	3.5	—	—	–0.1	3.5	0.1
Turkey	0.7	–2.3	—	0.2	1.2	–1.2	—	0.2	0	–2.0	0	0.2
Other countries	—	–0.2	—	0.4	0.1	–0.3	0.7	0.4	0.1	—	0.5	0.3
Oceania	2.6	2.5	6.6	4.8	5.1	5.0	8.9	5.3	4.9	4.4	12.7	7.9
Fiji	1.6	1.5	0.7	1.7	2.6	2.5	—	1.3	2.6	2.1	0.1	2.8
Gilbert and Ellice Is	—	—	1.3	0.8	—	—	1.5	0.9	—	—	0.7	1.3
New Hebrides	—	—	2.3	0.6	—	—	3.1	0.7	—	—	4.6	1.0
Solomon Is (Br)	0.9	0.9	2.2	1.7	2.4	2.4	4.2	2.2	1.2	1.2	5.7	2.4
Other countries	0.1	0.1	0.1	—	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	1.1	1.1	1.6	0.4
Unallocated: total	0.3	0.3	—	19.9	0.1	0.1	4.3	29.9	–0.1	–0.2	0.4	41.1

[1] See introductory notes on page 324.

Source: Ministry of Overseas Development

Foreign exchange rates

Averages of daily mean Telegraph Transfer rates in London

TABLE 13.31

Rates to £

	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967		1968	1969	1970
							1 January to 17 November (a)	21 November to 31 December (b)			
United States dollars	2.8023	2.8078	2.8003	2.7927	2.7962	2.7932	2.7901	2.4133	2.3937	2.3903	2.3960
Canadian dollars[1]	2.8389	..	3.0201	3.0130	3.0139	3.0089	3.0092	2.6032	2.5794	2.5740	2.5023
Belgian francs	139.70	139.70	139.61	138.92	138.77	139.16	138.63	119.80	119.50	119.85	118.96
Swiss francs	12.103	12.140	12.100	12.060	12.098	12.083	12.078	10.418	10.331	10.308	10.327
French francs[2]	13.745	13.758	13.721	13.684	13.702	13.723	13.730	11.837	11.855	..	13.244
Italian lire	1739.8	1742.8	1740.2	1743.3	1746.7	1744.0	1741.0	1505.4	1491.9	1499.1	1502.4
Dutch florins[3]	..	10.115	10.082	10.072	10.065	10.108	10.055	8.681	8.664	8.660	8.664
Deutschemarks [4]	..	11.224	11.161	11.099	11.165	11.168	11.122	9.615	9.555	..	8.736
Swedish kronor	14.478	14.474	14.527	14.383	14.424	14.428	14.399	12.481	12.369	12.356	12.423
Norwegian kroner	20.013	20.039	20.017	19.984	19.989	19.971	19.953	17.238	17.096	17.074	17.116
Danish kroner	19.347	19.375	19.329	19.308	19.331	19.293	19.325	18.012	17.912	17.970	17.964
Austrian schillings	72.65	72.48	72.31	72.11	72.19	72.16	72.09	62.32	61.84	61.81	61.93
Portuguese escudos	80.21	80.21	80.22	80.20	80.19	80.15	80.22	69.44	68.60	68.11	68.44
Japanese yen	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	857.84

	1971					1972		1973 (i)(j)	1974	1975	1976
	1 Jan to 10 May (c)	1 Jan to 13 Aug (d)	11 May to 13 Aug (e)	23 Aug to 17 Dec (f)	21 Dec to 31 Dec (g)	1 Jan to 22 Jun (h)	27 Jun to 29 Dec				
United States dollars		2.4168		2.4866	2.5507	2.6031	2.4076	2.4526	2.3402	2.2200	1.8049
Canadian dollars		2.4471		2.5028	2.5511	2.5925	2.3731	2.4528	2.2883	2.2575	1.7804
Belgian francs		119.98		116.54	115.11	114.59	105.90	95.30	91.03	81.40	69.74
Swiss francs	10.377		9.891	9.862	9.959	10.041	9.103	7.758	6.965	5.7228	4.5175
French francs [5]		13.336		13.728	13.325	13.175	12.094	10.899	11.246	9.5003	8.6081
Italian lire		1505.4		1520.3	1515.2	1521.3	1402.1	1426.4	1521.9	1446.09	1497.16
Dutch florins	8.683		8.584	8.355	8.325	8.331	7.746	6.837	6.283	5.5993	4.7783
Deutschemarks	8.771		8.513	8.283	8.333	8.293	7.680	6.540	6.049	5.4469	4.5519
Swedish kroner		12.479		12.462	12.432	12.437	11.403	10.674	10.374	9.1912	7.8698
Norwegian kroner		17.213		17.047	17.104	17.208	15.805	14.076	12.913	11.5672	9.8598
Danish kroner		18.100		18.070	18.034	18.175	16.395	14.777	14.227	12.7200	10.9209
Austrian schillings	62.42		60.36	61.48	60.30	60.24	55.52	47.82	43.64	38.53	32.42
Portuguese escudos		68.82		68.02	69.15	70.45	64.63	59.58	58.89	56.38	54.32
Japanese yen		863.78		810.74	803.11	794.35	712.94	664.56	682.66	658.08	535.43

(a) Before devaluation of sterling and the Danish kroner on 18 November. (b) After devaluation.

(c) The Swiss franc and the Austrian schilling were revalued on 10 May, and maintainance of dealings within official limits was suspended for Dutch florins and Deutschemarks.

(d)(e) The convertibility of the US dollar into gold was suspended on 15 August. Several countries then suspended the maintainance of dealings within official limits.

(f)(g) New central or middle rates were agreed on 17/18 December.

(h) The Bank of England suspended maintenance of dealings within official limits from 23 June.

(i) The London Foreign Exchange market was closed on 12 February 1973 and re-opened on 13 February after the announcement of the devaluation of the United States dollar by 10%

(j) The European central banks withdrew from the foreign exchange markets on 2 March. The market officially re-opened on 19 March, after a 3% revaluation of the Deutschemark, with the EEC currencies, other than sterling and the lire, floating jointly against the US dollar.

[1] Rates in 1962 2.9492 to 2 May; 3.0278 from 3 May.

[2] Rates in 1969 11.861 to 8 August; 13.307 from 11 August.

[3] Rates in 1961 10.598 to 4 March; 10.085 from 7 March.

[4] Rates in 1961 11.694 to 3 March; 11.167 from 6 March. Rates in 1969: 9.554 to 29 September, 8.948 from 30 September to 24 October (a period of floating) and 8.838 from 27 October.

[5] Rates relate to commercial francs from 23 August 1971 when the French authorities separated this market from the one in financial francs in which there were no official dealing limits. Financial francs averaged 13.417 from 31 August to 17 December 1971, 13.331 from 21 to 31 December 1971, 12.937 from 1 January to 22 June 1972 and 12.0942 from 27 June to 29 December 1972.

Source: Bank of England

XIV. National Income and Expenditure

The tables which follow are taken from those in *National Income and Expenditure 1966–76*, published by Her Majesty's Stationery Office (September 1977). Some of the figures are provisional and may have to be revised later; this applies particularly to the figures for 1976.

A general description of the statistics, together with a detailed description of the sources, methods and definitions used in making the estimates, is given in *National Accounts Statistics: Sources and Methods* (HMSO, 1968) and is brought up to date in *National Income and Expenditure 1966–76*.

In the tables in this section the analyses by industry are based, as far as possible, on the Standard Industrial Classification 1968.

The first aggregate measured in these tables is the **gross national product**. This is an estimate of the value of the goods and services produced by UK residents (the gross domestic product) together with net property income from abroad. The gross national product is not identical with the **national income**. The latter is defined as equal to the total of goods and services becoming available after deducting what is required to maintain real capital intact (the gross national product *less* capital consumption).

Gross domestic product (Table 14.1). The upper part of this table shows the various money flows which generate the gross domestic product. These include expenditure by UK final buyers—that is, expenditure on goods and services other than for use in current production and re-sale—and expenditure on British exports by overseas purchasers. The sum of these two items overstates the amount of income generated in the United Kingdom by the value of imports of goods and services; this item is therefore subtracted.

Total expenditure is first measured at market prices (the prices paid by the final buyer) which include taxes on expenditure and subsidies. Deduction of taxes on expenditure and addition of subsidies result in the total gross domestic product at factor cost; which is equal to the sum of the incomes of the factors of production before deduction of depreciation.

The lower part of the table shows the contribution to the gross national product of the different factors of production. The profit items in the table—professional earnings, income from farming, profits of other sole traders and partnerships, trading profits of companies, trading surpluses of public corporations and of other public enterprises—are shown before any deduction for depreciation and before providing for stock appreciation. (Stock appreciation is the change in value of stocks due to the change, if any, in the prices at which stocks are valued in the reckoning of profits.) This element of stock appreciation is deducted in reckoning the total of the gross national product.

Personal income and expenditure (Table 14.2). 'Persons' are here defined as including unincorporated businesses and private non-profit-making bodies. Income is shown gross before providing for depreciation or stock appreciation. Employers' national insurance contributions are treated as employee income taxed at source and therefore appear under both income and expenditure. Personal saving before providing for depreciation or stock appreciation is estimated as a residual and is subject to a wide margin of error.

Corporate income appropriation account (Table 14.3). Trading profits earned in the United Kingdom are shown before providing for stock appreciation and before deduction of depreciation allowances. Profits from operations outside the United Kingdom are included under income earned abroad. Dividends paid by one company to another are excluded both from dividends and from non-trading income. Additions to dividend reserves represent the excess of provision for dividends out of the year's income over the dividends actually paid in the year. Additions to tax reserves represent the net excess of accruals of tax over the amount actually paid.

Current account of central government including National Insurance Funds (Table 14.4). This presentation of the government accounts differs from the Exchequer accounts in a number of important respects. It is an account for the whole of the government, including National Insurance Funds, not for the Exchequer alone. Secondly, it excludes certain receipts and payments which are regarded as capital items. Thirdly, it differs considerably in its treatment of the receipts and payments of trading services.

Summary capital account (Table 14.6). This table brings together the saving and investment of the several sectors of the economy and shows the total investment at home and overseas.

International transactions (Table 14.7). This account is equivalent to the current account of the balance of payments. The items are the same as those given in *United Kingdom Balance of Payments 1966–76*. Imports and exports of services include such 'invisible' items as shipping services, travel and government overseas expenditure. Current transfers include grants for economic and military aid to overseas governments, migrants' remittances and private gifts.

Index numbers of gross domestic product and gross national disposable income (Table 14.8). This table brings together the various estimates of gross domestic product and the average estimate of gross national disposable income at constant market prices. They are shown in index number form with the base year for the constant price estimates as 100. The average estimates relate to the unweighted arithmetic average of the three estimates based on expenditure, income and output data.

Gross domestic product by industry (Table 14.9). This table shows the contribution of each industry to the gross domestic product, measured as the sum of income, before providing for depreciation, arising in the industry. This is also equal to the 'value added' by the industry, that is, the excess of the value of its current output over the value of goods and services purchased from outside the industry and used in production.

Expenditure and output at constant prices (Tables 14.10 and 14.11). These tables contain two virtually independent estimates of the gross domestic product of the United Kingdom at 1970 prices. The estimates in Table 14.10 are based on the index of industrial production and other statistics relating to the volume of output; those in Table 14.11 have been derived by revaluing estimates of final expenditure on goods and services at average 1970 prices. With full and accurate information the two methods would in theory lead to the same result. In practice, because there are numerous imperfections and gaps in the data, the two methods produce different results. Notes on the rebasing of constant price estimates on 1970 are given in *National Income and Expenditure 1966–76.*

Company appropriation account (Table 14.13). With the introduction of the imputation system of corporation tax from 6 April 1973, companies paying dividends, instead of deducting income tax which had to be accounted for to the Inland Revenue and paying the dividend net, have been liable to pay advance corporation tax to the Inland Revenue in respect of the dividend paid; the rate of advance corporation tax was thirty-seventieths of the dividend paid up to 31 March 1974, thirty-three sixty-sevenths in the following year and has been thirty-five sixty-fifths thereafter. These payments of advance corporation tax are mainly made in the first month following the end of the quarter in which dividends were paid; they can subsequently be set against companies' corporation tax liability. This change in the taxation system is reflected in the company sector appropriation account, so that, for example payments of ordinary dividends, previously shown gross of income tax, now appear as actual payments; the associated advance corporation tax is included within payments of UK taxes on income.

Company profits (Table 14.14). Trading profits, before deduction of tax or interest payments of companies and co-operative societies operating in the United Kingdom, including UK branches and subsidiaries of non-resident parent companies.

For 1968 onwards this table gives preliminary estimates based on a reclassification of company profits by the Inland Revenue according to the Standard Industrial Classification 1968, but estimates on this basis are not available for earlier years. Since this table is based on a classification of companies assessed for tax the revisions to the industrial classification can be expected to have a smaller effect on these estimates than on estimates (for example the census of production results) prepared on an establishment basis.

Public corporations: appropriation account (Table 14.15). A list of the public corporations included in this account is given in *National Accounts Statistics: Sources and Methods.* This can be updated by reference to the notes in *National Income and Expenditure 1966–76.*

Value of physical increase in stocks and work in progress (Table 14.16). This table gives a broad analysis by industry, and, for manufacturing industry, by asset, of the physical increase in stocks and work in progress. The physical increase at current prices equals the change in the book value of stocks *less* stock appreciation.

Gross domestic fixed capital formation (Table 14.18). Fixed capital formation comprises expenditure on the replacement of, and additions to, the stock of fixed capital assets located in the United Kingdom, including all ships and aircraft of UK ownership.

Analysis of general government expenditure (Table 14.17). This table analyses the expenditure on current and capital account of the central government and local authorities excluding transfer payments between the two sectors. All operating expenditure by trading bodies is excluded: but where operating receipts are less than operating expenditure and the deficit is met by a subsidy, the amount of the subsidy is included. Debt interest and non-trading capital consumption are omitted from the functional analysis, as they cannot be allocated satisfactorily. The economic classification of each of the functional heads is shown in Table 9.4 of *National Income and Expenditure 1966–76.* The coverage of each of the heads is described in *National Accounts Statistics: Sources and Methods.*

An alternative analysis of government expenditure, in financial years, on social services and housing appears in Tables 3.1 to 3.6

Gross national product

TABLE **14.1**

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Expenditure											
Consumers' expenditure	24,260	25,466	27,390	29,104	31,696	35,399	39,944	45,201	51,977	63,552	73,656
General government final consumption	6,502	7,194	7,640	7,973	8,964	10,212	11,630	13,198	16,503	22,746	26,562
Gross domestic fixed capital formation	6,922	7,523	8,200	8,590	9,453	10,515	11,604	14,127	16,947	20,656	23,427
Value of physical increase in stocks and work in progress	342	336	460	446	444	110	62	1,412	1,138	–1,423	359
Total domestic expenditure at market prices	38,026	40,519	43,690	46,113	50,557	56,236	63,240	73,938	86,565	105,531	124,004
Exports of goods and services	7,137	7,365	8,949	10,045	11,451	12,881	13,547	17,130	22,876	26,801	34,837
less Imports of goods and services	–7,218	–7,811	–9,335	–9,877	–11,101	–12,110	–13,709	–18,925	–27,341	–28,935	–36,564
less Taxes on expenditure	–5,421	–5,997	–6,809	–7,782	–8,415	–8,787	–9,264	–10,122	–11,435	–14,146	–16,660
Subsidies	559	801	895	839	876	931	1,144	1,471	2,987	3,827	3,463
Gross domestic product at factor cost	33,083	34,877	37,390	39,338	43,368	49,151	54,958	63,492	73,652	93,078	109,080
Factor incomes											
Income from employment	22,814	23,751	25,408	27,160	30,415	33,659	37,916	43,571	52,738	68,674	78,639
Income from self-employment[1]	2,671	2,835	3,110	3,377	3,774	4,383	5,415	6,707	7,690	8,916	10,208
Gross trading profits of companies [1]	4,592	4,625	5,254	5,668	5,930	6,695	7,469	9,233	9,962	9,677	12,445
Gross trading surplus of public corporations[1]	1,042	1,132	1,363	1,451	1,447	1,520	1,681	2,063	2,556	3,067	4,460
Gross trading surplus of government enterprises [1]	106	110	132	153	151	177	140	135	132	143	120
Rent[2]	1,822	2,010	2,216	2,475	2,833	3,162	3,615	4,265	5,292	6,654	7,771
Imputed charge for consumption of non-trading capital	233	247	271	297	332	377	429	541	647	809	1,012
Total domestic income[1]	33,280	34,710	37,754	40,581	44,882	49,973	56,665	66,515	79,017	97,940	114,655
less Stock appreciation	–360	–190	–600	–745	–1,157	–1,090	–1,401	–3,183	–6,147	–5,358	–6,557
Residual error	163	357	236	–498	–357	268	–306	160	782	496	982
Gross domestic product at factor cost	33,083	34,877	37,390	39,338	43,368	49,151	54,958	63,492	73,652	93,078	109,080
Net property income from abroad	387	378	333	498	556	505	534	1,323	1,306	900	1,179
Gross national product	33,470	35,255	37,723	39,836	43,924	49,656	55,492	64,815	74,958	93,978	110,259
less Capital consumption	–3,090	–3,272	–3,577	–3,899	–4,437	–5,082	–5,813	–6,900	–8,384	–10,918	–13,583
National income	30,380	31,983	34,146	35,937	39,487	44,574	49,679	57,915	66,574	83,060	96,676

[1] Before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation. [2] Before providing for depreciation.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Personal income and expenditure

TABLE 14.2

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Income before tax											
Wages and salaries	20,389	21,173	22,566	24,188	26,984	29,673	33,141	38,024	45,856	59,300	67,185
Pay in cash and kind of HM Forces	523	524	542	539	658	758	862	925	1,071	1,283	1,473
Employers' contributions:											
National insurance, etc.	906	966	1,099	1,141	1,356	1,459	1,710	2,054	2,791	4,075	5,085
Other	996	1,088	1,201	1,292	1,417	1,769	2,203	2,568	3,020	4,016	4,896
Total income from employment	22,814	23,751	25,408	27,160	30,415	33,659	37,916	43,571	52,738	68,674	78,639
Professional persons [1]	440	473	514	544	608	731	857	1,064	1,241	1,418	1,674
Farmers [1]	612	654	658	703	775	856	1,027	1,392	1,671	2,010	2,356
Other sole traders and partnerships [1]	1,619	1,708	1,938	2,130	2,391	2,796	3,531	4,251	4,778	5,488	6,178
Total income from self-employment [1]	2,671	2,835	3,110	3,377	3,774	4,383	5,415	6,707	7,690	8,916	10,208
Rent, dividends and net interest:											
Receipts by life assurance and superannuation funds	898	974	1,090	1,187	1,339	1,495	1,650	1,972	2,163	2,582	3,133
Other receipts	2,932	3,040	3,127	3,358	3,355	3,527	3,663	4,205	5,363	6,479	7,318
Total	3,830	4,014	4,217	4,545	4,694	5,022	5,313	6,177	7,526	9,061	10,451
Current transfers to charities from companies	30	32	34	35	36	38	41	42	42	42	42
National insurance benefits and other current grants from general government	2,825	3,189	3,679	3,937	4,334	4,783	5,844	6,421	7,869	10,201	12,822
Capital consumption of non-profit-making bodies	39	42	47	53	60	68	75	96	125	157	192
Total personal income [1] [2]	32,209	33,863	36,495	39,107	43,313	47,953	54,604	63,014	75,990	97,051	112,354
Expenditure											
Consumers' expenditure	24,260	25,466	27,390	29,104	31,696	35,399	39,944	45,201	51,977	63,552	73,656
Transfers abroad (net)	22	44	55	49	34	13	57	91	86	88	65
United Kingdom taxes on income:											
Payments	3,689	4,069	4,524	5,139	5,850	6,424	6,592	7,781	10,430	15,097	17,610
Additions to tax reserves	38	76	145	109	68	91	387	610	514	528	439
National insurance, etc. contributions	1,804	1,909	2,165	2,244	2,654	2,835	3,333	3,937	5,000	6,835	8,426
Total current expenditure	29,813	31,564	34,279	36,645	40,302	44,762	50,313	57,620	68,007	86,100	100,196
Balance: saving [1] [2]	2,396	2,299	2,216	2,462	3,011	3,191	4,291	5,394	7,983	10,951	12,158
Total	32,209	33,863	36,495	39,107	43,313	47,953	54,604	63,014	75,990	97,051	112,354

[1] Before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation. [2] Estimates of total personal disposable income and saving before providing for additions to tax reserves are as follows (*£ million*):

	1966	*1967*	*1968*	*1969*	*1970*	*1971*	*1972*	*1973*	*1974*	*1975*	*1976*
Personal disposable income	26,694	27,841	29,751	31,675	34,775	38,681	44,622	51,205	60,474	75,031	86,253
Saving	2,434	2,375	2,361	2,571	3,079	3,282	4,678	6,004	8,497	11,479	12,597
Saving as a percentage of personal disposable income	*9.1*	*8.5*	*7.9*	*8.1*	*8.9*	*8.5*	*10.5*	*11.7*	*14.1*	*15.3*	*14.6*
Personal disposable income at 1970 prices [3]	32,218	32,679	33,279	33,563	34,775	35,704	38,587	40,852	41,456	41,625	41,460

Personal disposable income equals total personal income *less* payments of United Kingdom taxes on income, national insurance, etc. contributions, and transfers abroad (net). [3] Personal disposable income revalued by the implied consumer's expenditure deflator (1970 = 100).

Source: Central Statistical Office

Corporate income appropriation account

TABLE 14.3

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Income											
Income arising in the United Kingdom:											
Gross trading profit of companies and trading surplus of public corporations [1] . .	5,634	5,757	6,617	7,119	7,377	8,215	9,150	11,296	12,518	12,744	16,905
Rent and non-trading income .	1,424	1,574	1,847	2,057	2,304	2,634	3,170	4,559	5,701	6,124	7,437
Total income arising in the United Kingdom	7,058	7,331	8,464	9,176	9,681	10,849	12,320	15,855	18,219	18,868	24,342
Income from abroad [2]	793	811	947	1,176	1,253	1,250	1,444	2,557	2,746	2,503	3,306
Total income	7,851	8,142	9,411	10,352	10,934	12,099	13,764	18,412	20,965	21,371	27,648
Allocation of income											
Dividends and interest: Payments [3]	3,186	3,321	3,594	4,024	4,085	4,471	4,774	6,122	7,437	8,049	9,198
Additions to dividend and interest reserves	4	20	99	–67	35	121	361	41	132	–26	–148
Current transfers to charities from companies	30	32	34	35	36	38	41	42	42	42	42
Profits due abroad [2], net of United Kingdom tax	210	222	336	290	359	453	629	754	655	622	999
United Kingdom taxes on income: Payments [3]	866	1,188	1,226	1,291	1,597	1,454	1,484	1,903	2,826	2,269	2,089
Additions to tax reserves	314	85	417	520	20	53	355	911	–855	–312	256
Balance: undistributed income after taxation [1]	3,241	3,274	3,705	4,259	4,802	5,509	6,120	8,639	10,728	10,727	15,212
Total	7,851	8,142	9,411	10,352	10,934	12,099	13,764	18,412	20,965	21,371	27,648

[1] Before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation. [2] After deducting depreciation allowances but before providing for stock appreciation. [3] From April 1973 figures reflect change to imputation system of corporation tax.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Current account of central government including National Insurance Fund

TABLE **14.4**

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Receipts											
Gross trading surplus [1]	15	16	30	40	35	42	9	6	32	55	39
Rent, dividends and interest	695	758	878	1,015	1,163	1,345	1,527	1,744	2,091	2,478	2,982
Taxes on income	4,566	5,262	5,755	6,436	7,453	7,884	8,083	9,295	12,548	16,537	18,724
Taxes on expenditure	4,047	4,530	5,261	6,104	6,588	6,701	6,885	7,475	8,378	10,163	12,120
National insurance, etc. contributions	1,804	1,909	2,165	2,244	2,654	2,835	3,333	3,937	5,000	6,835	8,426
Imputed charge for consumption of non-trading capital	56	59	65	70	78	88	97	121	164	212	265
Total	11,183	12,534	14,154	15,909	17,971	18,895	19,934	22,578	28,213	36,280	42,556
Expenditure											
Final consumption	4,100	4,497	4,737	4,850	5,410	6,144	6,915	7,715	9,972	13,236	15,755
Subsidies	480	720	801	726	763	835	1,069	1,359	2,719	3,391	2,980
National insurance benefits	1,894	2,084	2,360	2,429	2,713	2,925	3,475	3,927	4,922	6,377	7,916
Other current grants to personal sector	825	985	1,186	1,360	1,459	1,686	2,149	2,221	2,634	3,407	4,346
Debt interest	1,036	1,105	1,240	1,280	1,298	1,384	1,591	1,812	2,184	2,696	3,650
Current grants to local authorities	1,481	1,706	1,898	2,099	2,450	2,858	3,233	3,965	4,726	7,709	9,367
Current grants paid abroad	180	188	179	177	177	205	210	359	320	379	792
Total current expenditure	9,996	11,285	12,401	12,921	14,270	16,037	18,642	21,358	27,477	37,195	44,806
Balance: current surplus [1]	1,187	1,249	1,753	2,988	3,701	2,858	1,292	1,220	736	–915	–2,250
Total	11,183	12,534	14,154	15,909	17,971	18,895	19,934	22,578	28,213	36,280	42,556

[1] Before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Current account of local authorities

TABLE **14.5**

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Receipts											
Gross trading surplus [1]	91	94	102	113	116	135	131	129	100	88	81
Rent, dividends and interest	488	545	616	698	779	822	852	1,117	1,575	2,000	2,490
Rates	1,374	1,467	1,548	1,678	1,827	2,086	2,379	2,647	3,057	3,983	4,540
Current grants from central government	1,481	1,706	1,898	2,099	2,450	2,858	3,233	3,965	4,726	7,709	9,367
Imputed charge for consumption of non-trading capital	138	146	159	174	194	221	257	324	358	440	555
Total	3,572	3,958	4,323	4,762	5,366	6,122	6,852	8,182	9,816	14,220	17,033
Expenditure											
Final consumption	2,402	2,697	2,903	3,123	3,554	4,068	4,715	5,483	6,531	9,510	10,807
Subsidies	79	81	94	113	113	96	75	112	268	436	483
Current grants to personal sector	106	120	133	148	162	172	220	273	313	417	560
Debt interest	600	671	791	930	1,068	1,104	1,170	1,489	2,057	2,416	2,894
Total current expenditure	3,187	3,569	3,921	4,314	4,897	5,440	6,180	7,357	9,169	12,779	14,744
Balance: current surplus [1]	385	389	402	448	469	682	672	825	647	1,441	2,289
Total	3,572	3,958	4,323	4,762	5,366	6,122	6,852	8,182	9,816	14,220	17,033

[1] Before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation.

Source: Central Statistical Office

TABLE 14.6

Summary capital account

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Receipts											
Balance from current or appropriation account [1]											
Personal sector	2,396	2,299	2,216	2,462	3,011	3,191	4,291	5,394	7,983	10,951	12,158
Industrial and commercial companies	2,360	2,365	2,700	3,044	3,660	4,330	4,906	6,533	8,687	8,365	11,218
Financial companies	215	244	254	273	336	468	601	882	783	690	1,099
Public corporations	653	666	818	884	831	810	930	1,196	1,347	1,596	2,749
Central government	1,187	1,249	1,753	2,988	3,701	2,858	1,292	1,220	736	–915	–2,250
Local authorities	385	389	402	448	469	682	672	825	647	1,441	2,289
Total	7,196	7,212	8,143	10,099	12,008	12,339	12,692	16,050	20,183	22,128	27,263
Additions to dividend interest and tax reserves:											
Personal sector	38	76	145	109	68	91	387	610	514	528	439
Industrial and commercial companies	339	87	422	515	25	52	349	909	–858	301	229
Public corporations	–8	17	27	–4	5	23	50	71	46	39	25
Saving before providing for depreciation, stock appreciation and additions to reserves:											
Personal sector	2,434	2,375	2,361	2,571	3,079	3,282	4,678	6,004	8,497	11,479	12,597
Industrial and commercial companies	2,699	2,452	3,122	3,559	3,685	4,382	5,255	7,442	7,829	8,064	11,447
Financial companies	215	244	254	273	336	468	601	882	783	690	1,099
Public corporations	645	683	845	880	836	833	980	1,267	1,393	1,635	2,774
Central government	1,187	1,249	1,753	2,988	3,701	2,858	1,292	1,220	736	–915	–2,250
Local authorities	385	389	402	448	469	682	672	825	647	1,441	2,289
Total	7,565	7,392	8,737	10,719	12,106	12,505	13,478	17,640	19,885	22,394	27,956
Capital transfers (net):											
Personal sector	–156	–170	–233	–397	–358	–326	–377	–325	–310	–300	–60
Industrial and commercial companies	21	232	427	574	479	554	380	347	333	403	359
Financial companies	–2	–4	–5	–30	–73	–62	–61	–76	–66	–16	–129
Public corporations	11	16	69	70	76	84	122	152	215	286	366
Central government	64	–165	–380	–339	–250	–373	–168	–235	–285	–456	–577
Local authorities	62	91	122	122	126	123	104	78	38	83	41
Residual error	163	357	236	–498	–357	268	–306	160	782	496	982
Total	7,728	7,749	8,973	10,221	11,749	12,773	13,172	17,741	20,592	22,890	28,938
Expenditure											
Gross domestic fixed capital formation:											
Personal sector	1,076	1,196	1,348	1,240	1,296	1,899	2,435	2,225	2,199	3,042	3,546
Industrial and commercial companies	2,423	2,362	2,614	2,985	3,350	3,468	3,900	4,825	6,078	6,983	7,745
Financial companies	286	333	445	633	697	724	764	1,356	1,445	1,652	2,024
Public corporations	1,458	1,669	1,624	1,487	1,679	1,862	1,774	2,061	2,815	3,949	4,730
Central government	335	395	456	487	578	602	641	773	941	1,225	1,388
Local authorities	1,344	1,568	1,713	1,758	1,853	1,960	2,090	2,887	3,469	3,805	3,994
Total	6,922	7,523	8,200	8,590	9,453	10,515	11,604	14,127	16,947	20,656	23,427
Increase in book value of stocks and work in progress:											
Personal sector	64	70	146	159	201	273	397	718	775	659	869
Industrial and commercial companies	567	353	828	940	1,329	758	940	3,764	6,147	2,278	5,163
Financial companies	—	—	35	84	–37	–35	17	–58	–13	45	24
Public corporations	46	76	16	–34	65	153	82	137	344	916	821
Central government	25	27	35	42	43	51	27	34	32	37	39
Total	702	526	1,060	1,191	1,601	1,200	1,463	4,595	7,285	3,935	6,916
Net investment abroad	104	–300	–287	440	695	1,058	105	–981	–3,640	–1,701	–1,405
Total	7,728	7,749	8,973	10,221	11,749	12,773	13,172	17,741	20,592	22,890	28,938
Net acquisition of financial assets:											
Personal sector	1,138	939	634	775	1,224	784	1,469	2,736	5,213	7,478	8,122
Industrial and commercial companies	–270	–31	107	208	–515	710	795	–800	4,063	–794	–1,102
Financial companies	–73	–93	–231	–474	–397	–283	–241	–492	–715	–1,023	–1,078
Public corporations	–848	–1,046	–726	–503	–832	–1,098	–754	–779	–1,551	–2,944	–2,411
Central government	891	662	882	2,120	2,830	1,832	456	178	–522	–2,633	–4,254
Local authorities	–897	–1,088	–1,189	–1,188	–1,258	–1,155	–1,314	–1,984	–2,784	–2,281	–1,664

[1] Saving before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation, but after providing for additions to reserves.

Source: Central Statistical Office

International transactions

TABLE 14.7

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
United Kingdom credits											
Exports of goods[1]	5,276	5,241	6,433	7,269	8,121	9,061	9,449	12,115	16,538	19,461	25,416
Exports of services	1,861	2,124	2,516	2,776	3,330	3,820	4,098	5,015	6,338	7,340	9,421
Property income from abroad	1,487	1,558	1,914	2,277	2,607	2,939	3,505	5,466	7,377	6,605	7,918
UK taxes paid by non-residents on portfolio income	11	5	5	6	6	6	7	2	—	—	—
UK taxes paid on profits due abroad	175	143	131	166	271	264	249	339	399	453	691
Exports and property income from abroad	8,810	9,071	10,999	12,494	14,335	16,090	17,308	22,937	30,652	33,859	43,446
Current transfers											
To personal sector	135	143	171	181	192	215	231	295	355	395	420
To central government	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	63	130	363	251
Total	8,945	9,214	11,170	12,675	14,527	16,305	17,539	23,295	31,137	34,617	44,117
United Kingdom debits											
Imports of goods	5,342	5,796	7,100	7,425	8,146	8,781	10,151	14,468	21,732	22,664	28,987
Imports of services	1,876	2,015	2,235	2,452	2,955	3,329	3,558	4,457	5,609	6,271	7,577
Property income paid abroad	761	747	910	1,012	1,167	1,244	1,454	1,910	2,260	2,499	3,258
Foreign taxes paid by UK residents	525	581	807	939	1,161	1,460	1,773	2,574	4,210	3,659	4,172
Imports and property income paid abroad	8,504	9,139	11,052	11,828	13,429	14,814	16,936	23,409	33,811	35,093	43,994
Current transfers:											
From personal sector	157	187	226	230	226	228	288	386	441	483	485
From central government	180	188	179	177	177	205	210	422	450	742	1,043
Net investment and capital transfers abroad [2]	104	–300	–287	440	695	1,058	105	–922	–3,565	–1,701	–1,405
Total	8,945	9,214	11,170	12,675	14,527	16,305	17,539	23,295	31,137	34,617	44,117

[1] Including a net adjustment for recording. [2] Equal to the current balance in the balance of payments accounts: *United Kingdom Balance of Payments 1966–76*

Source: Central Statistical Office

Index numbers of gross domestic product and gross national disposable income

TABLE 14.8

1970 = 100

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Gross domestic product at current factor cost											
Based on expenditure data	76.3	80.4	86.2	90.7	100.0	113.3	126.7	146.4	169.8	214.6	251.5
Based on income data	75.3	78.9	85.0	91.1	100.0	111.8	126.4	144.8	166.7	211.7	247.2
Gross domestic product at constant factor cost											
Based on expenditure data	90.4	92.8	96.2	97.8	100.0	102.6	104.3	111.1	110.5	108.6	111.6
Based on income data	89.3	91.1	94.8	98.2	100.0	101.2	104.0	109.9	108.4	107.2	109.7
Based on output data	90.9	92.5	96.4	98.3	100.0	101.5	104.4	110.3	109.7	107.7	108.9
Average estimate	90.2	92.1	95.8	98.1	100.0	101.8	104.2	110.4	109.5	107.8	110.1
Gross domestic product at constant market prices											
Average estimate	90.4	92.5	95.9	97.8	100.0	102.1	105.3	111.7	110.8	109.1	111.5
Gross national disposable income at constant market prices											
Average estimate	90.1	91.9	94.8	97.4	100.0	102.2	105.1	109.7	104.8	104.9	106.8

Source: Central Statistical Office

Gross domestic product by industry [1]

TABLE **14.9**

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	1,061	1,106	1,101	1,174	1,242	1,359	1,518	1,881	2,136	2,575	3,116
Mining and quarrying	689	675	670	611	698	683	835	860	1,050	1,673	2,458
Manufacturing	11,003	11,194	12,003	13,051	14,300	15,562	16,884	19,078	21,694	26,343	30,464
Construction	2,261	2,391	2,562	2,728	2,874	3,192	3,853	5,094	5,977	6,960	7,793
Gas, electricity and water	1,069	1,145	1,299	1,389	1,378	1,574	1,745	1,921	2,324	3,028	3,905
Transport	2,079	2,087	2,349	2,506	2,727	3,018	3,329	3,909	4,448	5,721	6,624
Communication	703	753	813	930	1,045	1,190	1,458	1,712	2,216	2,970	3,691
Distributive trades	3,756	3,911	4,053	4,240	4,522	5,246	6,046	6,618	7,230	8,838	10,379
Insurance, banking, finance and business services	1,929	2,137	2,416	2,535	2,974	3,582	4,356	5,471	5,628	6,430	7,717
Ownership of dwellings	1,535	1,693	1,861	2,073	2,372	2,636	3,011	3,552	4,485	5,732	6,723
Public administration and defence	2,095	2,246	2,403	2,614	2,930	3,463	3,908	4,414	5,436	7,288	8,458
Public health and educational services	1,646	1,779	1,929	2,086	2,359	2,757	3,314	3,721	4,812	7,163	8,055
Other services	4,037	4,391	4,799	5,081	5,642	6,139	6,899	7,680	8,718	11,522	13,417
Total	33,863	35,508	38,258	41,018	45,063	50,401	57,156	65,911	76,154	96,243	112,800
Adjustment for financial services	–943	–988	–1,104	–1,182	–1,338	–1,518	–1,892	–2,579	–3,284	–3,661	–4,702
Residual error	163	357	236	–498	–357	268	–306	160	782	496	982
Gross domestic product at factor cost	33,083	34,877	37,390	39,338	43,368	49,151	54,958	63,492	73,652	93,078	109,080

[1] The contribution of each industry to the gross domestic product before providing for depreciation but after providing for stock appreciation.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Index numbers of output at constant factor cost[1]

TABLE 14.10

1970=100

	Weight per 1,000	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	*30*	91	94	94	95	100	106	108	111	116	110	101
Industrial production:												
Mining and quarrying	*16*	115.3	114.5	111.2	104.0	100.0	100.0	84.1	92.6	78.8	86.0	89.2
Manufacturing[2]	*327*	89.2	89.8	96.0	99.6	100.0	99.2	101.5	110.3	109.4	102.0	103.1
Construction	*64*	96.7	100.4	102.7	102.0	100.0	103.1	104.9	107.0	97.9	92.6	88.9
Gas, electricity and water	*32*	83.0	86.0	91.5	96.0	100.0	103.9	111.4	118.1	118.7	120.6	123.9
Total industrial production[2]	*439*	90.6	91.7	97.2	99.8	100.0	100.1	102.0	109.8	107.2	101.4	102.0
Transport and communication:												
Transport	*60*	. .	. .	93	97	100	101	104	113	111	110	111
Communication	*24*	. .	. .	90	94	100	102	109	118	123	125	129
Total transport and communication	*84*	88	89	92	96	100	101	106	114	114	114	116
Distributive trades	*104*	92	94	97	98	100	101	107	114	113	110	111
Insurance, banking, finance and business services	*73*	82	91	90	94	100	107	112	120	126	130	131
Ownership of dwellings	*56*	90	92	95	97	100	102	105	107	109	111	113
Professional and scientific services	*101*	89	92	97	98	100	103	107	111	115	121	124
Miscellaneous services	*71*	98	97	98	98	100	103	108	110	107	106	108
Public administration and defence	*73*	99	102	101	100	100	101	102	104	104	106	108
Adjustment for financial services	*−31*	84	99	93	96	100	108	116	128	137	138	136
Gross domestic product[2]	*1,000*	90.9	92.5	96.4	98.3	100.0	101.5	104.4	110.3	109.7	107.7	108.9

[1] This table provides a measure of changes in the volume of goods and services produced. For an account of the general methods of compiling the index numbers, see *The measurement of changes in production,* Studies in Official Statistics No. 25 (HMSO 1976). See also the notes to Table 2.2 in *National Income and Expenditure 1966–76* (HMSO 1977). [2] As from 1970 the figures are adjusted to allow for the use of delivery rather than production indicators to represent output in certain industries within manufacturing.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Expenditure and output at 1970 prices

TABLE **14.11**

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
At 1970 market prices											
Consumers' expenditure	29,280	29,891	30,638	30,839	31,696	32,675	34,542	36,062	35,631	35,257	35,405
General government final consumption	8,489	8,973	9,004	8,836	8,964	9,228	9,611	9,966	10,177	10,711	11,049
Gross domestic fixed capital formation	8,097	8,780	9,182	9,216	9,453	9,682	9,797	10,253	10,287	10,062	9,724
Value of physical increase in stocks and work in progress . .	424	371	493	466	444	92	34	1,321	596	–743	66
Exports of goods and services . .	8,725	8,864	9,898	10,862	11,451	12,308	12,485	13,944	14,795	14,314	15,369
Total final expenditure at market prices	55,015	56,879	59,215	60,219	62,008	63,985	66,469	71,546	71,486	69,601	71,613
less Imports of goods and services	–8,873	–9,502	–10,216	–10,559	–11,101	–11,659	–12,839	–14,393	–14,681	–13,689	–14,207
Gross domestic product at market prices	46,142	47,377	48,999	49,660	50,907	52,326	53,630	57,153	56,805	55,912	57,406
Net property income from abroad	478	461	366	530	556	486	499	1,002	702	427	465
Gross national product at market prices	46,620	47,838	49,365	50,190	51,463	52,812	54,129	58,155	57,501	56,339	57,871
Index numbers (1970 = 100):											
Gross domestic product at market prices	*90.6*	*93.1*	*98.0*	*97.6*	*100.0*	*102.8*	*105.3*	*112.3*	*111.6*	*109.8*	*112.8*
Gross national product at market prices	*90.6*	*93.0*	*95.9*	*97.5*	*100.0*	*102.6*	*105.2*	*113.0*	*111.7*	*109.5*	*112.5*
At 1970 factor cost											
Gross domestic product at market prices	46,142	47,377	48,999	49,660	50,907	52,326	53,630	57,153	56,805	55,912	57,406
Adjustment to factor cost [1] . .	–6,918	–7,115	–7,278	–7,252	–7,539	–7,817	–8,416	–8,971	–8,881	–8,806	–9,012
Gross domestic product at factor cost	39,224	40,262	41,721	42,408	43,368	44,509	45,214	48,182	47,924	47,106	48,394
Net property income from abroad	478	461	366	530	556	486	499	1,002	702	427	465
Gross national product at factor cost	39,702	40,723	42,087	42,938	43,924	44,995	45,713	49,184	48,626	47,533	48,859
less Capital consumption	–3,641	–3,827	–4,021	–4,192	–4,437	–4,628	–4,842	–5,012	–5,157	–5,416	–5,622
Net national product at factor cost	36,061	36,896	38,066	38,746	39,487	40,367	40,871	44,172	43,469	42,117	43,237
Index numbers (1970 = 100):											
Gross domestic product at factor cost [2] *. . . . .*	*90.4*	*92.8*	*96.2*	*97.8*	*100.0*	*102.6*	*104.3*	*111.1*	*110.5*	*108.6*	*111.6*
Gross national product at factor cost	*90.4*	*92.7*	*95.8*	*97.8*	*100.0*	*102.4*	*104.1*	*112.0*	*110.7*	*108.2*	*111.2*
Net national product at factor cost	*91.3*	*93.4*	*96.4*	*98.1*	*100.0*	*102.2*	*103.5*	*111.9*	*110.1*	*106.7*	*109.5*

[1] This represents taxes on expenditure *less* subsidies valued at constant rates. [2] Alternative estimates of the gross domestic product are given in Tables 14.8 and 14.10.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Consumers' expenditure at current prices

TABLE 14.12

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Household expenditure on food:											
Total	5,297	5,437	5,643	5,952	6,336	6,924	7,357	8,386	9,758	12,044	14,095
Bread and cereals	692	717	747	769	822	874	940	1,016	1,296	1,514	1,672
Meat and bacon	1,474	1,500	1,579	1,674	1,786	1,950	2,083	2,544	2,874	3,373	3,895
Fish	176	174	181	182	193	210	231	270	303	358	421
Oils and fats	248	243	237	246	267	331	325	310	380	495	545
Sugars, preserves and confectionery	494	513	533	561	602	658	715	739	940	1,249	1,370
Dairy products	783	799	842	877	930	1,070	1,122	1,274	1,305	1,590	1,959
Fruit	330	337	354	369	365	422	433	517	585	684	756
Potatoes and vegetables	612	646	644	715	752	768	834	962	1,146	1,534	1,980
Beverages	322	337	345	365	403	425	444	479	598	821	1,000
Other manufactured food	166	171	181	194	216	216	230	275	331	426	497
Alcoholic drink:											
Total	1,626	1,739	1,870	2,029	2,299	2,593	2,910	3,415	3,926	4,902	5,912
Beer	951	1,021	1,067	1,201	1,355	1,526	1,662	1,807	2,071	2,679	3,282
Spirits	453	471	519	520	611	670	777	1,004	1,140	1,392	1,625
Wines, cider and perry	222	247	284	308	333	397	471	604	715	831	1,005
Tobacco	1,504	1,512	1,578	1,694	1,720	1,691	1,808	1,945	2,239	2,748	3,106
Housing:											
Total	2,851	3,098	3,347	3,664	4,061	4,612	5,322	6,085	7,327	9,384	10,921
Rent, rates and water charges	2,376	2,546	2,739	2,983	3,324	3,769	4,374	4,989	5,965	7,544	8,592
Maintenance, repairs and improvements by occupiers	495	552	608	681	737	843	948	1,096	1,362	1,840	2,329
Fuel and light: Total	1,161	1,208	1,340	1,429	1,495	1,619	1,798	1,897	2,268	2,917	3,595
Coal and coke	370	361	355	355	364	340	322	316	366	398	437
Electricity	490	521	607	637	663	747	851	905	1,096	1,529	1,879
Gas	233	258	301	356	381	437	512	539	617	773	1,003
Other	68	68	77	81	87	95	113	137	189	217	276
Clothing: Total	2,154	2,219	2,375	2,505	2,753	2,990	3,383	3,891	4,553	5,296	5,938
Footwear	368	377	395	413	454	489	556	634	735	860	990
Other clothing	1,786	1,842	1,980	2,092	2,299	2,501	2,827	3,257	3,818	4,436	4,948
Durable goods:											
Total	1,757	1,894	2,128	2,073	2,408	3,089	3,840	4,167	3,985	4,842	5,764
Motor cars and motor cycles, new and second-hand	703	777	875	809	997	1,438	1,792	1,805	1,455	1,845	2,385
Furniture and floor coverings	578	594	662	666	720	821	970	1,100	1,179	1,420	1,622
Radio, electrical and other durable goods	476	523	591	598	691	830	1,078	1,262	1,351	1,577	1,757
Other household goods	732	758	825	858	929	1,031	1,187	1,348	1,556	1,814	2,061
Books, newspapers and magazines	349	360	406	416	460	541	621	646	769	958	1,089
Chemists' goods	345	368	416	451	501	581	659	764	896	1,080	1,245
Miscellaneous recreational goods	507	545	617	675	760	846	962	1,140	1,336	1,524	1,736
Other miscellaneous goods	318	333	375	389	420	455	541	642	802	924	1,025
Running costs of motor vehicles:											
Total	1,083	1,228	1,428	1,595	1,692	1,849	2,114	2,407	3,090	3,874	4,418
Petrol and oil	539	608	714	809	859	942	1,093	1,249	1,718	2,232	2,541
Motor vehicle and driving licences	144	160	213	231	247	256	270	275	292	400	489
Other	400	460	501	555	586	651	751	883	1,080	1,242	1,388
Travel: Total	801	828	872	941	1,019	1,161	1,298	1,473	1,648	2,077	2,467
Rail	179	181	183	207	232	263	291	322	353	451	545
Bus, coach and tram	396	396	408	422	449	508	538	567	628	802	944
Air	120	134	157	180	188	214	270	355	394	514	617
Other	106	117	124	132	150	176	199	229	273	310	361
Communication services	215	235	252	288	342	395	460	553	652	927	1,192
Entertainment and recreational services	425	451	472	513	550	620	706	843	980	1,179	1,370
Domestic service	130	134	134	135	136	140	151	175	218	293	361
Catering (meals and accommodation)	1,250	1,275	1,346	1,427	1,568	1,697	1,893	2,148	2,442	2,832	3,266
Wages, salaries, etc. paid by private non-profit-making bodies	287	310	342	381	445	490	562	618	718	893	1,032
Capital consumption of assets owned by private non-profit-making bodies	39	42	47	53	60	68	75	96	125	157	192
Insurance	292	317	361	397	449	540	602	710	783	945	1,142
Other services	943	1,039	1,138	1,198	1,272	1,436	1,628	1,751	1,950	2,123	2,274
Income in kind not included elsewhere	52	51	49	50	44	50	57	60	79	108	115
less Expenditure by foreign tourists in the United Kingdom	–279	–303	–355	–437	–518	–588	–659	–819	–1,020	–1,364	–1,936
Consumers' expenditure in the United Kingdom	23,839	25,078	27,006	28,676	31,201	34,830	39,275	44,341	51,080	62,477	72,380
Consumers' expenditure abroad	421	388	384	428	495	569	669	860	897	1,075	1,276
Total	24,260	25,466	27,390	29,104	31,696	35,399	39,944	45,201	51,977	63,552	73,656

Source: Central Statistical Office

Consumers' expenditure at 1970 prices

TABLE **14.12** (*continued*)

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Household expenditure on food:											
Total	6,153	6,195	6,241	6,240	6,336	6,331	6,282	6,366	6,365	6,407	6,448
Bread and cereals	834	831	825	812	822	794	785	785	779	769	779
Meat and bacon	1,720	1,725	1,739	1,750	1,786	1,786	1,740	1,678	1,693	1,748	1,740
Fish	204	204	209	202	193	189	185	181	162	177	178
Oils and fats	262	260	259	264	267	262	247	254	259	273	247
Sugar, preserves and confectionery	617	624	615	594	602	612	632	661	637	579	619
Dairy products	903	910	917	917	930	957	970	985	996	1,007	996
Fruit	365	346	363	365	365	378	355	364	353	343	363
Potatoes and vegetables	695	728	736	743	752	754	765	801	791	792	775
Beverages	359	372	378	385	403	396	402	423	466	488	512
Other manufactured food	194	195	200	208	216	203	201	234	229	231	239
Alcoholic drink:											
Total	1,922	2,001	2,108	2,149	2,299	2,454	2,641	2,989	3,085	3,091	3,205
Beer	1,158	1,196	1,235	1,309	1,355	1,419	1,464	1,549	1,551	1,609	1,645
Spirits	503	512	548	522	611	650	739	916	991	970	995
Wines, cider and perry	261	293	325	318	333	385	438	524	543	512	565
Tobacco	1,742	1,751	1,743	1,724	1,720	1,658	1,748	1,859	1,835	1,748	1,688
Housing:											
Total	3,591	3,721	3,851	3,992	4,061	4,166	4,260	4,344	4,410	4,482	4,595
Rent, rates and water charges	2,977	3,056	3,150	3,239	3,324	3,396	3,473	3,548	3,631	3,706	3,772
Maintenance, repairs and improvements by occupiers	614	665	701	753	737	770	787	796	779	776	823
Fuel and light:											
Total	1,387	1,393	1,432	1,485	1,495	1,480	1,534	1,574	1,616	1,596	1,592
Coal and coke	488	452	427	408	364	307	264	249	260	221	196
Electricity	562	581	610	640	663	681	724	751	752	731	715
Gas	263	287	318	356	381	405	448	468	510	552	584
Other	74	73	77	81	87	87	98	106	94	92	97
Clothing:											
Total	2,425	2,462	2,596	2,638	2,753	2,800	2,965	3,114	3,087	3,143	3,184
Footwear	414	416	427	435	454	460	480	497	503	517	535
Other clothing	2,011	2,046	2,169	2,203	2,299	2,340	2,485	2,617	2,584	2,626	2,649
Durable goods:											
Total	2,085	2,218	2,371	2,217	2,408	2,866	3,442	3,589	3,023	2,964	3,135
Motor cars and motor cycles, new and second-hand	833	916	975	870	997	1,329	1,588	1,515	1,056	1,054	1,167
Furniture and floor coverings	698	700	749	720	720	753	842	852	754	766	781
Radio, electrical and other durable goods	554	602	647	627	691	784	1,012	1,222	1,213	1,144	1,187
Other household goods	870	895	941	929	929	961	1,049	1,093	1,073	1,023	1,010
Books, newspapers and magazines	501	500	483	472	460	467	481	490	472	449	438
Chemists' goods	432	450	473	483	501	528	584	675	713	697	697
Miscellaneous recreational goods	623	656	705	722	760	785	855	952	970	948	947
Other miscellaneous goods	427	444	430	422	420	433	518	593	623	609	606
Running costs of motor vehicles:											
Total	1,329	1,453	1,572	1,636	1,692	1,746	1,907	2,015	2,029	1,969	2,045
Petrol and oil	672	709	787	822	859	889	991	1,070	1,038	1,018	1,101
Motor vehicle and driving licences	207	229	238	235	247	255	269	274	291	288	307
Other	450	515	547	579	586	602	647	671	700	663	637
Travel:											
Total	991	986	973	1,004	1,019	1,022	1,089	1,161	1,120	1,109	1,076
Rail	217	215	211	223	232	227	222	230	229	219	202
Bus, coach and tram	519	503	489	479	449	430	431	437	432	416	393
Other	255	268	273	302	338	365	436	494	459	474	481
Communication services	264	277	287	306	342	345	388	432	449	453	450
Entertainment and recreational services	547	561	560	556	550	579	627	706	790	831	892
Domestic service	166	161	153	145	136	126	124	124	124	123	129
Catering, insurance and other services [1]	3,563	3,583	3,643	3,678	3,794	3,859	3,964	3,948	3,918	3,729	3,529
Income in kind not included elsewhere	60	58	54	52	44	46	49	47	53	61	57
less Expenditure by foreign tourists in the United Kingdom	–347	–360	–405	–470	–518	–514	–536	–598	–647	–696	–819
Consumers' expenditure in the United Kingdom	28,731	29,405	30,211	30,380	31,201	32,138	33,971	35,473	35,108	34,736	34,904
Consumers' expenditure abroad	549	486	427	459	495	537	571	589	523	521	501
Total	29,280	29,891	30,638	30,839	31,696	32,675	34,542	36,062	35,631	35,257	35,405

[1] Including wages, salaries, etc. paid by private non-profit-making bodies.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Companies and financial institutions: Appropriation account

TABLE **14.13**

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Income											
Income arising in the United Kingdom:											
Gross trading profits[1]:											
After deducting stock appreciation	4,295	4,480	4,769	5,086	5,042	5,863	6,403	6,680	5,021	5,537	7,145
Stock appreciation	297	145	485	582	888	832	1,066	2,553	4,941	4,140	5,300
Total[2]	4,592	4,625	5,254	5,668	5,930	6,695	7,469	9,233	9,962	9,677	12,445
Rent and non-trading income	1,326	1,472	1,725	1,913	2,140	2,462	2,955	4,234	5,298	5,673	6,808
Total	5,918	6,097	6,979	7,581	8,070	9,157	10,424	13,467	15,260	15,350	19,253
Income from abroad (net of taxes paid abroad) [3] [4]	784	801	934	1,161	1,239	1,236	1,427	2,537	2,717	2,463	3,256
Total	6,702	6,898	7,913	8,742	9,309	10,393	11,851	16,004	17,977	17,813	22,509
Allocation of income											
Dividends and interest:											
Payments											
Debenture and loan interest	346	384	425	495	554	592	630	672	714	755	785
Dividends on preference shares [5]	113	108	96	92	78	83	77	58	57	55	60
Dividends on ordinary shares [5]	1,548	1,499	1,492	1,601	1,453	1,621	1,613	1,695	1,518	1,645	1,940
Co-operative society dividends and interest	47	41	37	32	29	35	32	36	40	45	47
Interest on building society shares and deposits	324	392	467	575	679	784	911	1,346	1,727	1,985	2,281
Other interest paid by banks, etc.	335	345	441	507	513	491	585	1,182	1,797	1,654	1,722
Total payments of dividends and interest[5]	2,713	2,769	2,958	3,302	3,306	3,606	3,848	4,989	5,853	6,139	6,835
Additions to dividend reserves	−13	1	67	−58	25	99	317	28	89	73	153
Current transfers to charities	30	32	34	35	36	38	41	42	42	42	42
Profits due abroad net of United Kingdom tax[3] [5]	210	222	336	290	359	453	629	754	655	622	999
United Kingdom taxes on income [5] [6]											
Payments on profits due abroad	175	143	131	166	271	264	249	339	399	453	691
Payments on other income	660	1,036	1,078	1,117	1,316	1,182	1,228	1,556	2,416	1,803	1,396
Additions to reserves on profits due abroad	−45	18	138	95	−33	−6	65	88	−28	−114	229
Additions to reserves on other income	384	69	284	420	58	58	284	821	−830	−187	
Balance: undistributed income after taxation[2]	2,588	2,608	2,887	3,375	3,971	4,699	5,190	7,443	9,381	9,128	12,470
Total	6,702	6,898	7,913	8,742	9,309	10,393	11,851	16,004	17,977	17,813	22,509

[1] Including United Kingdom branches and subsidiaries of non-resident parent companies. [2] Before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation. [3] After deducting depreciation allowances but before providing for stock appreciation. [4] Taxes paid abroad on income from abroad (£ *million*):

1966	*1967*	*1968*	*1969*	*1970*	*1971*	*1972*	*1973*	*1974*	*1975*	*1976*
504	560	788	920	1,140	1,439	1,753	2,549	4,176	3,625	4,137

[5] From April 1973 figures reflect change to imputation system of corporation tax. See notes on page 000. Advance corporation tax included in United Kingdom taxes on income is as follows (£ *million*):

1973	*1974*	*1975*	*1976*
285	1,001	1,004	1,032

Source: Central Statistical Office

Companies and financial institutions gross trading profits [1]

TABLE **14.14**

Analysis by industry

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
Forestry and fishing	5	5	7	9	13	11	16	19	16	9
Mining and quarrying [2]	18	1	29	21	67	18	82	52	−13	25
Manufacturing:										
Food, drink and tobacco	485	496	527	565	577	610	609	482	549	650
Coal and petroleum products	59	62	50	37	38	42	55	115	983	876
Chemicals and allied industries	345	383	430	374	394	426	479	685		
Metal manufacture	220	159	170	256	226	231	235	303	2,217	2,211
Mechanical engineering	347	373	402	434	435	468	496	547		
Instrument engineering	68	59	70	54	55	59	71	73		
Electrical engineering	232	234	285	315	339	426	438	417		
Shipbuilding and marine engineering	10	13	14	20	23	27	30	36		
Vehicles	188	163	210	241	208	248	306	336		
Metal goods not elsewhere specified	156	147	153	175	192	192	212	282		
Textiles	190	184	190	224	198	256	287	361	536	494
Leather, leather goods and fur	13	12	13	15	16	17	24	26		
Clothing and footwear	71	68	70	84	80	91	119	169		
Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.	127	131	146	160	241	276	325	292	1,071	1,125
Timber, furniture, etc.	38	42	48	44	50	67	101	150		
Paper, printing and publishing	195	212	244	245	273	277	346	405		
Other manufacturing	94	99	118	119	123	131	135	156		
Total manufacturing	2,838	2,837	3,140	3,362	3,468	3,844	4,268	4,835	5,356	5,356
Construction	228	249	277	289	321	388	481	526	508	579
Gas, electricity and water	19	18	18	17	18	32	12	17	15	24
Transport and communication	280	266	371	467	480	456	463	517	547	552
Distributive trades	929	981	1,027	1,095	1,112	1,482	1,603	1,802	1,870	1,805
Insurance, banking, finance and business services [3]	549	612	680	656	772	992	1,156	1,712	1,693	1,832
Other services	225	255	330	370	432	484	586	762	747	808
Adjustments	−499	−599	−625	−618	−753	−1,012	−1,198	−1,009	777	−1,313
Total gross trading profits	4,592	4,625	5,254	5,668	5,930	6,695	7,469	9,233	9,962	9,677

[1] Before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation. [2] Including estimates of results of North Sea oil operations. [3] Profits of insurance, banking, finance and business services include net receipts of interest.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Public corporations' appropriation account

TABLE **14.15**

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Income											
Gross trading surplus[1]	1,042	1,132	1,363	1,451	1,447	1,520	1,681	2,063	2,556	3,067	4,460
Rent	52	55	56	64	74	84	125	123	139	178	218
Non-trading income	46	47	66	80	90	88	90	202	264	273	411
Income from abroad	9	10	13	15	14	14	17	20	29	40	50
Total	1,149	1,244	1,498	1,610	1,625	1,706	1,913	2,408	2,988	3,558	5,139
Allocation of income											
Interest and dividends:											
Payments:											
To central government	385	414	523	602	660	741	804	889	1,040	1,176	1,490
To local authorities	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	113	154	159
Other	88	138	113	120	119	124	122	244	431	580	714
Additions to interest and dividend reserves	17	19	32	–9	10	22	44	69	43	47	5
United Kingdom taxes on income:											
Payments	31	9	17	8	10	8	7	8	11	13	2
Additions to tax reserves	–25	–2	–5	5	–5	1	6	2	3	–8	20
Balance: undistributed income[1]	653	666	818	884	831	810	930	1,196	1,347	1,596	2,749
Total	1,149	1,244	1,498	1,610	1,625	1,706	1,913	2,408	2,988	3,558	5,139

[1] Before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Value of physical increase in stocks and work in progress

TABLE **14.16**

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
All current prices [1]											
Manufacturing[2]	243	73	241	293	325	–163	–156	698	1,050	–900	111
Materials and fuel	19	–6	92	82	113	–152	–45	386	489	–791	–133
Work in progress	85	113	96	24	122	–106	34	379	119	–268	68
Finished products	140	–34	54	188	90	94	–145	–67	442	159	176
Retail distribution	12	42	64	33	–16	21	15	246	–147	–92	26
Wholesale distribution	22	10	78	36	68	54	58	126	189	–278	54
Other industries	65	211	77	84	67	198	145	342	46	–153	168
Total	342	336	460	446	444	110	62	1,412	1,138	–1,423	359
Revalued at 1970 prices											
Manufacturing[2]	315	71	269	310	325	–148	–145	597	634	–429	5
Materials and fuel	10	–17	102	87	113	–146	–41	303	287	–391	–61
Work in progress	145	140	108	26	122	–98	32	324	86	–118	10
Finished products	160	–52	59	197	90	96	–136	–30	261	80	56
Retail distribution	16	50	74	36	–16	18	15	379	–109	–65	9
Wholesale distribution	28	17	85	42	68	52	48	102	81	–111	23
Other industries	65	233	65	78	67	170	116	243	–10	–138	29
Total	424	371	493	466	444	92	34	1,321	596	–743	66

[1] It is estimated that a fall in the book value of stocks of £280 million took place in 1973 on the introduction of VAT as a result of the change in treatment of tax in the valuation of stocks. The fall has been allocated as follows:

		£ million		*£ million*
Manufacturers		34		
of which:	Materials and fuel	4	Wholesalers	36
	Work in progress	8	Retailers	181
	Finished products	22	Other industries	29

This allocation is approximate particularly in relation to the asset analysis of manufacturers' stocks. The 1970 price figures are not affected.

[2] Differences between totals and the sum of constituent parts or manufacturing are due to rounding.

Source: Central Statistical Office: Department of Industry

Analysis of general government expenditure [1]

TABLE 14.17

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Functional analysis											
Military defence	2,202	2,406	2,436	2,286	2,459	2,760	3,090	3,410	4,132	5,214	6,176
Civil defence	19	21	8	3	6	7	9	11	13	11	29
External relations	281	297	295	308	333	385	381	631	650	677	1,045
Roads and public lighting	471	560	608	685	807	839	917	1,094	1,201	1,562	1,625
Transport and communication	373	455	644	433	478	555	701	686	1,396	1,535	1,141
Employment services	71	95	115	116	128	177	208	211	261	443	689
Other industry and trade	795	1,398	1,501	1,574	1,443	1,824	1,739	1,868	1,970	3,652	2,777
Research	151	162	171	195	222	232	234	283	315	375	483
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and food	307	365	396	391	398	497	455	515	1,066	1,701	1,199
Housing and environmental services:											
Housing	979	1,129	1,157	1,208	1,315	1,307	1,498	2,346	4,110	4,322	5,190
Water, sewerage and refuse disposal	255	294	337	355	411	470	541	655	547	768	646
Public health services	40	48	45	47	56	63	71	76	99	144	159
Land drainage and coast protection	20	22	27	25	30	35	37	47	39	52	73
Parks, pleasure grounds, etc.	71	74	85	91	108	130	160	207	278	387	412
Miscellaneous local government services	185	213	215	206	244	290	291	440	615	755	768
Total housing and environmental services	1,550	1,780	1,866	1,932	2,164	2,295	2,598	3,771	5,688	6,428	7,248
Libraries, museums and arts	60	68	71	80	91	112	130	163	210	272	329
Police	241	272	296	322	375	439	479	558	695	909	1,137
Prisons	34	39	48	56	65	76	89	107	148	193	234
Parliament and law courts	43	52	57	67	81	100	125	162	217	284	333
Fire service	55	61	67	74	83	96	112	123	159	229	265
Social services:											
Education	1,700	1,893	2,096	2,250	2,532	2,899	3,414	3,949	4,601	6,561	7,340
National health service	1,375	1,524	1,656	1,733	1,980	2,248	2,597	2,939	3,847	5,181	6,182
Personal social services	111	132	147	203	257	310	371	508	668	941	1,128
School meals, milk and welfare foods	141	160	151	162	171	159	165	195	268	386	454
Social security benefits	2,577	2,900	3,340	3,571	3,921	4,308	5,111	5,528	6,835	8,906	11,233
Total social services	5,904	6,609	7,390	7,919	8,861	9,924	11,658	13,119	16,219	21,975	26,337
Finance and tax collection	180	208	234	256	279	323	479	362	483	662	768
Records, registrations and surveys	13	15	16	19	22	31	25	24	36	49	56
Other	39	31	53	65	113	129	164	197	237	356	369
Total government expenditure excluding debt interest and non-trading capital consumption	12,789	14,894	16,272	16,781	18,408	20,801	23,593	27,295	35,096	46,527	52,240
Economic analysis											
Current expenditure on goods and services	6,308	6,989	7,416	7,729	8,692	9,903	11,276	12,753	15,981	22,094	25,742
Gross domestic fixed capital formation	1,679	1,963	2,169	2,245	2,431	2,562	2,731	3,660	4,410	5,030	5,382
Increase in value of stocks	25	27	35	42	43	51	27	34	32	37	39
Subsidies	559	801	895	839	876	931	1,144	1,471	2,987	3,827	3,463
Current grants to personal sector	2,825	3,189	3,679	3,937	4,334	4,783	5,844	6,421	7,869	10,201	12,822
Current grants abroad	180	188	179	177	177	205	210	359	320	379	792
Capital grants to private sector	187	407	654	792	745	858	721	793	847	957	1,108
Capital transfers to public corporations	2	6	41	50	52	55	99	128	185	245	313
Capital transfers abroad	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	59	75	—	—
Net lending to private sector	72	80	48	2	102	114	162	473	950	383	224
Net lending to public corporations	843	1,163	1,100	896	861	1,145	1,079	741	744	2,165	1,619
Loans to overseas governments	64	61	60	52	83	93	76	62	75	79	17
Drawings from United Kingdom subscriptions to international lending bodies	10	18	7	20	12	17	22	58	63	88	112
Other net lending and investment abroad	2	2	–12	–3	–2	2	166	276	538	485	582
Cash expenditure on company securities, etc. (net)	33	—	1	3	2	82	36	7	20	557	25
Debt interest	1,465	1,573	1,794	1,929	2,026	2,089	2,307	2,760	3,570	4,231	5,446
Non-trading capital consumption	194	205	224	244	272	309	354	445	522	652	820
Total government expenditure	14,448	16,672	18,290	18,954	20,706	23,199	26,254	30,500	39,188	51,410	58,506

[1] The combined expenditure of central government and local authorities, excluding transfer payments between the two sectors.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Gross domestic fixed capital formation

TABLE 14.18

At current prices

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
By type of asset											
Buses and coaches	29	28	32	30	40	50	52	60	59	89	111
Other road vehicles	410	421	459	509	545	587	694	847	1,018	1,107	1,496
Railway rolling stock	34	25	30	17	21	16	29	39	47	59	56
Ships	77	135	210	259	275	339	484	626	599	653	543
Aircraft	19	37	86	44	98	115	93	67	54	68	162
Plant and machinery	2,750	2,885	2,994	3,197	3,658	3,938	3,995	4,817	5,800	6,796	8,116
Dwellings	1,374	1,525	1,675	1,667	1,643	1,898	2,254	2,700	3,184	4,097	4,632
Other new buildings and works	2,038	2,255	2,479	2,626	2,899	3,249	3,550	4,406	5,691	7,162	7,611
By industry group											
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	194	208	244	240	261	303	372	469	587	648	736
Mining and quarrying	122	140	126	121	131	167	217	288	745	1,827	2,478
Manufacturing[1]	1,518	1,484	1,592	1,867	2,130	2,187	2,044	2,286	3,150	3,461	3,957
Construction[1]	133	151	165	158	162	153	175	273	319	392	438
Gas, electricity and water	980	1,055	902	797	784	789	729	771	951	1,233	1,345
Transport and communication	647	773	972	1,001	1,184	1,329	1,526	1,871	1,959	2,311	2,338
Distributive trades	332	346	408	430	475	560	682	811	935	971	1,091
Other service industries[1]	559	599	687	819	961	1,168	1,296	1,748	2,080	2,094	2,361
Dwellings	1,374	1,525	1,675	1,667	1,643	1,898	2,254	2,700	3,184	4,097	4,632
Social services	427	501	578	568	616	720	801	998	1,019	1,158	1,300
Other public services	445	529	616	681	832	918	1,055	1,347	1,523	1,839	2,051
Transfer costs of land and buildings	191	212	235	241	274	323	453	565	495	625	700
Total	6,922	7,523	8,200	8,590	9,453	10,515	11,604	14,127	16,947	20,656	23,427

Revalued at 1970 prices

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
By type of asset											
Buses and coaches	34	33	35	32	40	45	44	50	39	42	44
Other road vehicles	480	482	511	539	545	530	590	667	699	565	636
Railway rolling stock, ships and aircraft	160	237	382	341	394	438	522	566	463	449	358
Plant and machinery	3,219	3,365	3,366	3,469	3,658	3,600	3,432	3,840	3,980	3,699	3,669
Dwellings	1,603	1,784	1,868	1,785	1,643	1,754	1,854	1,752	1,705	1,820	1,806
Other new buildings and works	2,370	2,632	2,754	2,795	2,899	3,032	3,039	3,085	3,168	3,205	2,925
By industry group											
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	226	240	272	258	261	280	315	347	352	311	293
Mining and quarrying	143	162	143	129	131	153	173	204	420	795	901
Manufacturing[1]	1,774	1,739	1,800	2,029	2,130	1,991	1,738	1,753	2,028	1,744	1,659
Construction[1]	154	174	183	168	162	139	150	210	214	205	189
Gas, electricity and water	1,177	1,258	1,032	871	784	721	618	583	584	599	556
Transport and communication	772	913	1,099	1,076	1,184	1,222	1,300	1,420	1,262	1,215	1,020
Distributive trades	378	394	450	456	475	520	599	657	650	535	530
Other service industries[1]	632	684	747	863	961	1,093	1,136	1,350	1,353	1,129	1,093
Dwellings	1,603	1,784	1,868	1,785	1,643	1,754	1,854	1,752	1,705	1,820	1,806
Social services	494	580	640	604	616	671	691	726	611	559	548
Other public services	513	605	682	722	832	855	907	958	875	868	843
Transfer costs of land and buildings	231	247	266	255	274	283	316	293	233	282	286
Total	8,097	8,780	9,182	9,216	9,453	9,682	9,797	10,253	10,287	10,062	9,724

[1] Figures for 1968 and 1969 include an adjustment for the effect of a change in the rate of investment grants.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Gross capital stock at 1970 replacement cost by industry [1]

TABLE 14.19

£ thousand million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Agriculture	2.8	2.9	3.0	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.7	3.9	4.0	4.1
Forestry and fishing	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4
Mining and quarrying	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.8	3.5	4.3
Manufacturing:											
Food, drink and tobacco	3.8	4.0	4.2	4.3	4.5	4.7	4.9	5.2	5.4	5.5	5.7
Coal, petroleum products, chemicals and allied industries	5.9	6.2	6.6	6.9	7.3	7.7	8.0	8.1	8.3	8.6	8.8
Iron and steel	3.8	3.9	3.9	4.0	4.1	4.3	4.4	4.6	4.7	4.9	4.8
Other metals, engineering and allied industries	12.6	13.0	13.3	13.7	14.2	14.5	14.7	15.0	15.5	15.6	15.9
Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.0
Timber, furniture, etc.	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.8
Paper, printing and publishing	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.6	2.7	2.8	2.9	2.9	3.1	3.1	3.2
Textiles, leather, clothing and other manufacturing	4.7	4.9	5.0	5.3	5.4	5.6	5.7	5.9	6.1	6.2	6.3
Total	35.0	36.3	37.6	39.0	40.5	41.9	43.1	44.3	45.7	46.7	47.5
Construction	1.7	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.6	2.7	2.9	3.0
Gas	1.9	2.2	2.4	2.6	2.7	2.9	2.9	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.1
Electricity	9.8	10.5	11.0	11.4	11.8	12.0	12.3	12.5	12.7	12.8	12.9
Water	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.4
Railways	8.0	8.0	7.9	7.8	7.8	7.7	7.7	7.6	7.5	7.5	7.4
Road passenger transport	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.9
Road haulage and storage	0.9	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.5
Shipping	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.3	3.5	3.6	3.9	4.2	4.4	4.5	4.3
Harbours, docks and canals	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6
Air transport	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2
Postal, telephone and radio communications	3.8	4.1	4.4	4.7	5.1	5.5	5.8	6.3	6.7	7.1	7.3
Distributive trades and other service industries	14.7	15.5	16.5	17.7	18.9	20.3	21.8	23.5	25.2	26.5	27.8
Private dwellings	29.3	30.0	30.9	31.6	32.3	33.2	34.2	35.1	35.8	36.6	37.3
Public dwellings	15.1	16.0	16.9	17.8	18.6	19.4	20.0	20.8	21.6	22.5	23.4
Roads [2]	3.6	3.9	4.2	4.6	5.0	5.4	5.8	6.2	6.5	6.8	7.1
Other public services	13.9	14.6	15.6	16.3	17.2	18.1	19.2	20.3	21.3	22.3	23.2
Total gross capital stock	152.0	158.5	165.4	172.2	179.3	186.4	193.6	201.1	208.6	215.6	221.7

[1] For an account of the principles of valuation, see *National Accounts Statistics: Sources and Methods*, pages 383–7 and *Economic Trends*, No 264 October 1975. Figures relate to end of year. [2] Excluding the non-renewable element more than 75 years old.

Source: Central Statistical Office

XV. Personal Income, Expenditure and Wealth

Average incomes of households before and after taxes and benefits [1]

TABLE 15.1

£ per year

	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
1 adult[2]											
Original income	625	623	730	730	769	859	907	1,055	1,149	1,419	1,724
Disposable income	622	620	702	723	761	833	888	1,049	1,157	1,404	1,699
Income after all taxes and benefits	531	535	589	608	647	705	784	919	1,058	1,301	1,594
2 adults[2]											
Original income	1,133	1,233	1,303	1,344	1,516	1,675	1,847	2,007	2,366	2,831	3,594
Disposable income	1,061	1,133	1,187	1,252	1,364	1,496	1,642	1,846	2,149	2,534	3,096
Income after all taxes and benefits	883	952	985	1,037	1,119	1,239	1,404	1,588	1,901	2,246	2,783
2 adults, 1 child											
Original income	1,281	1,392	1,384	1,523	1,586	1,810	1,982	2,223	2,673	3,097	3,880
Disposable income	1,148	1,233	1,214	1,361	1,398	1,569	1,727	1,940	2,320	2,614	3,176
Income after all taxes and benefits	1,032	1,101	1,086	1,215	1,220	1,396	1,559	1,776	2,122	2,464	3,041
2 adults, 2 children											
Original income	1,245	1,467	1,502	1,591	1,762	1,897	2,108	2,388	2,755	3,293	4,039
Disposable income	1,159	1,312	1,351	1,449	1,582	1,681	1,879	2,128	2,409	2,834	3,345
Income after all taxes and benefits	1,113	1,257	1,295	1,367	1,473	1,568	1,780	2,034	2,332	2,865	3,461
2 adults, 3 children											
Original income	1,289	1,387	1,462	1,559	1,705	1,915	2,047	2,387	2,890	3,385	4,266
Disposable income	1,225	1,318	1,382	1,490	1,618	1,760	1,891	2,227	2,587	3,006	3,539
Income after all taxes and benefits	1,263	1,360	1,428	1,494	1,625	1,769	1,947	2,313	2,735	3,297	4,105
2 adults, 4 children											
Original income	1,219	1,265	1,284	1,506	1,638	1,724	2,097	2,142	2,652	3,275	3,594
Disposable income	1,227	1,246	1,323	1,521	1,650	1,707	2,005	2,120	2,581	3,139	3,374
Income after all taxes and benefits	1,343	1,385	1,479	1,616	1,760	1,863	2,138	2,375	2,922	3,705	4,432
3 adults											
Original income	1,616	1,715	1,864	1,939	2,140	2,285	2,504	2,781	3,366	3,914	4,896
Disposable income	1,475	1,562	1,667	1,752	1,907	2,028	2,237	2,510	3,010	3,425	4,132
Income after all taxes and benefits	1,248	1,332	1,397	1,471	1,609	1,713	1,956	2,232	2,711	3,064	3,765
3 adults, 1 child											
Original income	1,571	1,890	1,821	2,000	2,123	2,499	2,761	2,991	3,506	4,216	5,186
Disposable income	1,453	1,676	1,644	1,814	1,879	2,182	2,402	2,659	3,122	3,673	4,316
Income after all taxes and benefits	1,387	1,553	1,570	1,690	1,743	2,036	2,265	2,549	3,062	3,688	4,391
3 adults, 2 children											
Original income	1,661	1,568	1,865	1,956	2,232	2,258	2,744	2,862	3,412	3,844	5,089
Disposable income	1,565	1,509	1,733	1,887	2,070	2,130	2,491	2,680	3,162	3,459	4,430
Income after all taxes and benefits	1,607	1,497	1,730	1,866	2,014	2,091	2,471	2,711	3,283	3,722	4,830
4 adults											
Original income	2,064	2,350	2,452	2,587	2,789	3,158	3,582	3,866	4,520	5,342	6,989
Disposable income	1,860	2,091	2,147	2,259	2,456	2,677	3,070	3,333	3,873	4,625	5,625
Income after all taxes and benefits	1,625	1,795	1,829	1,955	2,079	2,266	2,702	3,052	3,628	4,330	5,107
All households in the sample											
Original income	1,172	1,301	1,347	1,401	1,519	1,656	1,802	1,997	2,309	2,719	3,386
Disposable income	1,121	1,222	1,259	1,334	1,421	1,533	1,671	1,884	2,155	2,509	3,016
Income after all taxes and benefits	1,019	1,108	1,139	1,199	1,271	1,383	1,544	1,764	2,051	2,454	3,000
1 adult – pensioner[3]											
Original income	17	19	24	20	24	25	30	32	32	40	52
Disposable income	267	288	321	337	368	385	421	477	521	660	846
Income after all taxes and benefits	257	270	299	316	355	378	430	498	606	748	982
2 adults – pensioner[3]											
Original income	43	45	52	53	52	66	55	68	80	103	133
Disposable income	435	456	502	538	552	608	638	719	837	1,041	1,314
Income after all taxes and benefits	407	436	467	492	533	591	646	752	946	1,159	1,543

[1] These estimates are based on information derived from the Family Expenditure Survey. Definitions of the terms used in the table are contained in 'Effects of taxes and benefits on household income 1975' *Economic Trends,* December 1976 (including corrigendum figures for housing subsidies 1973 and 1974). [2] Excluding pensioner households. See footnote [3]. [3] A pensioner household is so defined if at least three-quarters of the household income is derived from national insurance retirement and similar pensions and/or benefits paid in supplementation.

Sources: Central Statistical Office; Department of Employment

Sources of household income [1]

TABLE **15.2**

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Number of households supplying data [2]	3,274	7,386	7,184	7,008	6,313	7,239	7,017	7,126	6,695	7,203	7,203
Average weekly household income by source (£)											
Wages and salaries	20.50	21.41	22.33	23.92	26.32	28.43	32.36	36.33	42.25	54.51	60.23
Self-employment	1.80	1.68	2.08	2.26	2.28	2.80	2.57	3.34	4.38	4.03	4.38
Investments	1.04	1.06	0.99	1.31	1.40	1.40	1.28	1.70	1.97	2.57	2.51
Annuities and pensions (other than social security benefits)	0.52	0.56	0.62	0.75	0.90	0.83	0.99	1.24	1.43	1.70	2.15
Social security benefits	2.13	2.21	2.63	2.87	3.06	3.42	3.92	4.45	5.45	7.00	8.68
Sub-letting and imputed income from owner/rent-free occupancy [3]	0.62	0.64	0.94	0.99	1.08	1.19	1.34	1.92	2.24	2.44	3.46
Other sources	0.67	0.69	0.35	0.36	0.35	0.41	0.39	0.42	0.60	0.64	0.89
Total	27.27	28.25	29.98	32.47	35.40	38.48	42.85	49.41	58.33	72.87	82.30
Sources of household income as a percentage of total household income (%)											
Wages and salaries	*75.2*	*75.8*	*74.6*	*73.7*	*74.4*	*73.9*	*75.5*	*73.5*	*72.4*	*74.8*	*73.2*
Self-employment	*6.6*	*6.0*	*6.9*	*7.0*	*6.5*	*7.3*	*6.0*	*6.8*	*7.5*	*5.5*	*5.3*
Investments	*3.8*	*3.7*	*3.3*	*4.0*	*3.9*	*3.6*	*3.0*	*3.4*	*3.4*	*3.5*	*3.1*
Annuities and pensions (other than social security benefits)	*1.9*	*2.0*	*2.1*	*2.3*	*2.5*	*2.2*	*2.3*	*2.5*	*2.5*	*2.3*	*2:6*
Social security benefits	*7.8*	*7.8*	*8.8*	*8.8*	*8.7*	*8.9*	*9.2*	*9.0*	*9.4*	*9.6*	*10.5*
Sub-letting and imputed income from owner/rent-free occupancy [3]	*2.3*	*2.3*	*3.1*	*3.1*	*3.0*	*3.1*	*3.1*	*3.9*	*3.8*	*3.4*	*4.2*
Other sources	*2.4*	*2.4*	*1.2*	*1.1*	*1.0*	*1.0*	*0.9*	*0.9*	*1.0*	*0.9*	*1.1*
Total	*100.0*	*100.0*	*100.0*	*100.0*	*100.0*	*100.0*	*100.0*	*100.0*	*100.0*	*100.0*	*100.0*

[1] Information derived from the Family Expenditure Survey. [2] In 1967, and subsequent years the Survey covers about twice as many households as previously: In 1966: 1970 and 1974 data were not collected for a few weeks at the time of the General Elections. [3] Imputed income is the weekly equivalent of the rateable value: from 1968 this is adjusted to allow for general increases in rents since date of valuation, and is also included in income of households living rent-free. From 1976 the method of calculating this adjustment is changed.

Source: Department of Employment

Distribution of personal incomes before and after tax

TABLE 15.3

Years ended 5 April

Lower limit of range of income	1964/65 Quinquennial Survey				1969/70 Quinquennial Survey			
	Number of incomes	Income before tax	Tax	Income after tax	Number of incomes	Income before tax	Tax	Income after tax
	Thousands	£ million			Thousands	£ million		
All incomes[1]	21,074	21,151	2,722	18,429	21,683	29,319	5,145	24,174
Income before tax £								
275	408	117	0.3	116.7				
300	1,814	634	13	621	. .	. .	. .	. .
330					730	266	4	262
400	1,878	843	40	803	. .	. .	. .	. .
420					1,222	550	26	524
500	4,536	2,833	192	2,641				
595					3,355	2,092	176	1,916
750	4,501	3,927	311	3,616	3,291	2,875	335	2,540
1,000	3,489	3,889	347	3,542	3,243	3,642	480	3,162
1,250	2,028	2,760	299	2,461	2,959	4,058	574	3,484
1,500	956	1,539	206	1,333	2,487	4,029	615	3,414
1,750	455	847	135	712	1,729	3,229	533	2,696
2,000	399	882	168	714	1,356	2,990	567	2,423
2,500	193	526	117	409	508	1,377	304	1,073
3,000	180	615	156	459	387	1,322	339	983
4,000	84	372	108	264	161	713	208	505
5,000	50	273	87	186	86	466	150	316
6,000	48	333	121	212	83	571	208	363
8,000	22	198	82	116	36	322	136	186
10,000	12	130	61	69	19	203	96	107
12,000	9	122	64	58	14	188	100	88
15,000	6.5	111	66	45	9.4	161	97	64
20,000	5.2	144	102	42	7.1	195	140	55
50,000	0.5	31	25	6	0.6	42	35	7
100,000 and over	0.1	23	20	3	0.2	28	25	3
Income after tax £								
275	447	128.5	0.5	128				
300	2,102	757	19	738	. .	. .	. .	. .
330					913	341	8	333
400	2,172	1,034	61	973	. .	. .	. .	. .
420					1,592	765	47	718
500	5,145	3,498	287	3,211	. .	. .	. .	. .
595					4,165	2,915	309	2,606
750	4,776	4,553	399	4,154	4,002	4,049	558	3,491
1,000	3,355	4,119	386	3,733	3,713	4,859	691	4,168
1,250	1,610	2,471	291	2,180	3,143	5,063	759	4,304
1,500	604	1,146	178	968	2,005	3,850	624	3,226
1,750	270	623	121	502	871	1,996	377	1,619
2,000	255	731	168	563	659	1,873	423	1,450
2,500	118	442	119	323	244	910	246	664
3,000	115	575	181	394	208	1,031	321	710
4,000	54	379	141	238	91	641	238	403
5,000	25.8	248	107	141	41.1	390	166	224
6,000	20.6	287	147	140	32.4	468	250	218
8,000	3.4	90.3	61	29.3	3.2	98	71	27
10,000 and over	0.9	66.6	54	12.6	0.8	71	60	11

[1] The distributions cover only incomes as computed for tax purposes and above a level which, for each year corresponds approximately to the effective exemption limit for single persons whose income is wholly earned. Incomes below these levels are not shown because the information about them is incomplete.

Source: Board of Inland Revenue

Distribution of personal incomes before and after tax

TABLE 15.3 *(continued)*

Years ended 5 April

Lower limit of range of income	1973/74 Annual Survey				1974/75 Annual Survey			
	Number of incomes	Income before tax	Tax	Income after tax	Number of incomes	Income before tax	Tax	Income after tax
	Thousands	£ million			Thousands	£ million		
All incomes[1]	20,842	45,907	8,045	37,862	21,550	57,339	11,846	45,493
Income before tax £								
595	1,053	710	17	693	..	..	..	..
625					644	441	8	433
750	1,958	1,712	119	1,593	1,411	1,239	80	1,159
1,000	2,000	2,249	231	2,018	1,624	1,832	194	1,638
1,250	1,964	2,695	337	2,358	1,632	2,244	299	1,945
1,500	2,031	3,301	457	2,844	1,602	2,596	403	2,193
1,750	1,954	3,664	533	3,131	1,770	3,317	554	2,763
2,000	3,670	8,226	1,241	6,985	3,299	7,397	1,289	6,108
2,500	2,602	7,094	1,146	5,948	2,840	7,783	1,422	6,361
3,000	2,299	7,792	1,403	6,389	3,780	12,961	2,506	10,455
4,000	663	2,926	611	2,315	1,599	7,072	1,536	5,536
5,000	227	1,231	288	943	617	3,340	804	2,536
6,000	202	1,383	369	1,014	400	2,727	744	1,983
8,000	83	741	235	506	143	1,262	413	849
10,000	49	530	194	336	66	717	270	447
12,000	38	505	210	295	56	745	321	424
15,000	27	456	215	241	36	608	298	310
20,000	19.7	540	323	217	30	816	509	307
50,000	1.6	99	73	26	2.6	165	129	36
100,000 and over	0.3	53	42	11	0.5	75	66	9
Income after tax £								
595	1,412	992	37	955	..	..	..	..
625					814	575	17	558
750	2,523	2,427	228	2,199	2,057	1,998	193	1,805
1,000	2,613	3,362	427	2,935	2,234	2,926	404	2,522
1,250	2,469	3,971	577	3,394	2,232	3,690	620	3,070
1,500	2,353	4,487	673	3,814	2,190	4,322	768	3,554
1,750	2,287	5,037	753	4,284	2,018	4,601	820	3,781
2,000	3,547	9,348	1,449	7,899	3,628	9,923	1,804	8,119
2,500	1,903	6,238	1,075	5,163	2,715	9,119	1,695	7,424
3,000	1,136	4,798	966	3,832	2,502	10,788	2,279	8,509
4,000	278	1,635	406	1,229	653	3,832	966	2,866
5,000	135	1,043	311	732	250	1,944	588	1,356
6,000	117	1,267	469	798	174	1,950	773	1,177
8,000	41	667	304	363	52	917	456	461
10,000 and over	21	628	369	259	24	742	453	289

[1] See footnote [1] on page 360.

Source: Board of Inland Revenue

Identified personal wealth: estimated wealth of individuals [1]

TABLE **15.4**

	Great Britain							
	1969		1970		1971		1972	
	Number of cases Thousands	£ million	Number of cases Thousands	£ million	Number of cases Thousands	£ million	Number of cases Thousands	£ million
Total wealth								
Total gross wealth	18,168	101,572	17,094	108,223	18,632	124,188	17,017	151,799
Total net wealth		91,434		96,842		112,728		138,388
Analysed by type								
National savings certificates and premium bonds	6,935	2,079	6,776	2,547	7,037	2,401	6,217	2,232
British savings and national development bonds	731	647	719	688	525	688	473	727
Government and municipal securities	1,064	2,229	984	2,278	994	2,598	920	2,763
UK unlisted shares and debentures	916	3,082	631	3,105	652	3,166	531	4,284
Total listed shares and debentures	2,421	16,734	2,212	15,793	2,628	17,607	2,214	23,636
Money on mortgage of real estate	190	482	174	518	208	520	176	676
Shares and deposits in building societies	3,820	6,065	4,100	7,176	5,001	8,997	4,625	9,605
Money in:								
municipal bonds	411	911	426	1,102	422	1,035	408	924
other bonds and securities	2,545	1,460	2,419	1,596	2,588	1,797	2,248	1,874
Household goods, pictures, china, etc.	14,080	3,275	13,202	3,532	14,258	4,111	12,195	4,476
Insurance policies (including bonuses) [2]	11,260	15,478	10,555	15,963	11,090	18,358	10,412	20,424
Cash in the house	5,946	177	5,419	211	5,208	274	4,321	225
Cash at the bank:								
National and Trustee savings banks	6,752	2,463	6,403	2,656	6,813	3,177	6,158	2,994
on deposit	4,255	3,589	3,966	3,538	4,260	3,793	3,543	3,382
on drawing account	7,604	2,900	6,896	2,924	7,848	3,584	7,539	3,866
Cash gifts	149	539	185	615	199	825	259	1,166
Trade, business and professional assets	792	2,599	840	3,071	945	3,071	837	3,078
Interests in expectancy	321	795	172	1,545	203	965	241	1,176
Other personalty	9,872	6,262	9,905	6,440	10,495	7,789	10,445	8,894
Gross personalty	18,029	71,766	17,058	75,298	18,563	84,756	16,966	96,402
Total deductions	7,336	4,165	6,302	4,991	6,674	4,912	6,454	5,416
Net personalty	18,029	67,601	17,058	70,307	18,563	79,844	16,966	90,986
Gross landed property	8,383	29,806	8,030	32,925	8,668	39,432	8,017	55,397
Total deductions	3,722	5,973	3,495	6,390	3,727	6,548	3,506	7,995
Net landed property	8,383	23,833	8,030	26,535	8,668	32,884	8,017	47,402
Ranges of net wealth Over £ — Not over £		£ thousand million		£ thousand million		£ thousand million		£ thousand million
— 1,000	4,705	2.4	3,924	2.0	4,211	2.2	3,567	2.3
1,000 — 3,000	5,718	9.8	5,423	9.8	5,491	10.1	4,288	8.0
3,000 — 5,000	3,125	11.7	2,766	10.9	2,912	11.4	2,349	9.2
5,000 — 10,000	2,930	20.5	3,217	23.4	3,797	27.1	3,675	26.7
10,000 — 15,000	687	7.9	710	8.5	962	11.8	1,500	18.6
Total not over 15,000	17,165	52.3	16,040	54.5	17,375	62.6	15,379	64.8
15,000 — 20,000	308	5.1	339	5.9	412	6.6	503	8.9
20,000 — 25,000	188	3.9	206	4.5	232	5.2	303	7.3
25,000 — 50,000	323	10.5	318	10.9	380	13.0	522	18.9
50,000 — 100,000	123	7.9	132	8.4	158	10.3	210	13.7
100,000 — 200,000	41	4.9	40	5.0	49	6.7	70	9.0
200,000 —	20	6.8	19	7.7	26	8.4	30	15.8
Total over £15,000	1,003	39.1	1,054	42.4	1,257	50.2	1,638	73.6
Total over £1,000	13,463	89.0	13,170	95.0	14,421	110.5	13,450	136.1
Total	18,168	91.4	17,094	96.8	18,632	112.7	17,017	138.4

[1] and [2] See corresponding footnotes on page 363.

Source: Board of Inland Revenue

Identified personal wealth: estimated wealth of individuals[1]

TABLE 15.4 *(continued)*

	Great Britain				United Kingdom			
	1973		1974		1974		1975	
	Number of cases Thousands	£ million	Number of cases Thousands	£ million	Number of cases Thousands	£ million	Number of cases Thousands	£ million
Total wealth								
Total gross wealth	19,140	179,104	18,837	172,970	19,341	176,056	21,020	210,289
Total net wealth		163,872		157,062		159,911		190,290
Analysed by type								
National savings certificates and premium bonds	7,276	2,466	7,186	2,349	7,238	2,361	7,776	2,527
British savings and national development bonds	534	792	547	711	552	716	534	673
Government and municipal securities	. .	2,737	879	2,292	931	2,361	975	2,809
UK unlisted shares and debentures	574	4,400	523	3,698	532	3,734	615	4,588
Total listed shares and debentures	2,432	23,347	2,227	13,358	2,263	13,517	2,137	13,720
Money on mortgage of real estate	153	638	162	533	166	544	123	502
Shares and deposits in building societies	5,482	11,743	5,469	11,792	5,519	11,939	6,601	14,349
Money in:								
municipal bonds	352	898	333	879	334	882	423	1,109
other bonds and securities	. .	1,633	. .	2,680	. .	2,756	2,943	2,647
Household goods, pictures, china, etc.	12,951	5,347	12,699	5,711	12,995	5,802	14,012	7,193
Insurance policies (including bonuses)[2]	11,465	23,426	11,371	23,452	11,580	23,899	12,648	29,177
Cash in the house	5,136	303	5,332	307	5,474	312	5,770	352
Cash at the bank:								
National and Trustee savings banks	6,962	3,715	6,677	3,851	6,801	3,971	7,371	4,648
on deposit	3,842	4,585	4,052	5,538	4,108	5,652	4,290	6,531
on drawing account	8,816	4,753	8,254	4,332	8,399	4,457	9,679	5,851
Cash gifts	243	1,219	205	1,054	206	1,061	217	1,172
Trade, business and professional assets	839	3,372	811	3,927	858	4,052	782	5,049
Interests in expectancy	11,644	1,906	10,682	1,002	10,859	1,018	12,154	1,003
Other personalty		10,777		10,430		10,603		15,471
Gross personalty	19,166	108,507	18,858	97,897	19,351	99,637	20,895	119,374
Total deductions	6,646	6,109	6,200	6,180	6,305	6,304	7,650	8,124
Net personalty	19,166	101,947	18,858	91,713	19,351	93,333	20,895	111,248
Gross landed property	8,283	71,048	8,319	75,073	8,504	76,419	9,375	90,916
Total deductions	3,585	9,123	3,764	9,724	3,818	9,840	4,138	11,875
Net landed property	8,283	61,925	8 319	65,349	8 504	66,579	9,375	79,042
Ranges of net wealth		£ thousand million		£ thousand million		£ thousand million		£ thousand million
Over £ / Not over £								
1,000	3,599	1.6	3,410	2.0	3,575	2.0	3,463	1.9
1,000..... 3,000	4,804	8.5	4,775	8.6	4,907	8.9	4,849	8.9
3,000..... 5,000	2,279	9.0	2,223	8.7	2,277	8.9	2,514	10.0
5,000..... 10,000	4,082	29.8	4,131	30.3	4,203	30.8	4,707	34.7
10,000..... 15,000	2,229	27.7	2,166	26.5	2,193	26.8	2,688	33.1
Total not over 15,000	16,993	76.7	16,705	76.1	17,155	77.4	18,211	88.5
15,000..... 20,000	782	13.9	757	13.3	779	13.6	1,038	18.4
20,000..... 25,000	415	9.8	415	9.6	425	9.8	603	13.8
25,000..... 50,000	629	20.9	640	21.7	656	22.2	809	28.1
50,000..... 100,000	211	13.1	229	15.4	234	15.8	252	18.2
100,000..... 200,000	79	10.0	65	9.2	66	9.3	69	11.1
200,000	31	19.4	26	11.8	26	11.8	29	12.2
Total over £15,000	2,147	87.1	2,132	81.0	2,186	82.5	2,799	101.8
Total over £1,000	15,541	162.3	15,427	155.1	15,766	157.9	17,557	188.4
Total	19,140	163.9	18,837	157.1	19,341	159.9	21,020	190.3

[1] The estimate for each year is obtained by applying the reciprocals of death rates to the statistics of estates upon which duty was first paid or assessed or for which grants of representation were issued in the financial year ending three months later. The estimates are thought to cover about 90 per cent of all wealth held by individuals, the main omissions being: (a) certain trusts (including some life policies) which do not become liable to estate duty; and (b) many small holdings of certain assets such as National Savings Certificates, which can be transferred on death without formality. The numbers shown do not include individuals with either no wealth at all or with only the types of wealth not covered by estate duty statistics.

[2] Life assurance policies on the deceased's own life are valued in the estate duty statistics at the sum assured and bonus, if any, but to the living they are worth only the market value which is usually much less than the sum assured.

Source: Board of Inland Revenue

Households and their expenditure [1]

TABLE 15.5

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Number of households supplying data [2]	3,274	7,386	7,184	7,008	6,393	7,239	7,017	7,126	6,695	7,203	7,203
Total number of persons	9,908	22,135	21,267	20,744	18,834	20,988	20,472	20,121	18,974	20,254	19,793
Total number of adults [3]	7,191	15,967	15,350	14,862	13,378	15,046	14,574	14,058	13,134	14,094	13,978
Household percentage distribution by tenure											
Rented unfurnished	*49.8*	*48.4*	*48.0*	*47.7*	*47.4*	*46.7*	*46.1*	*45.0*	*44.0*	*42.7*	*43.0*
Rented furnished	*3.3*	*3.7*	*2.8*	*3.2*	*3.6*	*3.6*	*3.5*	*3.7*	*3.8*	*4.3*	*4.4*
Rent-free	*3.3*	*2.8*	*3.1*	*2.7*	*3.2*	*2.8*	*3.1*	*2.6*	*2.5*	*2.8*	*2.6*
Owner-occupied	*43.6*	*45.1*	*46.1*	*46.4*	*45.8*	*46.9*	*47.3*	*48.7*	*49.7*	*50.2*	*50.0*
Average number of persons per household											
All persons	3.03	3.00	2.96	2.96	2.946	2.899	2.917	2.824	2.834	2.812	2.748
Males	1.47	1.46	1.44	1.45	1.427	1.411	1.421	1.379	1.369	1.370	1.346
Females	1.56	1.53	1.52	1.51	1.519	1.489	1.497	1.445	1.465	1.442	1.402
Adults [3]	2.20	2.16	2.14	2.12	2.093	2.078	2.077	1.973	1.962	1.957	1.941
Persons 16 and under 65	1.86	1.85	1.81	1.78	1.762	1.734	1.745	. .	. .	. .	. .
Persons under 65	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	1.611	1.598	1.603	1.570
Persons 65 and over	0.33	0.31	0.32	0.34	0.330	0.345	0.332	0.362	0.364	0.353	0.370
Children [3]	0.83	0.84	0.82	0.84	0.853	0.821	0.841	0.851	0.872	0.855	0.807
Children under 2	0.12	0.11	0.12	0.11	0.111	0.104	0.104	0.091	0.085	0.080	0.073
Children 2 and under 5	0.17	0.18	0.18	0.18	0.167	0.163	0.161	0.152	0.152	0.147	0.127
Children 5 and under 16	0.54	0.55	0.53	0.55	0.575	0.554	0.576	. .	. .	. .	. .
Children 5 and under 18	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	0.608	0.635	0.628	0.607
Persons working	1.36	1.32	1.41	1.40	1.399	1.372	1.397	1.357	1.350	1.351	1.338
Persons not working [4]	1.66	1.68	1.55	1.56	1.547	1.527	1.520	1.466	1.484	1.461	1.410
Retired; men 65 and over; women 60 and over	0.17	0.16	0.17	0.18	0.180	0.184	0.180	. .	. .	. .	. .
Others	1.49	1.52	1.38	1.38	1.367	1.343	1.340	. .	. .	. .	. .
Men 65 and over, women 60 and over	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	0.377	0.372	0.377	0.387
Others	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	1.090	1.112	1.084	1.023

[1] Information derived from the Family Expenditure Survey. [2] In 1967 and subsequent years the Survey covers about twice as many households as previously; in 1966, 1970 and 1974 data were not collected for a few weeks at the time of the General Elections.

[3] Adults and children are:

1966 to 1972	Adults = all persons 16 and over Children = all persons under 16
1973 to 1976	Adults = all persons 18 and over and married persons under 18 Children = all unmarried persons under 18.

[4] Persons not working are:

1966 to 1972	Retired from work and of NI retirement pension age Others not working
1973 to 1976	All not working of NI retirement pension age Others not working

[5] Excludes mortgage payments but includes imputed expenditure from owner occupancy and, since 1968, from rent-free occupancy. Imputed expenditure is the weekly equivalent of the rateable value; from 1968 this is adjusted to allow for general increase in rents since date of valuation. From 1976 the method of calculating this adjustment is changed.

Source: Department of Employment

Households and their expenditure [1]

TABLE **15.5** (*continued*)

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Average weekly household expenditure on commodities and services (£)											
Housing [5]	2.52	2.69	3.16	3.27	3.59	3.98	4.42	5.31	6.36	7.16	9.21
Fuel, light and power	1.38	1.46	1.55	1.75	1.79	1.85	2.06	2.17	2.42	2.99	3.53
Food	6.27	6.37	6.59	6.89	7.35	8.02	8.72	9.63	11.29	13.52	15.36
Alcoholic drink	0.95	0.98	1.03	1.13	1.27	1.46	1.65	1.85	2.21	2.81	3.11
Tobacco	1.28	1.26	1.29	1.35	1.37	1.30	1.39	1.47	1.66	1.95	2.29
Clothing and footwear	2.07	2.06	2.21	2.34	2.64	2.81	3.14	3.48	4.19	4.75	4.99
Durable household goods	1.45	1.49	1.68	1.66	1.85	2.01	2.60	3.09	3.62	4.03	4.06
Other goods	1.58	1.68	1.81	1.91	2.12	2.32	2.53	2.85	3.53	4.14	4.49
Transport and vehicles	2.62	2.90	3.27	3.66	3.91	4.26	4.97	5.37	6.19	7.54	8.14
Services	2.08	2.34	2.28	2.34	2.58	2.90	3.45	4.02	4.44	5.39	6.19
Miscellaneous	0.08	0.09	0.08	0.08	0.10	0.09	0.13	0.20	0.22	0.31	0.32
Total	22.28	23.32	24.93	26.37	28.57	30.99	35.06	39.43	46.13	54.58	61.70
Expenditure on commodity or service as a percentage of total expenditure (%)											
Housing [5]	*11.3*	*11.5*	*12.7*	*12.4*	*12.6*	*12.8*	*12.6*	*13.5*	*13.8*	*13.1*	*14.9*
Fuel, light and power	*6.2*	*6.3*	*6.2*	*6.6*	*6.3*	*6.0*	*5.9*	*5.5*	*5.2*	*5.5*	*5.7*
Food	*28.2*	*27.3*	*26.4*	*26.1*	*25.7*	*25.9*	*24.9*	*24.4*	*24.5*	*24.8*	*24.9*
Alcoholic drink	*4.3*	*4.2*	*4.1*	*4.3*	*4.5*	*4.7*	*4.7*	*4.7*	*4.8*	*5.1*	*5.1*
Tobacco	*5.7*	*5.4*	*5.2*	*5.1*	*4.8*	*4.2*	*3.9*	*3.7*	*3.6*	*3.6*	*3.7*
Clothing and footwear	*9.3*	*8.8*	*8.9*	*8.9*	*9.2*	*9.0*	*9.0*	*8.8*	*9.1*	*8.7*	*8.1*
Durable household goods	*6.5*	*6.4*	*6.7*	*6.3*	*6.5*	*6.5*	*7.4*	*7.9*	*7.8*	*7.4*	*6.6*
Other goods	*7.1*	*7.2*	*7.3*	*7.2*	*7.4*	*7.5*	*7.2*	*7.2*	*7.7*	*7.6*	*7.3*
Transport and vehicles	*11.7*	*12.5*	*13.1*	*13.9*	*13.7*	*13.7*	*14.2*	*13.6*	*13.4*	*13.8*	*13.2*
Services	*9.3*	*10.0*	*9.1*	*8.9*	*9.0*	*9.4*	*9.8*	*10.2*	*9.6*	*9.9*	*10.0*
Miscellaneous	*0.4*	*0.4*	*0.3*	*0.3*	*0.3*	*0.3*	*0.4*	*0.5*	*0.5*	*0.5*	*0.5*
Total	*100.0*	*100.0*	*100.0*	*100.0*	*100.0*	*100.0*	*100.0*	*100.0*	*100.0*	*100.0*	*100.0*

[1] [5] See footnotes on page 364.

Source: Department of Employment

Availability in households of certain durable goods [1]

TABLE 15.6

Percentage

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Number of households supplying data [2]	7,386	7,184	7,008	6,393	7,239	7,017	7,126	6,695	7,203	7,203
Car [3]	*45.5*	*47.5*	*51.2*	*51.6*	*51.2*	*53.3*	*53.9*	*55.7*	*57.0*	*55.2*
One	. .	. .	*45.1*	*44.6*	*44.3*	*45.3*	*45.1*	*45.3*	*46.4*	*44.5*
Two	. .	. .	*5.7*	*6.2*	*6.2*	*7.4*	*8.0*	*9.3*	*9.6*	*9.6*
Three or more	. .	. .	*0.4*	*0.8*	*0.7*	*0.6*	*0.8*	*1.1*	*1.0*	*1.1*
Central heating, full or partial	. .	. .	*25.1*	*29.6*	*32.2*	*37.4*	*38.5*	*43.0*	*46.7*	*47.1*
Washing machine	. .	. .	*62.7*	*64.9*	*64.3*	*65.5*	*66.6*	*68.9*	*71.9*	*72.3*
Refrigerator	. .	. .	*60.3*	*65.6*	*68.8*	*74.2*	*77.6*	*81.8*	*85.3*	*88.1*
Television [3]	*83.9*	*89.7*	*91.2*	*91.4*	*91.4*	*93.2*	*93.4*	*94.0*	*94.8*	*95.6*
Telephone	*26.1*	*28.8*	*32.1*	*35.0*	*37.8*	*42.1*	*43.4*	*49.5*	*51.9*	*52.6*

[1] Information derived from Family Expenditure Survey. [2] In 1970 and 1974 data were not collected for a few weeks at the time of the General Elections. [3] For 1967 and 1968 the figures are based on payment for licence; for later years on physical availability.

Source: Department of Employment

XVI. Home Finance

Up to 31 March 1968 the Consolidated Fund was virtually synonymous with the term 'Exchequer' which was then the Government's central cash account. From 1 April 1968 the National Loans Fund, with a separate account at the Bank of England, was set up by the National Loans Act, 1968. The general effect of this Act was to remove from the Consolidated Fund most of the Government's domestic lending and the whole of the Government's borrowing transactions and to provide for them to be brought to account in the National Loans Fund.

Revenue from taxation and miscellaneous receipts, including interest and dividends on loans made from Votes, continue to be paid into the Consolidated Fund (Table 16.8). After meeting the ordinary expenditure on Supply Services and the Consolidated Fund Standing Services (Table 16.9), the surplus or deficit on the Consolidated Fund (Table 16.6), is payable into or met by the National Loans Fund.

Table 16.6 also provides a summary of the transactions of the National Loans Fund. The service of the National Debt, previously borne on the Consolidated Fund, is now met from the National Loans Fund which receives (a) interest payable on loans to the nationalised industries, local authorities and other bodies, whether the loans were made before or after 1 April 1968 and (b) the profits of the Issue Department of the Bank of England, mainly derived from interest on government securities, which were formerly paid into the Exchange Equalisation Account. The net cost of servicing the National Debt after applying these interest receipts and similar items is a charge on the Consolidated Fund as part of the standing services (Table 16.9).

An analysis of net lending from the National Loans Fund is provided in Table 16.10. The gross position showing issues and repayments of loans is shown in Tables 16.11 and 16.12. Details of National Loans Fund loans outstanding are shown in Table 16.14.

Details of borrowing and repayments of debt, other than loans, from the National Loans Fund are shown in Table 16.13.

Table 16.16 gives details of the nominal amount outstanding of the National Debt. The main constituents comprise marketable securities, national savings securities, floating debt and other debt payable in sterling and external currencies.

Public sector financial account

TABLE 16.1

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Expenditure											
Financial deficit [1]											
General government	6	426	307	–932	–1,572	–677	858	1,806	3,306	4,914	5,918
Public corporations	848	1,046	726	503	832	1,098	754	779	1,551	2,944	2,411
Total	854	1,472	1,033	–429	–740	421	1,612	2,585	4,857	7,858	8,329
Net lending etc. to private sector and overseas:											
General government	181	161	104	74	197	308	462	876	1,646	1,592	960
Public corporations	45	49	113	83	73	70	37	95	183	212	497
Total	226	210	217	157	270	378	499	971	1,829	1,804	1,457
Total	1,080	1,682	1,250	–272	–470	799	2,111	3,556	6,686	9,662	9,786
Receipts											
Other identified (net)	158	–206	–74	206	–453	–481	–131	–616	239	–328	–104
Unidentified	–39	25	45	–12	–	–93	195	4	111	–525	378
Public sector borrowing requirement:											
Central government	543	1,155	757	–897	–670	634	1,596	2,321	3,491	8,376	6,786
Local authorities	414	725	551	603	517	676	514	1,348	2,125	1,653	1,135
Public corporations	4	–17	–29	–172	136	63	–63	499	720	486	1,591
Total	961	1,863	1,279	–466	–17	1,373	2,047	4,168	6,336	10,515	9,512
Total	1,080	1,682	1,250	–272	–470	799	2,111	3,556	6,686	9,662	9,786

[1] Corresponds to a negative figure of net acquisition of financial assets.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Public sector borrowing and contributions to the public sector borrowing requirement

TABLE 16.2

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Central government borrowing requirement [1]	543	1,155	757	–897	–670	634	1,596	2,321	3,491	8,376	6,786
Local authorities:											
Borrowing from central government [2]	546	398	589	556	721	737	873	1,017	1,259	1,165	481
Borrowing from other sources ..	413	723	548	603	517	674	513	1,345	2,120	1,646	1,105
Borrowing requirement	959	1,121	1,137	1,159	1,238	1,411	1,386	2,362	3,379	2,811	1,586
Purchases of public sector debt [3]	–1	–2	–3	–	–	–2	–1	–3	–5	–7	–30
Public corporations:											
Borrowing from central government	843	1,163	1,100	896	861	1,145	1,079	741	744	2,165	1,619
Borrowing from other sources...	13	–3	–29	–179	112	62	–16	516	726	516	1,772
Borrowing requirement	856	1,160	1,071	717	973	1,207	1,063	1,257	1,470	2,681	3,416
Purchases of public sector debt ..	9	14	–	–7	–24	–1	47	17	6	30	181
Public sector borrowing requirement [4]......................	961	1,863	1,279	–466	–17	1,373	2,047	4,168	6,336	10,515	9,512
of which: In foreign currencies	–	–	–	75	–2	86	–	1,110	1,888	842	1,818

[1] See Table 16.7 for further details. [2] Excluding transactions of Issue Department, Bank of England, in local authority debt; these transactions are included in Local authorities: Borrowing from other sources. [3] Including direct lending to public corporations. [4] Public sector borrowing requirement is the sum of the borrowing requirements of central government, local authorities and public corporations excluding borrowing by local authorities and public corporations from central government *less* net purchases of other public sector debt by local authorities and public corporations.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Transactions in financial assets by the public sector [1]

TABLE 16.3

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total identified financial assets	–893	–1,447	–988	417	740	–514	–1,417	2,581	–4,746	–8,383	–7,951
Notes and coin	–148	–152	–186	–197	–231	–243	–578	–544	–788	–673	–837
Treasury bills:											
Counterpart of central bank assistance	–280	–518	–772	608	1,011	399	–	–	–	–	14
Market treasury bills	290	125	224	386	–545	–337	463	318	–1,542	–1,547	1,350
British government securities	–218	–526	503	–184	259	–3,367	518	–1,556	–693	–5,213	–5,399
National savings [2]	202	43	93	224	51	–371	–459	–102	17	–443	–592
Tax instruments	–79	–36	–21	27	18	–81	113	206	122	30	–4
Import deposits	–	–	–76	–462	257	281	–	–	–	–	–
Net government indebtedness to Bank of England, Banking Department	–44	19	–128	128	–276	471	–443	–1,027	241	103	–412
Northern Ireland central government debt	–9	–21	–2	–4	3	9	–9	10	–32	–6	14
Local authority debt [3] [4]	–404	–714	–548	–609	–528	–670	–416	–1,228	–2,174	–1,275	–410
Deposits with financial institutions [5]	13	13	23	67	44	39	80	100	–69	222	20
Bank lending to public corporations:											
Advances and loans	–15	–22	52	21	–106	–49	–137	–772	–242	44	–408
Commercial bills	–	26	–3	6	–20	20	–9	17	–34	15	–61
Market loans	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–183	177
Credit extended by retailers	–17	–10	7	3	–1	16	42	13	–21	–8	8
Identified trade credit (net)	–60	–41	169	107	–9	–20	116	60	–130	–79	117
Loans for house purchase:											
Local authorities	53	68	9	–18	72	107	199	355	465	502	141
Other public sector	12	17	15	16	10	12	22	46	113	135	105
Transactions in commercial bills by Issue department, Bank of England	–	–	–	–	–	2	–1	301	–299	2	326
Other loans to the private sector	18	26	63	54	61	23	–42	52	375	–204	17
Loans by superannuation funds to parent organisation [4]	–12	2	–3	1	23	16	1	–7	37	33	35
Other loans and mortgages by financial institutions (excluding Banks)	–	20	15	15	4	–	–	–	–	–	–
Company securities	53	5	57	12	6	79	14	15	32	570	260
Transactions concerning certain public sector pension schemes	–64	–61	–72	–51	–58	–84	–117	–137	–215	–288	–315
Other identified home assets	–1	50	–11	12	10	2	4	9	78	32	77
Foreign currency borrowing by HM government	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–644	–423	–
Allocation of Special Drawing Rights	–	–	–	–	–171	–125	–124	–	–	–	–
Official reserves [6]	–282	–319	–114	44	125	1,536	–692	228	105	–655	–853
Inter-government loans (net)	61	39	6	48	178	189	188	153	159	162	38
Transactions with IMF, etc. [6]	26	338	–519	34	186	572	520	55	54	88	–896
Refinanced export and shipbuilding credits	–	–	–	28	160	242	235	250	437	480	
Other identified overseas assets	39	–38	211	18	146	837	–848	–103	–566	–393	–1,315
Accruals adjustment	–27	220	20	83	61	–19	–57	707	468	569	258
Unidentified items	39	–25	–45	12	–	93	–195	–4	–111	525	–378
Net acquisition of financial assets	–854	–1,472	–1,033	429	740	–421	–1,612	–2,585	–4,857	–7,858	–8,329

[1] As published in *National Income and Expenditure* 1966–76. Acquisition of assets or reduction in liabilities is shown positive; sale of assets or increase in liabilities negative. [2] Excluding deposits with Investment Account of the National Savings Bank and the trustee savings banks (special investment departments) and Other securities on the National Savings register. [3] Bank advances to local authorities are included under Local authority debt, not under Bank lending. [4] Loans by local authority superannuation funds to parent authority are included under Local authority debt. [5] Deposits with banking sector and from second quarter 1975 with other financial institutions. [6] From July 1972 transactions with the IMF affecting the UK reserve position in the fund are included as changes in the official reserves.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Financing of the public sector borrowing requirement

TABLE **16.4** £ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Non-bank private sector											
Notes and coin	66	125	52	146	321	273	495	305	709	814	811
National savings	–202	–43	–93	–224	–51	–371	–459	102	–17	423	564
Tax instruments	–6	46	29	–41	3	97	–92	–165	–110	–30	4
Market Treasury bills	–22	–5	–47	–14	3	–3	–18	–14	142	526	–140
British Government securities	107	285	–207	362	98	1,852	423	1,475	858	4,408	5,196
Northern Ireland central government debt	6	23	1	7	–2	–8	4	3	–21	19	–7
Transactions in commercial bills by the Issue Department of the Bank of England	–	–	–	–	–	–2	1	–301	299	–2	–326
Local authority debt	366	363	288	267	84	–185	236	890	2,425	306	599
Public corporations' debt	13	–4	16	–3	–33	–18	–6	–1	–114	–50	–87
Total	328	790	39	500	423	2,377	1,502	2,294	4,171	6,414	6,574
Banking sector											
Net indebtedness to the Bank of England Banking Department	44	–19	128	–128	276	–471	443	1,027	–241	–103	412
Notes and coin	82	27	134	51	–90	–30	83	239	79	–141	26
Tax instruments	85	–10	–8	14	–21	–16	–21	–41	–12	–	–
Market Treasury bills	–209	–	–111	–251	550	5	–599	42	360	1,508	–576
British government securities	119	233	–283	–341	–410	1,378	–1,114	–35	–146	811	73
Northern Ireland central government debt	3	–2	1	–3	–1	–1	5	–13	53	–13	–7
Indirect overseas official financing	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	506	314	28
Local authority debt:											
Overseas official financing	–	–	–	–	–	10	–	88	270	–21	–24
Other	81	345	317	312	483	762	31	–67	–445	886	35
Public corporations' debt:											
Overseas official financing	–	–	–	–	–	–	146	736	325	–1	424
Other	15	–4	–49	–27	126	29	–	19	–48	124	–121
Total	220	570	129	–373	913	1,666	–1,026	1,995	701	3,364	271
Overseas sector											
Market Treasury bills	–59	–120	–66	–121	–8	335	154	–346	1,040	–487	–634
British government securities	–8	8	–13	163	53	137	173	116	–19	–6	130
Direct borrowing (net)	–22	–67	–167	12	–99	–120	–197	–89	–75	–82	–22
Allocation of SDR's and gold subscription to IMF	–44	–	–	–	133	125	124	–	–	–	–
Direct overseas official financing	591	671	1,410	–743	–1,420	–3,353	1,141	–228	33	764	1,809
Local authority debt:											
Overseas official financing	–	–	–	5	–	–	–	104	52	16	–1
Other	–43	6	–57	25	–39	83	149	213	–130	89	–159
Public corporation debt:											
Overseas official financing	–	–	–	51	–	72	–	71	460	393	1,392
Other	–2	5	4	15	27	51	27	38	103	50	152
Total	413	503	1,111	–593	–1,353	–2,670	1,564	–121	1,462	737	2,667
Public sector borrowing requirement	961	1,863	1,279	–466	–17	1,373	2,047	4,168	6,336	10,515	9,512

Source: Central Statistical Office

Debt of the public sector: nominal amount outstanding

TABLE 16.5

At 31 March in each year

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Central government											
National debt											
Sterling debt	29,545	30,164	31,892	31,731	30,845	31,293	33,961	35,268	38,582	43,588	53,133
Foreign currency debt[1]	1,795	1,822	2,302	2,253	2,234	2,149	1,879	1,888	1,866	2,816	3,451
less official holdings[2] [3]	9,340	9,253	9,181	9,263	8,948	9,133	8,759	10,194	11,805	12,802	13,644
equals market holdings	22,000	22,733	25,013	24,721	24,131	24,309	27,081	26,962	28,643	33,602	42,940
Other liabilities:											
Deposits with:											
National Savings Bank: ordinary accounts	1,840	1,730	1,664	1,587	1,452	1,462	1,464	1,518	1,534	1,535	1,547
Trustee savings banks: ordinary departments	1,073	1,057	1,076	1,081	1,073	1,129	1,205	1,330	1,423	1,592	1,737
Accrued interest on national savings certificates and SAYE contracts with DNS and TSBs	623	582	575	573	558	568	540	544	532	547	569
Notes and coin in circulation[4]	3,043	3,159	3,276	3,466	3,680	4,016	4,184	4,626	5,073	5,994	6,613
Market holdings of Northern Ireland Government debt	82	101	106	107	106	116	111	110	116	134	92
Other stocks issued by government funds[5]	192	188	179	171	155	141	141	139	73	71	71
Consolidated fund liability to Post Office Superannuation Fund[6]	—	—	—	—	1,401	1,364	1,324	1,278	1,218	1,121	1,019
Total central government liabilities	28,853	29,550	31,889	31,706	32,556	33,105	36,050	36,507	38,612	44,596	54,576
Government guaranteed stocks of nationalised industries[7]	1,773	1,757	1,755	1,754	1,520	1,512	1,440	1,257	908	908	908
Total held by other sectors	30,626	31,307	33,644	33,460	34,076	34,617	37,490	37,764	39,520	45,504	55,496
of which:											
Local authorities	65	66	59	52	52	46	40	39	32	20	21
Public corporations	79	82	84	84	82	70	67	68	45	32	33
Domestic private sector[8]	24,160	24,855	25,308	24,591	26,455	27,706	30,737	30,912	32,701	37,704	46,963
Overseas	6,322	6,304	8,193	8,733	7,487	6,795	6,646	6,745	6,742	7,748	8,479
Local authorities											
Sterling debt	10,266	11,321	12,451	13,679	14,826	16,157	17,455	19,062	21,331	24,283	26,875
less debt held by other local authorities	266	286	266	268	286	287	298	356	462	541	592
equals debt held oustide local authority sector	10,000	11,035	12,185	13,411	14,540	15,870	17,157	18,706	20,869	23,742	26,283
Foreign currency debt[9]	—	—	—	—	6	6	16	51	383	586	705
Total held by other sectors	10,000	11,035	12,185	13,411	14,546	15,876	17,173	18,757	21,252	24,328	26,988
of which:											
Central government	3,866	4,428	4,819	5,385	5,959	6,720	7,574	8,627	9,740	10,762	12,143
Public corporations	20	35	42	41	36	15	34	90	79	113	120
Domestic private sector[8]	5,902	6,396	7,147	7,858	8,372	9,002	9,317	9,615	10,776	12,899	14,164
Overseas	212	176	177	127	179	139	248	425	657	554	561

See footnotes on page 371.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Debt of the public sector: nominal amount outstanding

TABLE 16.5 (*continued*)

At 31 March in each year

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Public corporations											
Sterling debt	7,726	8,698	10,126	9,766	11,118	12,126	12,818	13,425	13,912	15,320	17,388
Foreign currency debt [1] [9]	—	—	—	7	76	146	185	296	1,372	2,199	3,375
Total held by other sectors	7,726	8,698	10,126	9,773	11,194	12,272	13,003	13,721	15,284	17,519	20,763
of which:											
Central government	7,360	8,331	9,702	9,326	10,691	11,601	12,407	12,904	13,380	14,772	16,807
Domestic private sector [8]	366	367	424	447	437	548	444	582	1,499	1,623	1,836
Overseas	—	—	—	—	66	123	152	235	405	1,124	2,120
Public sector debt held outside the public sector											
Total	36,962	38,098	41,249	41,756	42,996	44,313	47,534	48,514	52,780	61,652	73,995
Sterling debt held by:											
Domestic private sector	30,428	31,618	32,879	32,889	35,254	37,233	40,445	41,018	43,804	49,727	59,780
Overseas	4,739	4,658	6,068	6,607	5,426	4,779	5,009	5,261	5,355	6,324	6,684
Foreign currency debt held by:											
Domestic private sector	—	—	—	7	10	23	43	91	1,172	2,499	3,055
Overseas	1,795	1,822	2,302	2,253	2,306	2,278	2,037	2,144	2,449	3,102	4,476

[1] Total foreign currency debt for each subsector is valued at middle closing spot exchange rates at end-March of each year. [2] Including sterling stocks of nationalised industries guaranteed by the British government. [3] Official holdings at 31 March 1976 were made up as follows: Treasury bills — £6,021 million, marketable securities — £6,432 million, ways and means advances — £1,144 million, terminable annuities — £36 million, other (longstanding) debt to the Bank of England Issue Department — £11 million. [4] Excluding notes and coin held by the Bank of England. [5] For details see Section 4 of *Consolidated Fund and National Loans Fund 1975–76 Supplementary Statements.* [6] The Consolidated Fund liability to the Post Office Superannuation Fund is to pay annual sums to be used to pay interest on the debt and to purchase consols at the market price. The figures shown are the 'nominal consol' equivalent of the annual payments. [7] These stocks are liabilities of public corporations but cannot be distinguished from British Government securities in the sector analysis of holdings. [8] Holdings by the domestic private sector are obtained as a residual and may contain some unidentified holdings by public sector bodies. [9] Much of the foreign currency debt of local authorities and public corporations was contracted through the exchange cover scheme under which the Treasury guarantees the debt against depreciation of sterling *vis-a-vis* the currency in which the debt is denominated. Thus the market exchange rate valuation used overstates the liability of these authorities in recent years, but not the liability of the public sector as a whole.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Consolidated Fund: revenue and expenditure

TABLE 16.6

Years ended 31 March

£ million

	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77
Revenue										
Inland Revenue	5,765.1	6,531.5	7,476.1	8,174.6	9,133.7	9,245.4	10,633.3	14,191.1	18,159.4	20,710.0
Customs and Excise	3,721.3	4,600.5	4,952.5	4,709.1	5,325.5	5,743.5	6,219.6	7,406.5	9,176.4	10,900.1
Motor vehicle duties	269.0	393.1	416.7	421.2	473.3	485.0	533.5	532.2	780.7	845.9
Selective employment tax [1]	1,063.8	1,362.7	1,888.1	1,989.6	1,323.7	993.5	45.0	2.0	–	–
Miscellaneous receipts	408.1	475.6	533.2	548.3	675.8	710.7	795.0	1,438.3	1,300.6	1,322.1
Total revenue	11,227.3	13,363.4	15,266.6	15,842.8	16,931.8	17,178.1	18,226.4	23,570.1	29,417.1	33,778.1
Expenditure										
Supply services	9,975.9	10,809.8	12,016.5	13,447.8	14,817.8	16,617.5	18,624.2	25,605.3	34,072.1	37,066.2
Debt interest [2]	668.5	552.5	512.8	324.7	333.5	543.6	676.7	576.3	964.0	1,133.5
Payments to Northern Ireland	194.3	223.6	251.9	277.2	341.6	357.7	349.5	420.7	576.2	637.7
Payments to the European communities, etc.	–	–	–	–	–	37.9	219.3	242.9	381.7	548.7
Other expenditure [3]	32.6	29.1	41.0	36.6	55.9	132.4	95.6	–42.7	53.0	–13.8
Total expenditure	10,871.3	11,615.0	12,822.2	14,086.3	15,548.8	17,689.1	19,965.3	26,802.5	36,047.0	39,372.3
Surplus transferred to National Loans Fund	356.0	1,748.4	2,444.4	1,756.5	1,383.0	–	–	–	–	–
Deficit met from the National Loans Fund	–	–	–	–	–	511.0	1,738.9	3,232.4	6,629.9	5,594.2

National Loans Fund: summary of receipts and payments

£ million

	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77
Receipts										
Interest on loans, and profits of Issue Department of the Bank of England	702.6	801.7	945.2	1,132.0	1,309.7	1,335.2	1,663.8	2,281.9	2,595.9	3,400.8
Service of the national debt-balance met from the Consolidated Fund	668.5	552.5	512.8	324.7	333.5	543.6	676.7	576.3	964.0	1,133.5
	1,371.1	1,354.2	1,458.0	1,456.7	1,643.2	1,878.8	2,340.5	2,858.2	3,559.9	4,534.3
Surplus transferred from the Consolidated Fund	356.0	1,748.4	2,444.4	1,756.6	1,383.0	–	–	–	–	–
Exchange Equalisation Account–sterling capital [4]	279.2	–50.0	–50.0	–250.0	–1,900.0	1,450.0	–	–200.0	600.0	–2,100.0
Net borrowing [5]	1,311.7	–	–	196.2	2,426.4	1,076.8	3,188.7	5,772.0	8,979.0	8,944.1
Change in balances and other items [6]	3.2	11.5	5.7	7.4	9.2	17.0	10.5	11.4	12.7	–
	3,321.2	3,064.1	3,858.1	3,166.8	3,561.8	4,422.6	5,539.7	8,441.6	13,151.6	11,378.4
Payments										
Service of the national debt:										
Interest	1,321.1	1,309.9	1,411.6	1,418.8	1,595.9	1,827.7	2,284.3	2,789.5	3,482.1	4,449.3
Management and expenses	50.0	44.3	46.4	37.9	47.3	51.1	56.2	68.7	77.9	85.0
	1,371.1	1,354.2	1,458.0	1,456.7	1,643.2	1,878.8	2,340.5	2,858.2	3,560.0	4,534.3
Consolidated Fund deficit met from the National Loans Fund	–	–	–	–	–	511.0	1,738.9	3,232.4	6,629.9	5,594.2
Net lending [7]	1,744.5	1,423.1	1,439.1	1,560.1	1,918.6	2,032.8	1,403.2	2,351.0	2,736.3	940.4
Net repayment of debt [5]	–	286.8	961.0	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
International Monetary Fund–Maintenance of value of sterling subscription	205.6	–	–	150.0	–	–	–	–	–	–
International Monetary Fund–Maintenance of value of sterling holding	–	–	–	–	–	–	57.1	–	225.4	310.0
	3,321.2	3,064.1	3,858.1	3,166.8	3,561.8	4,422.6	5,539.7	8,441.6	13,151.6	11,378.9

[1] Actual receipts in the year are shown gross, and payments of refunds and premiums are included in expenditure on Supply Services. [2] Payment to National Loans Fund representing its payments for the service of the national debt *less* its receipts of interest on loans outstanding, etc. [3] Includes net issues to Contingences Fund. [4] Minus sign indicates a net issue. [5] See Table 16.13. [6] Includes transfer of surplus on the death duties surrendered securities account and in 1967/68 the surrender of the final balance on the local loans fund. [7] See Table 16.10.

Source: HM Treasury

Central government borrowing requirement (net balance) [1]

TABLE **16.7**

Year ended 31 March

£ million

	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77
National Loans Fund:										
Net lending	1,744	1,423	1,439	1,560	1,919	2,033	1,403	2,351	2,736	940
less Surplus from Consolidated Fund [2]	–356	–1,748	–2,444	–1,757	–1,383	511	1,739	3,232	6,630	5,594
Other items	–3	–12	–6	–7	–9	–11	–10	–12	–13	–
Borrowing required	1,385	–337	–1,011	–204	527	2,533	3,132	5,571	9,353	6,534
less Surplus of National Insurance Funds [2]	82	92	96	–53	–21	–138	–271	–605	–294	–957
less Departmental balances and miscellaneous	–132	–29	13	272	80	–410	–710	90	–228	347
Northern Ireland central government debt	7	–3	–	6	–2	–4	13	31	–28	20
Central government borrowing requirement (net balance)	1,342	–277	–902	21	584	1,981	2,164	5,087	8,803	5,944
Borrowing requirement analysed by type of asset										
Net indebtedness to Bank of England, Banking Department	–131	177	–184	249	–284	670	704	–544	292	–138
Notes and coin	123	196	217	340	170	448	454	921	619	733
Non-marketable debt:										
National savings										
Deposits	–47	–72	–92	55	108	213	158	198	209	35
Certificates and bonds	42	–13	–139	1	325	163	–168	–70	291	934
Tax instruments [3]	20	33	–48	35	45	–154	–139	–51	–4	–7
Treasury bills [4]	–100	–166	–473	161	370	93	–347	1,597	2,166	–1,192
British government securities [5]	–85	–998	1,213	675	2,272	–227	2,000	2,177	4,159	6,384
Local authority debt and commercial bills [6]	–	–	–	–61	33	–295	–303	126	29	–289
Northern Ireland central government debt	7	–3	–	6	–2	–4	13	31	–28	20
Exchange cover scheme: payment of claims	–	–	–	–	–	–	–2	–2	–45	–19
Direct borrowing (net) from overseas governments and institutions [7]	–186	–50	–10	–95	–141	–176	–83	–83	–84	–21
Allocation of SDR's and gold subscriptions to IMF	–	–	171	87	124	–	–	–	–	–
Overseas official financing:										
Net transactions with overseas monetary authorities [8]	1,334	514	–1,457	–1,179	–913	439	–	–	580	1,086
Foreign currency borrowing	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1,067	–	584
Net change in official reserves (increase–) [8] [9]	365	105	–100	–253	–1,523	811	–123	–280	619	–2,166
Central government borrowing requirement (net balance)	1,342	–277	–902	21	584	1,981	2,164	5,087	8,803	5,944

[1] This is equal to National Loans Fund borrowing and special transactions (net) *less* receipts from other central government funds, etc. [2] A negative item represents a surplus, a positive item a deficit. [3] Includes tax reserve certificates, tax deposit accounts from 1973/74 and certificates of tax deposits from October 1975. [4] Excluding bills held as the sterling counterpart of assistance from overseas central banks, which are part of Overseas official financing. [5] Including government guaranteed stock (redemptions). [6] Includes, from 1975/76, transactions by National Insurance Funds. [7] Excluding net drawings from the IMF and the sterling equivalent of foreign currency deposits by overseas central banks which are part of Overseas official financing. The figure for 1967/68 includes certain exchange adjustments connected with devaluation. [8] From July 1972 transactions with the IMF affecting the UK reserve position in the Fund are included as changes in the official reserves. [9] Net change in the official reserves other than the increase arising from the transfer of the Government's portfolio of dollar securities. From 23 August 1971 valued in sterling at transactions rates of exchange.

Sources: HM Treasury: Central Statistical Office

Consolidated Fund revenue [1]

TABLE **16.8**

Years ended 31 March

£ million

	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77
Taxation										
Inland Revenue: Total	5,765.1	6,531·5	7,476·1	8,174.6	9,133.7	9,245.4	10,633.3	14,191.2	18,159.4	20,710.0
Income tax	3,826.4	4,337.2	4,899.9	5,728.3	6,449.0	6,475.3	7,135.8	10,238.7	15,053.9	17,012.8
Surtax	241.9	224.2	255.4	240.3	349.1	340.9	307.3	185.8	108.8	62.2
Profits tax [2]	31.8	8.2	2.1	2.3	2.0	0.8	1.0	1.0	0.7	0.2
Corporation tax	1,221.0	1,345.8	1,686.5	1,589.0	1,557.6	1,532.7	2,262.2	2,849.7	1,997.3	2,654.9
Capital gains tax	15.5	46.8	126.8	138.8	155.5	208.4	323.6	380.4	387.1	323.4
Estate duty	331.3	379.2	365.5	356.3	452.4	458.5	412.2	337.8	212.5	124.4
Capital transfer tax	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	117.7	259.2
Stamp duties	97.1	124.1	120.2	116.2	166.3	227.6	190.3	197.4	281.1	271.6
Special charge	—	66.0	19.7	3.4	1.8	1.2	0.9	0.4	0.3	0.2
Development land tax	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1.1
Other Inland Revenue duties	0.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Customs and Excise: Total	3,721.3	4,600.5	4,952.5	4,709.1	5,325.3	5,743.5	6,219.6	7,406.5	9,176.4	10,900.0
Beer	390.2	405.8	450.5	466.9	480.0	491.7	365.1	450.1	651.5	807.4
Wines and spirits	358.1	372.2	413.2	464.2	524.0	581.8	588.3	682.9	909.5	1,137.8
Tobacco	1,044.7	1,105.0	1,143.0	1,139.8	1,124.0	1,182.6	1,084.9	1,337.4	1,676.8	1,873.9
Hydrocarbon oils	970.3	1,127.9	1,310.7	1,395.2	1,439.0	1,553.2	1,585.1	1,547.6	1,540.4	2,065.2
Protective duties	214.0	214.0	226.2	262.8	269.3	348.5	437.1	500.5	512.8	675.0
Purchase tax	748.5	972.1	1,111.6	1,270.7	1,429.0	1,387.4	379.5	1.2	1.3	—
Agricultural levies	—	—	—	—	—	4.1	25.4	25.2	45.2	52.7
Betting	67.9	99.7	119.1	130.4	155.0	171.3	185.4	238.4	264.9	284.2
Temporary charge on imports	–6.3	–2.4	–1.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Import levies	—	—	—	—	6.0	16.0	—	—	—	—
VAT	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,447.4	2,496.5	3,395.0	3,778.4
Car tax	—	—	—	—	—	—	117.7	122.1	170.7	226.8
Other	10.3	–1.5	1.3	2.6	11.0	11.2	9.3	9.5	13.6	5.5
Import deposits	—	347.8	188.2	–423.5	–112.0	—	—	—	—	—
less Export rebates	*76.4*	*40.1*	*10.2*	—	—	*4.3*	*5.6*	*4.9*	*5.3*	*6.9*
Motor vehicle duties	269.0	393.1	416.7	421.2	473.3	485.0	533.5	532.1	780.7	845.9
Selective employment tax	1,063.8	1,362.7	1,888.1	1,989.6	1,323.7	993.5	45.0	2.0	0.1	—
Total taxation	10,819.2	12,887.8	14,733.4	15,294.5	16,256.0	16,467.4	17,431.4	22,131.8	28,116.6	32,455.9
Miscellaneous receipts:										
Interest and dividends [3]	90.4	92.0	92.4	99.6	100.5	99.4	107.2	170.5	151.7	189.9
Broadcast receiving licences	81.2	84.7	101.2	100.7	122.0	136.4	152.9	164.3	229.6	246.7
Other [4]	236.5	298.9	339.6	348.0	453.3	474.9	534.9	1,103.5	919.3	885.4
Total revenue	11,227.3	13,363.4	15,266.6	15,842.8	16,931.8	17,178.1	18,226.4	23,570.1	29,417.2	33,777.9

[1] Includes Northern Ireland only to the extent that services, taxes, etc. are reserved to the United Kingdom Parliament. [2] Includes excess profits tax and excess profits levy. [3] From 1968/69 excludes interest on loans from National Loans Fund (see Table 16·6 and explanatory notes on page 366). [4] From 1968/69 includes repayments of loans previously made from the Consolidated Fund as part of the programme of overseas aid and development and now made out of moneys provided by Parliament (see explanatory notes on page 366).

Source: HM Treasury

Consolidated Fund expenditure [1]

TABLE **16.9**

Years ended 31 March

£ million

	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77
Supply services	9,975.9	10,809.8	12,016.4	13,447.8	14,817.8	16,617.5	18,624.2	25,605.3	34,072.1	37,066.2
Consolidated Fund standing services:										
National Loans Fund in respect of service of the national debt	668.5	552.5	512.8	324.7	333.5	543.6	676.7	576.3	964.0	1,133.5
Northern Ireland—share of taxes, etc.	194.3	223.6	251.9	277.2	341.6	357.7	349.5	420.7	576.2	637.7
Payments to European Communities etc.	—	—	—	—	—	37.9	219.3	242.9	381.7	548.7
Contingencies Fund [2]	2.0	–5.0	8.0	7.0	26.0	–14.0	63.0	–68.0	36.0	–30.0
Other services:										
War damage payments	2.2	3.0	1.0	0.5	0.2	—	—	—	—	—
Repayment of post-war credits	17.8	19.2	18.0	14.1	18.0	132.6	14.8	3.7	1.8	1.0
Miscellaneous	10.6	11.9	14.0	15.0	11.7	13.8	17.8	21.6	15.2	15.2
Total expenditure	10,871.3	11,615.0	12,822.1	14,086.3	15,548.8	17,689.1	19,965.3	26,802.5	36,047.0	39,372.3

[1] Includes Northern Ireland only to the extent that services, taxes etc. are reserved to the United Kingdom Parliament. [2] Minus sign indicates a net repayment to the Fund.

Source: H.M. Treasury

National Loans Fund [1]: net lending

TABLE **16.10**

Years ended 31 March

£ million

	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77
Loans to nationalised industries										
Post Office	200.0	240.0	240.0	253.4	296.7	423.4	313.4	363.4	30.1	–38.6
Coal	76.0	20.2	–11.1	–28.4	44.2	116.6	18.6	–0.3	97.4	–6.5
Electricity [2]	379.9	204.0	320.3	242.5	194.0	114.8	–115.9	234.2	81.4	–366.8
Gas	262.2	205.8	158.1	133.2	187.9	172.9	–38.0	68.0	–76.9	–136.0
Steel	175.0	–18.5	31.2	43.3	144.5	142.9	–3.0	–78.2	130.9	160.4
Aviation [3]	17.4	29.7	–20.3	23.9	43.4	–36.1	–36.1	–36.1	35.7	–25.3
Transport	88.2	44.1	16.2	39.5	44.5	1.9	34.7	27.2	122.2	–12.1
British National Oil Corporation	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	178.6	161.8
Loans to other public corporations										
New Town Corporations and Commission	69.0	78.7	96.9	105.7	100.7	83.0	129.1	207.3	320.6	350.1
Regional water authorities	—	—	—	—	—	—	1.6	265.3	421.9	13.4
Other	–1.4	48.1	51.1	44.1	28.3	41.9	85.8	154.9	129.3	204.2
Loans to local and harbour authorities	361.4	478.3	545.3	689.4	828.6	954.4	1,000.5	1,129.9	1,196.6	602.7
Loans to private sector [4]	–4.1	–8.5	–5.6	–10.5	–21.1	–8.6	–5.9	–7.4	–16.6	5.6
Loans within central government [5]	120.9	101.2	17.0	24.0	26.9	25.7	18.4	22.8	85.1	27.5
Net lending	1,744.5	1,423.1	1,439.1	1,560.1	1,918.6	2,032.8	1,403.2	2,351.0	2,736.3	940.4

[1] In addition to its lending, the National Loans Fund meets the interest and management charges of the national debt. To the extent that these charges are not matched by interest received on its own lending and by profits of the Issue Department of the Bank of England, the Consolidated Fund meets the difference. The surplus on the Consolidated Fund is paid to the Fund, leaving the difference between that and its net lending as the Fund's financing requirement. [2] Electricity Council, North of Scotland Hydro-Electric Board and South of Scotland Electricity Board. [3] British Airways Board (BOAC and BEA prior to 1 April 1972) and British Airports Authority. [4] Loans under the Ship Credit Scheme and to housing associations and building societies from 1969/70, the Shipbuilding Industry Board, British Nuclear Fuels Ltd. [5] Loans to votes for US military aircraft, married quarters for armed forces and Town and Country Planning compensation, and lending to Northern Ireland Exchequer, Royal Ordnance factories, Royal Mint, the Redundancy Fund and Property Services Agency.

Source: HM Treasury

National Loans Fund: issues of loans

Years ended 31 March

TABLE 16.11

£ million

	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77
Loans to nationalised industries:										
Post Office	200.0	240.0	240.0	285.0	330.0	455.0	405.0	785.0	290.0	–
National Coal Board	595.4	512.0	411.0	511.0	576.0	572.2	481.7	400.9	1,022.0	1,475.5
Electricity Council	468.0	294.0	425.0	357.0	324.0	280.0	730.0	685.0	525.0	–
North of Scotland Hydro-Electric Board	10.0	12.2	12.3	22.5	20.1	19.9	29.3	60.6	49.2	75.5
South of Scotland Electricity Board	51.5	48.0	50.5	59.0	64.5	59.0	56.1	89.5	37.5	45.5
British Gas Corporation	285.0	240.0	203.0	223.4	252.1	295.0	120.0	251.5	150.0	–
British Steel Corporation	175.0	15.0	50.0	65.0	170.0	170.0	50.0	132.0	197.5	340.0
British Airways Board [1]	38.5	53.0	–	60.0	71.0	–	–	–	64.0	–
British Airports Authority	2.0	3.0	1.0	–	–	–	–	–	8.0	–
British Railways Board	5.0	–	–	29.0	53.0	14.0	48.7	10.0	97.0	–
London Transport Board	18.2	21.0	11.0	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
British Transport Docks Board	10.6	8.5	9.8	7.3	3.0	3.3	–	–	–	–
British Waterways Board	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.2	0.5	0.6	–	0.9	0.9	0.6
Transport Holding Company	54.0	14.0	–	–	2.0	–	–	–	–	–
National Freight Corporation	–	–	10.0	15.0	–	–	–	15.0	22.1	10.0
National Bus Company	–	–	–	2.0	–	–	–	19.9	29.0	14.4
Scottish Transport Group	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2.0	–
British National Oil Corporation	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	178.6	162.6
Loans to other public corporations:										
New Towns–Development Corporations and Commission	70.9	80.8	99.7	108.1	103.2	87.0	132.2	220.0	328.3	354.4
Scottish Special Housing Association	8.6	11.8	13.4	14.6	13.3	9.7	12.2	23.2	35.7	32.2
Housing Corporation	13.0	12.0	13.1	6.8	12.3	25.3	46.8	123.9	106.8	68.0
Covent Garden Market Authority	0.3	0.4	2.1	3.5	3.6	3.9	5.7	7.7	4.8	4.4
Sugar Board	33.0	12.0	6.0	2.0	4.0	24.0	46.4	43.2	4.0	–
Industrial Reorganisation Corporation	–	20.9	33.1	31.0	–	–	–	–	–	–
Civil Aviation Authority	–	–	–	–	–	–	5.0	21.5	1.2	1.0
Maplin Development Authority	–	–	–	–	–	–	0.2	0.5	0.5	0.3
Regional water authorities	–	–	–	–	–	–	1.8	450.1	596.3	44.5
National Enterprise Board	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	3.0	99.6
Scottish Development Agency	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	0.4
Welsh Development Agency	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	0.3
Land Authority for Wales	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2.1
Loans to local and harbour authorities:										
Local authorities	465.7	597.1	676.6	854.5	1,037.7	1,225.3	1,381.2	1,833.8	2,113.0	1,678.7
Harbour authorities	8.2	9.4	20.2	17.6	23.5	26.6	9.5	6.6	26.2	12.2
Loans to private sector:										
Shipbuilding Industry Board	3.5	5.9	3.6	2.6	3.0	–	–	–	–	–
Housing associations	4.3	1.2	0.4	0.2	0.1	–	–	0.1	–	–
British Nuclear Fuels Ltd	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	10.0
Loans within central government:										
Northern Ireland Exchequer	25.0	23.0	35.0	58.0	65.0	90.0	66.0	70.0	120.0	50.0
Royal Mint	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	4.8	1.0
Royal Ordnance factories	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1.0	7.0	–
Purchases of United States military aircraft	89.2	110.5	29.7	12.9	–	–	–	–	–	–
Married quarters for armed forces	10.4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Redundancy Fund	11.0	17.8	3.8	1.6	17.0	3.8	–	–	4.0	4.0
Land Commission	1.1	4.2	3.3	2.6	–	–	–	–	–	–
Property Services Agency	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	7.0
Other loans:										
Tithe Redemption Annuities Account	–	–	–	0.7	0.6	–	0.1	–	–	–
Total	2,657.8	2,368.3	2,364.2	2,753.1	3,149.5	3,364.6	3,627.9	5,251.9	6,028.4	4,494.2

[1] Prior to 1 April 1972 the British Overseas Airways Corporation and the British European Airways Corporation.

Source: HM Treasury

National Loans Fund: repayment of loans

TABLE **16.12**

Years ended 31 March

£ million

	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77
Repayments of loans to nationalised industries:										
Post Office	—	—	—	31.6	33.3	31.6	91.6	421.6	259.9	38.6
National Coal Board	519.4	491.8	422.2	539.4	531.8	455.6	463.1	401.2	924.6	1,482.0
Electricity Council	131.6	129.5	141.1	170.3	185.7	198.9	886.1	477.9	429.6	319.8
North of Scotland Hydro-Electric Board	6.7	7.2	10.8	8.2	9.0	9.7	20.2	34.2	64.0	92.9
South of Scotland Electricity Board	11.3	13.5	15.5	17.5	19.9	35.5	25.0	88.8	36.7	34.0
British Gas Corporation	22.8	34.2	44.9	90.2	64.2	122.1	158.0	183.5	227.0	136.0
British Steel Corporation	—	33.5	18.8	21.7	25.5	27.1	53.0	210.2	66.6	179.6
British Airways Board [1]	23.1	26.2	21.0	35.8	27.4	35.9	35.9	35.9	35.9	24.7
British Airports Authority	—	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.7
British Railways Board	—	—	15.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	8.7	8.7	8.7
British Transport Docks Board	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6.4
British Waterways Board	—	—	0.2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Transport Holding Company	—	—	—	—	—	2.0	—	—	—	—
National Bus Company	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9.9	10.0	10.0
National Freight Corporation	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7.1	10.0
Scottish Transport Group	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3.1	2.0
British National Oil Corporation	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.8
Repayment of loans to other public corporations:										
New Towns—Development Corporations and Commission	1.9	2.1	2.8	2.4	2.5	4.0	3.1	12.7	7.7	4.3
Scottish Special Housing Association	0.8	0.7	1.0	1.0	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.2	1.1	1.4
Housing Corporation	—	—	—	—	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.4
Iron and Steel Holding and Realisation Agency—surplus receipts	24.9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Covent Garden Market Authority	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9.3	0.3	0.2
Sugar Board	34.1	14.2	5.6	2.4	4.0	20,0	29.3	47.2	25.0	—
Industrial Reorganisation Corporation	—	—	10.0	10.4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Civil Aviation Authority	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5.0	—	—
Regional water authorities	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.2	184.8	174.4	31.1
National Enterprise Board	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2.0
Repayment of loans to local and harbour authorities:										
Local authorities	112.5	128.0	151.4	182.6	232.4	296.3	387.7	707.7	939.2	1,083.5
Harbour authorities	—	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	1.2	2.5	2.8	3.4	4.6
Repayment of loans to private sector										
Shipbuilding Industry Board	—	—	—	—	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.7	8.0	0.9
Ship credit scheme	5.9	6.2	6.5	9.9	5.5	5.5	3.3	3.1	1.0	0.6
Housing associations	—	—	—	0.1	0.2	—	—	0.1	0.1	—
Building societies	2.5	3.5	3.1	3.3	18.4	2.9	2.3	3.6	7.5	2.4
British Nuclear Fuels Ltd.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.5
Repayments of loans within central government:										
Northern Ireland Exchequer	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.8	1.0	1.3	1.7	7.3	3.0	1.8
Royal Mint	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2.1	1.4
Royal Ordnance factories	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3.1	16.1	4.2
Purchases of United States military aircraft	7.4	38.5	32.5	40.0	39.5	54.7	36.9	32.2	22.3	9.3
Married quarters for armed forces	0.5	1.1	0.5	1.4	0.4	1.8	1.2	3.6	3.0	1.4
Town and country planning compensation	3.1	3.2	3.4	3.5	3.7	3.8	4.0	4.1	3.8	0.7
Redundancy Fund	4.4	11.0	17.8	5.4	10.5	6.5	3.8	—	0.2	7.8
Property Services Agency	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6.0
Other repayments:										
Tithe Redemption Annuities Account	—	—	—	0.7	0.6	—	0.1	—	—	—
Total	913.3	945.2	925.1	1,193.0	1,230.9	1,331.8	2,224.7	2,900.9	3,292.1	3,510.7

[1] Prior to 1 April 1972 the British Overseas Airways Corporation and the British European Airways Corporation.

Source: HM Treasury

Borrowing and repayment of debt

TABLE **16.13**

Years ended 31 March

£ million

	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77
Borrowing										
Marketable securities: new issues	1,247.7	–	1,536.1	3,048.8	3,877.9	3,466.2	1,614.4	4,382.8	6,509.1	8,623.0
National savings securities:										
National savings certificates	310.6	234.7	214.4	241.3	543.2	314.1	218.6	310.6	580.6	1,106.3
National development bonds	77.5	0.2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	0.2
British Savings bonds	–	83.4	118.8	57.5	162.9	147.7	214.9	114.8	116.1	71.7
Premium savings bonds	97.9	130.1	108.7	97.1	167.4	136.8	115.7	117.7	136.0	144.1
Save As You Earn	–	–	4.8	23.5	34.4	47.1	51.9	45.4	62.9	90.0
National savings stamps and gift tokens	70.8	82.9	87.2	76.8	103.9	112.6	123.5	89.6	104.3	80.9
Tax deposit accounts	–	–	–	–	–	–	14.6	8.0	–	–
Certificates of tax deposit	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	15.0	13.4
Tax reserve certificates	295.0	277.9	236.8	239.4	282.1	77.4	11.5	–	–	–
Treasury bills (net receipt)	1,571.4	285.4	–	–	297.4	–	2,411.7	2,011.0	3,331.8	342.5
Ways and means (net receipt)	5.1	60.0	90.2	128.4	–	131.7	195.8	147.2	168.1	–
Other debt: payable in sterling:										
Interest free notes	241.0	608.0	424.9	111.0	–	262.9	65.7	–	971.6	1,370.2
Other	4.0	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other debt: payable in external currencies	351.8	525.9	82.0	12.9	–	–	–	1,066.9	–	583.6
Total receipts	4,272.8	2,288.5	2,903.9	4,036.7	5,469.2	4,696.5	5,038.3	8,294.0	11,995.5	12,425.9
Repayment of debt										
Marketable securities: redemptions	1,523.2	868.4	1,081.6	1,321.2	1,613.3	1,628.7	687.1	1,499.0	2,120.1	2,652.8
Statutory sinking funds	45.0	46.0	36.3	37.0	37.7	60.3	21.7	21.7	14.1	5.5
Terminable annuities:										
National Debt Commissioners	82.3	83.4	84.1	78.1	61.8	57.6	55.5	53.5	47.9	14.7
National savings securities:										
National savings certificates	255.9	255.0	305.9	235.0	362.0	286.9	382.8	350.1	399.0	419.2
Defence bonds	99.3	69.0	52.7	30.6	8.1	0.6	0.1	0.1	–	–
National development bonds	41.1	77.2	109.6	75.1	43.8	32.7	2.3	0.4	0.1	0.2
British savings bonds	–	4.3	46.7	25.8	34.2	57.3	239.1	195.0	102.5	111.2
Premium savings bonds	50.2	48.8	60.5	55.4	60.8	66.1	80.1	74.5	69.7	76.3
Save as you earn	–	–	–	0.5	2.2	3.2	6.5	25.3	20.8	41.9
National savings stamps and gift tokens	70.6	77.5	84.2	79.6	97.1	109.3	117.0	102.0	95.9	104.4
Tax deposit accounts	–	–	–	–	–	–	8.9	9.7	2.5	1.6
Certificates of tax deposit	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1.8	14.0
Tax reserve certificates	275.1	242.2	289.3	204.7	236.7	231.5	156.7	49.0	15.2	3.6
Treasury bills (net repayment)	–	–	1,179.5	1,270.5	–	493.7	–	–	–	–
Ways and means (net repayment)	–	–	–	–	54.1	–	–	–	–	15.4
Other debt: payable in sterling:										
Interest free notes	313.4	221.2	424.5	322.8	292.2	496.3	0.5	56.1	43.4	0.3
Other	4.8	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	2.3	1.6	0.5	0.1
Other debt: payable in external currencies	200.2	576.9	104.6	98.8	133.4	90.1	89.0	84.0	83.0	20.6
Total payments	2,961.1	2,575.3	3,864.9	3,840.5	3,042.8	3,619.7	1,849.6	2,522.0	3,016.5	3,481.8
Net borrowing [1]	1,311.7	–286.8	–961.0	196.2	2,426.4	1,076.8	3,188.7	5,772.0	8,979.0	8.944.1

[1] Minus sign indicates net repayment of debt.

Source: HM Treasury

Consolidated Fund and National Loans Fund: assets and liabilities

TABLE 16.14

At 31 March in each year

£ million

	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Consolidated Fund									
Total estimated assets	. .	1,643.9	2,520.5	2,728.7	2,615.4	2,755.7	3,010.8	3,452.6	5,729.0
Subscriptions and contributions to international financial organisations	201.1	213.7	219.4	236.2	246.2	275.1	318.1	369.4	470.4
International Bank for Reconstruction and Development	108.3	108.3	108.3	108.3	108.3	108.3	108.3	106.4	116.3
International Finance Corporation	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	5.0	7.5
International Development Association	85.5	97.5	102.6	118.1	127.8	147.4	179.3	215.0	285.6
African Development Fund	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	0.1	0.1
Asian Development Bank	1.3	1.9	2.5	3.2	3.3	4.9	8.1	11.3	16.2
Caribbean Development Bank	—	—	—	0.6	0.8	1.0	1.3	1.6	3.2
European Investment Bank	—	—	—	—	—	7.5	15.0	30.0	41.5
Amounts due from overseas governments	88.2	90.1	92.7	94.8	97.1	99.2	101.4	103.6	106.2
War of 1939-45	80.3	79.5	79.5	79.5	79.5	79.5	79.5	79.5	79.5
Other	7.9	10.6	13.2	15.3	17.6	19.7	21.9	24.1	26.7
Loans from Votes	. .	1,149.0	1,265.7	1,407.4	1,539.1	1,602.4	1,750.0	1,997.7	3,642.4
Issues of public dividend capital	53.0	81.0	804.0	808.0	565.0	625.0	636.3	796.3	1,233.8
British Airways Board	35.0	50.0	65.0	65.0	65.0	125.0	136.3	216.3	280.0
British Steel Corporation	—	—	700.0	700.0	500.0	500.0	500.0	545.0	889.5
Industrial Reorganisation Corporation	18.0	31.0	39.0	43.0	—	—	—	—	—
Royal Ordnance factories	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	35.0	35.0
National Enterprise Board	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9.2
Royal Mint	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7.0
Post Office	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	13.0
Scottish Development Agency	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1
Contingencies Fund—capital	28.0	23.0	31.0	38.0	64.0	50.0	113.0	45.0	81.0
Balances on revenue accounts	52.3	87.1	107.7	144.3	104.0	104.0	92.0	140.6	195.2
Total liabilities	18,351.2	18,024.7	17,008.8	15,327.9	13,978.6	14,937.2	16,596.5	19,946.0	28,200.6
Liability to balance National Loans Fund	17,863.7	17,475.5	16,047.1	14,432.3	13,113.8	14,261.1	16,067.6	19,433.9	27,733.6
Payment from Votes	254.5	322.0	315.4	283.5	239.9	179.6	137.5	97.5	77.4
Purchases of United States military aircraft	133.9	205.8	203.0	176.0	136.5	81.8	44.9	12.7	—
Married quarters for armed forces	90.4	89.2	88.8	87.4	86.9	85.1	83.9	80.3	77.3
Town and country planning compensation	30.2	27.0	23.6	20.1	16.5	12.7	8.7	4.5	0.1
Liability to Post Office Superannuation Fund	—	—	411.6	377.7	377.4	311.6	207.8	200.4	183.3
Post-war credits outstanding and interest due—estimated	233.0	217.0	205.0	186.0	171.0	51.0	33.0	29.0	27.0
Revenue paid over in advance of collection—Broadcast receiving licences	—	—	1.1	3.5	—	—	2.4	3.8	—
Promissory notes issues by Minister of Overseas Development	—	10.2	28.6	44.9	76.5	133.9	148.2	181.4	179.3
International Development Association	—	9.6	26.1	41.6	73.1	101.3	121.0	159.6	161.6
African Development Fund	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.7	1.5	2.5
Asian Development Bank	—	0.6	2.5	3.1	3.1	2.1	3.2	4.4	4.2
Asian Development Fund	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7.6	9.8
Caribbean Development Bank	—	—	—	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.8	0.8	1.2
European Investment Bank	—	—	—	—	—	30.0	22.5	7.5	—

Source: HM Treasury

Consolidated Fund and National Loans Fund: assets and liabilities

TABLE **16.14** *(continued)*

At 31 March in each year

£ million

	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
National Loans Fund									
Total assets	34,193.9	33,984.2	33,079.4	33,441.9	35,839.9	36,884.6	40,124.5	45,925.5	56,571.6
Total National Loans Fund loans outstanding	15,280.3	15,425.6	15,895.1	17,455.1	19,286.6	20,628.3	22,001.2	24,228.3	26,951.7
Loans to nationalised industries:									
Post Office	1,441.1	1,681.1	1,921.1	2,174.5	2,459.7	2,752.4	3,019.0	3,382.3	3,382.7
National Coal Board	704.0	724.3	713.1	684.7	728.9	418.8	437.4	437.1	534.4
Electricity Council	2,715.0	2,879.4	3,163.4	3,350.1	3,488.4	3,569.5	3,413.4	3,620.6	3,715.9
North of Scotland Hydro-Electric Board	163.0	168.1	169.5	183.8	195.0	205.1	214.2	240.6	225.8
South of Scotland Electricity Board	279.6	314.1	349.1	390.6	435.2	458.7	489.8	490.4	491.2
British Gas Corporation	763.4	969.3	1,127.3	1,260.5	1,448.4	1,621.3	1,583.4	1,651.4	1,574.5
British Steel Corporation	1,000.0	981.5	321.7	365.0	509.5	502.4	499.4	421.3	552.2
British Airways Board[1]	123.1	149.9	119.9	144.1	187.7	151.9	116.0	80.1	108.2
British Airports Authority	54.9	57.8	58.6	58.3	58.0	57.8	57.5	57.2	64.8
British Railways Board	1,627.1	365.0	350.0	365.0	404.0	404.0	438.7	251.3	339.6
London Transport Board	237.8	258.8	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
British Transport Docks Board	91.7	100.2	109.9	117.2	120.2	123.4	123.4	123.4	123.4
British Waterways Board	21.2	6.1	6.7	6.9	7.4	8.1	8.1	9.0	9.9
Transport Holding Company	186.5	200.5	200.5	200.5	202.5	–	–	–	–
National Freight Corporation	–	–	10.0	25.0	25.0	124.3	124.3	139.3	153.1
National Bus Company	–	–	–	2.0	2.0	99.6	99.6	109.6	128.6
Scottish Transport Group	–	–	–	–	19.9	19.9	19.9	19.9	18.8
British National Oil Corporation	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	178.6
Loans to other public corporations:									
New Towns–Development Corporations and Commission	561.8	640.5	737.4	843.1	943.8	1,026.9	1,156.0	1,363.3	1,683.9
Scottish Special Housing Association	120.7	131.7	144.2	157.8	170.3	179.1	190.3	212.2	246.9
Housing Corporation	22.1	34.0	47.1	53.9	66.1	91.3	137.8	261.5	368.0
Covent Garden Market Authority	5.2	5.5	7.7	11.2	14.8	18.7	24.4	28.1	32.6
Sugar Board	6.1	3.9	4.3	3.8	3.8	7.8	25.0	21.0	–
Industrial Reorganisation Corporation	–	20.9	44.0	64.6	–	–	–	–	–
Civil Aviation Authority	–	–	–	–	–	–	32.6	49.1	49.8
Maplin Development Authority	–	–	–	–	–	–	0.2	0.6	2.4
Regional water authorities	–	–	–	–	–	–	1.6	267.0	688.9
Nation Enterprise Board	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	3.0
Loans to local and harbour authorities:									
Local authorities, etc.	4,634.9	5,104.0	5,629.1	6,301.0	7,106.3	8,035.3	9,028.9	10,155.0	11,328.8
Harbour authorities	30.0	39.3	59.4	76.9	100.3	125.7	121.5	125.3	148.2
Loans to private sector:									
Shipbuilding Industry Board	3.5	9.4	13.1	15.6	18.6	18.4	18.1	17.4	9.4
Shipowners (Ship credit scheme)	41.6	35.4	28.9	19.0	13.5	8.0	4.7	1.6	0.1
Housing associations	22.5	23.7	24.1	24.2	24.1	24.1	24.1	24.1	24.0
Building societies	64.4	60.9	57.8	54.5	36.1	33.2	30.9	27.4	19.8
Loans within central government:									
Northern Ireland Exchequer	92.4	114.9	149.3	206.5	270.5	359.2	423.5	486.2	603.1
Royal Ordnance factories	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	57.4	48.3
Purchases of United States military aircraft	133.9	205.8	203.0	176.0	136.5	81.8	44.9	12.7	–
Married quarters for armed forces	90.4	89.2	88.8	87.4	87.0	85.1	83.9	80.3	77.3
Town and country planning compensation	30.2	27.0	23.6	20.1	16.5	12.7	8.7	4.5	0.1
Redundancy Fund	11.0	17.8	3.8	–	6.5	3.8	–	–	3.8
Land Commission	1.1	5.3	8.6	11.1	–	–	–	–	–
Miscellaneous	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	–	–	–	–	–
Royal Mint	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	10.4
Total assets from other issues	1,049.9	1,083.0	1,137.3	1,554.5	3,439.5	1,995.2	2,055.7	2,263.3	1,886.5
Exchange Equalisation Account–capital	–	50.0	100.0	350.0	2,250.0	800.0	800.0	1,000.0	400.0
Subscriptions and contributions to international financial organisations:									
International Monetary Fund	1,016.7	1,016.7	1,016.7	1,166.7	1,166.7	1,166.7	1,223.8	1,223.8	1,449.2
European Fund	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	–	–	–	–
Other assets:									
Victory bonds Sinking Fund–balance	5.9	6.1	6.4	6.6	6.9	7.2	7.5	7.8	0.4
Borrowing included in national debt but not brought to account by 31 March	15.8	5.0	8.9	25.9	10.7	19.4	22.5	29.6	34.7
Other	8.3	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.0	1.9	1.9	2.1	2.2
Consolidated Fund liability	17,863.7	17,475.5	16,047.1	14,432.3	13,113.8	14,261.1	16,067.6	19,433.9	27,733.6
Total liabilities									
National Loans Fund–national debt outstanding	34,193.9	33,984.2	33,079.4	33,441.9	35,839.9	36,884.6	40,124.5	45,925.5	56,571.6

[1] Prior to 1 April 1972 the British Overseas Airways Corporation and the British European Airways Corporation.

Source: HM Treasury

National savings

Years ended 31 March

TABLE **16.15**

£ million

	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77
Receipts											
Total	2,863.3	2,769.6	2,786.8	2,907.9	3,165.3	4,254.8	4,686.6	4,776.7	5,250.5	6,556.7	8,241.0
National savings certificates	395.5	314.7	231.2	215.3	245.7	537.4	316.0	218.0	311.7	588.8	1,259.6
Save As You Earn:											
Department for National Savings				3.7	15.9	20.8	27.7	29.6	26.7	42.6	74.0
Trustee savings banks				2.0	8.9	13.7	20.0	22.8	21.8	18.3	13.4
National Savings Bank:											
Ordinary accounts	538.5	507.2	460.0	436.4	449.6	507.3	565.3	552.8	535.6	546.9	544.5
Investment accounts	75.9	70.9	81.2	75.2	80.4	116.6	163.5	103.8	91.8	110.1	108.8
Trustee savings banks:											
Ordinary departments	1,377.7	1,405.5	1,502.4	1,635.7	1,855.6	2,253.0	2,687.3	2,976.3	3,466.7	4,234.6	4,217.8
Special investment depts [1]	300.4	294.9	300.7	310.5	349.1	480.8	621.9	543.6	563.4	757.3	1,806.8
Premium savings bonds	86.6	99.3	127.7	110.1	101.7	162.0	138.9	115.0	117.9	140.5	145.6
National development bonds	88.7	77.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
British savings bonds [2]			83.6	119.0	58.4	163.2	146.0	214.8	114.9	117.6	70.5
Repayments											
Total	3,090.9	2,834.5	2,956.0	3,295.5	3,210.8	3,843.0	4,304.6	5,115.4	5,443.9	6,323.3	7,609.6
National savings certificates:											
Principal	340.5	256.9	257.7	304.6	231.3	365.3	285.3	380.4	353.2	402.8	429.2
Accrued interest	137.9	104.2	103.4	119.2	90.2	130.9	98.9	129.0	120.8	127.4	146.8
Save As You Earn:											
Department for National Savings											
Principal				—	0.3	1.2	2.2	3.8	15.7	12.6	22.9
Accrued interest				—	—	—	—	0.2	2.4	2.1	6.6
Trustee savings banks											
Principal				—	0.2	0.8	1.2	2.5	9.6	8.2	17.5
Accrued interest				—	—	—	—	—	1.5	1.4	4.9
Defence bonds:											
Before maturity	48.5	25.3	17.5	10.3	1.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
On maturity	115.4	66.5	47.5	39.2	26.0	7.5	0.4	0.3	—	—	—
National Savings Bank:											
Ordinary accounts	691.5	612.8	576.4	565.2	511.7	554.5	574.2	593.7	587.7	593.6	609.7
Investment accounts	1.8	12.3	23.4	37.8	37.9	58.7	74.3	123.8	110.1	108.6	129.2
Trustee savings banks:											
Ordinary departments	1,417.9	1,410.7	1,521.6	1,666.2	1,827.3	2,211.3	2,603.0	2,929.7	3,346.6	4,143.3	4,234.3
Special investment dept.[1]	239.8	253.0	278.6	338.6	329.1	377.5	511.1	631.4	628.8	752.4	1,823.7
Premium savings bonds	48.2	51.1	48.8	59.6	57.0	59.2	66.5	80.3	74.1	70.5	75.9
National development bonds:											
Before maturity	49.4	41.7	76.9	78.0	25.3	11.4	2.6	—	—	—	—
On maturity	—	—	—	30.0	46.8	30.5	27.8	2.2	0.2	0.4	—
British savings bonds:											
Before maturity			4.2	46.8	25.8	34.2	57.1	219.9	169.8	64.1	74.2
On maturity			—	—	—	—	—	18.2	23.4	35.9	34.7

See footnotes on page 382.

Sources: Department for National Savings; National Debt Office

National savings

TABLE **16.15** *(continued)*

Years ended 31 March

£ million

	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77
Interest accruing											
On national savings certificates (estimated)	96.7	97.0	101.9	104.6	99.6	101.1	101.8	113.3	126.1	144.5	219.7
Save As You Earn:											
Department for National Savings				—	0.3	0.6	1.2	2.0	8.9	5.2	15.8
Trustee savings banks				—	0.1	0.5	0.7	1.4	4.6	3.8	6.2
Credited to accounts in:											
National Savings Bank:											
Ordinary accounts	42.5	39.4	38.7	36.5	38.5	48.3	50.8	57.4	57.8	57.8	62.6
Investment accounts	1.6	5.9	10.3	14.9	20.3	25.3	33.9	42.7	48.0	51.0	58.0
Trustee savings banks:											
Ordinary departments	23.8	24.0	24.2	22.8	28.5	33.4	40.4	46.3	49.0	53.6	55.2
Special investment depts	54.2	61.6	73.2	81.2	92.8	102.2	119.0	138.2	151.5	163.1	167.0
Amounts remaining invested (at end of period)											
Total[3]	8,395.1	8,567.4	8,655.1	8,555.5	8,807.4	9,548.1	10,324.1	10,466.1	10,824.1	11,620.9	13,038.8
National savings certificates:											
Principal	1,982.5	2,040.3	2,015.4	1,926.1	1,940.5	2,112.6	2,143.3	1,980.9	1,939.4	2,125.4	2,955.8
Accrued interest (estimated)	581.8	574.6	573.1	558.5	567.9	538.1	541.0	525.3	530.6	547.7	620.6
Save As You Earn:											
Department for National Savings				3.7	19.4	39.0	64.5	90.3	101.3	131.3	182.4
Accrued interest				—	0.3	0.9	2.1	3.9	10.4	13.5	22.7
Trustee savings banks				2.0	10.7	23.6	42.4	62.7	74.9	85.0	80.9
Accrued interest				—	0.1	0.6	1.3	2.7	5.8	8.2	9.5
Defence bonds	508.6	317.6	184.7	83.6	20.1	0.8	0.3	—	—	—	—
Other securities on the National Savings register[4]	184.0	190.3	188.8	215.6	231.6	244.6	284.9	360.4	474.6	550.8	662.7
National Savings Bank[5]											
Ordinary accounts	1,730.4	1,664.2	1,589.9	1,497.6	1,474.7	1,475.8	1,517.7	1,534.2	1,539.9	1,551.0	1,548.4
Investment accounts	75.7	140.2	208.3	259.7	322.5	405.7	528.8	551.5	581.2	633.7	671.3
Trustee savings banks[5]											
Ordinary departments[6]	1,057.0	1,075.8	1,080.8	1,073.1	1,129.9	1,205.0	1,329.7	1,422.6	1,591.7	1,736.6	1,626.1
Special investment depts[1] [7]	1,140.5	1,244.0	1,339.2	1,392.3	1,505.2	1,710.7	1,940.5	1,990.9	2,007.0	2,245.0	2,669.4
Premium savings bonds[1]	585.8	634.0	714.7	765.2	809.9	912.7	985.1	1,019.8	1,063.6	1,133.6	1,203.3
National developments bonds	519.9	654.5	577.7	417.9	245.4	115.9	5.8	0.6	0.4	—	—
British savings bonds [2]	—	—	146.7	321.9	490.4	718.8	887.5	867.2	788.9	806.5	768.1
National savings stamps and gift tokens	28.9	31.9	35.8	38.3	38.8	43.3	49.2	53.1	44.4	52.6	17.6

[1] From 21 November 1976 Trustee savings banks' Current accounts formerly included in the ordinary departments' totals and the Special investment department were amalgamated to form the New department. [2] Excluding conversions of Defence bonds and National development bonds to British savings bonds (£3.0 million in 1973/74). [3] Including National savings stamps and gift tokens and securities on the National Savings register, which (except for Defence bonds, National development bonds and British savings bonds) do not appear in the first part of the table. [4] Nominal value held (National and Trustee savings bank sections). [5] Including accrued interest to date. [6] In 1976 includes £1.0 million transferred from Greenock Provident TSB and £2.8 million transferred from Birmingham Municipal TSB. [7] In 1976 includes £108.8 million transferred from Birmingham Municipal TSB and £12.5 million transferred from Greenock Provident TSB.

Sources: Department for National Savings; National Debt Office

National debt: nominal amount outstanding[1]

TABLE 16.16

At 31 March in each year

£ million

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
Net total national debt	31,985.6	34,193.9	33.984.2	33.079.4	33,441.9	35,839.9	36,884.6	40,124.5	45,925.5	56,581.6	66,854.1
Marketable securities: Total	19,852.9	20,089.3	19,228.6	19,719.8	21,554.5	23,901.7	25,811.2	26,747.6	29,817.2	34,670.2	–
5½% Exchequer stock 1966	0.1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
2½% Savings bonds 1964–67	749.4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
5% Exchequer stock 1967	850.0	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
4% Exchequer loan 1968	500.0	1.6	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3% Funding stock 1966–68	532.8	532.8	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3½% Conversion stock 1969	334.8	334.8	0.9	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3% Funding loan 1959–69	190.7	180.2	169.7	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
6½% Exchequer loan 1969	411.5	411.5	411.5	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
6% Exchequer loan 1970	500.0	500.0	500.0	0.6	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3% BOAC stock 1960–70[2]	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
3% Savings bonds 1960–70[3]	1,018.5	1,018.5	1,018.5	757.5	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
6½% Treasury stock 1971	–	508.2	567.7	567.7	5.3	–	–	–	–	–	–
5% Conversion stock 1971	408.6	408.6	408.6	408.6	408.6	–	–	–	–	–	–
6¾% Exchequer loan 1971	700.0	700.0	700.0	900.0	900.0	–	–	–	–	–	–
6% Conversion stock 1972	300.8	300.8	300.8	300.8	300.8	1.4	–	–	–	–	–
3% British Transport stock 1967–72	12.9	12.9	12.9	12.9	12.9	12.9	–	–	–	–	–
6¼% Exchequer loan 1972	400.0	915.5	915.5	915.5	915.5	915.5	–	–	–	–	–
6¾% Exchequer stock 1973	–	700.0	700.0	700.0	700.0	700.0	1.1	–	–	–	–
3% British Transport stock 1968–73	136.5	136.5	136.5	136.5	136.5	136.5	136.5	–	–	–	–
5¼ Treasury stock 1973	–	–	–	–	–	550.0	550.0	0.5	–	–	–
5¼% Conversion stock 1974	298.9	298.9	298.9	298.9	298.9	298.9	298.9	298.9	–	–	–
5½% Treasury stock 1974	–	–	–	–	–	400.0	400.0	400.0	–	–	–
6¾% Treasury stock 1974	–	–	–	–	300.0	300.0	300.0	300.0	–	–	–
6% Treasury stock 1975	–	–	–	–	–	500.0	500.0	500.0	0.4	–	–
8% Treasury stock 1975	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	450.0	450.0	–	–
3% Savings bonds 1965–75[3]	1,073.0	1,073.0	1,073.0	1,073.0	1,073.0	1,073.0	1,073.0	1,073.0	1,073.0	–	–
6½% Exchequer stock 1976	–	–	–	–	600.0	600.0	600.0	600.0	600.0	3.2	–
2½% BOAC stock 1971–76[2]	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	–
6½% Treasury loan 1976	300.0	300.0	300.0	300.0	900.0	900.0	900.0	900.0	900.0	900.0	–
4% Victory bonds[3]	42.4	36.7	29.9	24.1	18.3	14.1	10.1	6.4	3.0	0.1	–
10½% Treasury stock 1976	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	600.0	900.0	900.0	–
6¼% Treasury stock 1977	–	–	–	–	–	350.0	850.0	850.0	850.0	850.0	2.7
11½% Treasury stock 1977	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	600.0	600.0	600.0
3% Treasury stock 1977	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	600.0	850.0	850.0
4¼% BEA stock 1972–77	–	–	–	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
4% British Transport stock 1972–77	242.0	242.0	242.0	242.0	242.0	242.0	242.0	242.0	242.0	242.0	242.0
9% Treasury stock 1978	–	–	–	–	–	–	600.0	600.0	1,100.0	1,500.0	1,500.0
10½% Treasury stock 1978	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	500.0	500.0	500.0
5% Exchequer loan 1976–78	400.0	400.0	400.0	400.0	400.0	400.0	400.0	400.0	400.0	400.0	400.0
3% Treasury stock 1979	–	–	–	–	–	–	400.0	400.0	400.0	650.0	650.0
11½% Treasury stock 1979[4]	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	600.0	600.0	1,200.0
10½% Treasury stock 1979	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	600.0	1,200.0	1,200.0
9% Treasury convertible stock 1980	–	–	–	–	–	–	1,000.0	1,000.0	1,000.0	1,000.0	1,000.0
4% BOAC stock 1974–80[3]	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9
9½% Treasury stock 1980	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1,100.0	1,100.0
13% Exchequer stock 1980	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	800.0
3½% Treasury stock 1977–80	262.0	262.0	262.0	262.0	261.9	261.9	261.9	261.9	261.9	261.9	261.9
5¼% Funding loan 1978–80	400.0	400.0	400.0	400.0	400.0	400.0	400.0	400.0	400.0	400.0	400.0
9¾% Treasury stock 1981	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	800.0
11½% Treasury stock 1981	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	600.0	600.0
12¾% Exchequer stock 1981	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	600.0
3½% Treasury stock 1979–81	483.0	483.0	483.0	483.0	483.0	483.0	483.0	483.0	483.0	483.0	483.0
14% Treasury stock 1982	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	600.0
3% Treasury stock 1982	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	400.0

See footnotes on page 385.

Source: HM Treasury

National debt: nominal amount outstanding[1]

TABLE 16.16 *(continued)*

At 31 March in each year

£ million

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
8½% Treasury loan 1980–82	–	–	–	861.0	861.0	861.0	861.0	861.0	861.0	861.0	861.0
2½% BOAC stock 1977–82[2]	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9
3% BOAC stock 1980–83[2]	15.7	15.7	15.7	15.7	15.7	15.7	15.7	15.7	15.7	15.7	15.7
3% BEA stock 1980–83	–	–	–	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0
12% Treasury loan 1983	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	600.0	600.0	600.0	600.0
5½% Funding stock 1982–84[3]	500.2	500.2	500.2	500.2	500.1	500.1	500.1	500.1	500.1	500.1	500.1
8½ % Treasury laon 1984–86	–	–	–	–	600.0	600.0	600.0	600.0	600.0	600.0	600.0
6½% Funding loan 1985–87	500.0	559.3	559.3	559.3	559.3	559.3	559.3	559.3	559.3	559.3	559.3
7¾% Treasury loan 1985–88	–	–	–	–	–	–	500.0	500.0	500.0	500.0	500.0
3% British Transport stock 1978–88	1,052.2	1,052.2	1,052.2	1,052.2	1,052.2	1,052.1	1,052.1	1,052.1	1,052.1	1,052.1	1,052.1
5% Treasury stock 1986–89	601.6	601.6	601.6	601.6	601.6	601.5	601.5	601.5	601.5	601.5	601.5
4% Funding loan 1960–90[3]	115.1	100.7	85.7	69.9	54.0	37.8	–	–	–	–	–
13% Treasury stock 1990	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	600.0	600.0
8¼% Treasury loan 1987–90	–	–	–	–	–	600.0	600.0	600.0	600.0	600.0	600.0
5¾% Funding loan 1987–91	400.0	400.0	400.0	400.0	400.0	400.0	400.0	400.0	400.0	400.0	400.0
12¼% Exchequer stock 1992	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	800.0
12¾% Treasury loan 1992	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	600.0	600.0
12½% Treasury loan 1993	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	500.0	1,100.0	1,100.0
13¾% Treasury loan 1993	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1,250.0
6% Funding loan 1993	600.0	600.0	600.0	600.0	600.0	600.0	600.0	600.0	600.0	600.0	600.0
9% Treasury loan 1994	–	–	–	400.0	900.0	900.0	900.0	900.0	900.0	900.0	900.0
14½% Treasury loan 1994	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	600.0
12¾% Treasury loan 1995	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	400.0	900.0	900.0
13¼% Exchequer loan 1996	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	800.0
15¼% Treasury loan 1996	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1,350.0
9% Treasury loan 1992-96	–	–	–	–	600.0	600.0	600.0	600.0	600.0	600.0	600.0
13¼% Treasury loan 1997	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1,500.0	1,500.0
8¾% Treasury loan 1997	–	–	–	400.0	400.0	800.0	800.0	800.0	800.0	800.0	800.0
15½% Treasury loan 1998	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1,100.0
6¾% Treasury loan 1995-98	400.0	1,00.0	1,000.0	1,000.0	1,000.0	1,000.0	1,000.0	1,000.0	1,000.0	1,000.0	1,000.0
9½% Treasury loan 1999	–	–	–	–	–	–	600.0	600.0	600.0	600.0	600.0
3½% Funding stock 1999-2004	443.3	443.3	443.3	443.3	443.3	443.3	443.3	443.3	443.3	443.3	443.3
8% Treasury loan 2002-2006	–	–	–	–	–	600.0	600.0	600.0	600.0	600.0	600.0
5½% Treasury stock 2008-12[3]	1,000.0	1,000.0	1,000.0	1,000.0	1,000.0	1,000.0	1,000.0	1,000.0	1,000.0	1,000.0	1,000.0
7¾% Treasury loan 2012-2015	–	–	–	–	–	600.0	600.0	600.0	600.0	600.0	600.0
2½% Treasury stock 1986-2016[2]	78.5	78.5	78.5	78.5	78.5	78.5	78.5	78.5	78.5	78.5	78.5
4% Consolidated loan 1957 or afte	372.6	372. 1	371.5	370.9	369.5	368.8	368.0	367.0	364.9	363.3	362.8
3½% War loan[3]	1,909.4	1,909.4	1,909.4	1,909.4	1,909.4	1,909.4	1,909.4	1,909.4	1,909.4	1,909.4	1,909.4
3½% Conversion loan 1961 or after	455.8	438.3	419.3	398.4	377.6	359.1	340.0	318.2	292.4	270.1	250.2
3% Treasury stock 1966 or after	58.2	58.2	58.2	58.2	58.2	58.2	58.2	58.2	58.1	58.1	58.1
2¾% Annuities	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4
2½% Annuities	21.1	21.1	21.1	21.1	21.1	21.1	21.1	21.1	21.1	21.1	21.1
2½% Consols	275.7	275.6	275.6	275.6	275.6	275.6	275.6	275.6	275.6	275.6	275.6
2½% Treasury stock 1975 or after	481.5	481.5	481.5	481.5	481.5	481.5	481.5	481.5	481.5	481.5	481.5
Terminable annuities:											
2½%	97.4	87.9	78.2	68.2	58.0	47.5	36.8	25.8	14.5	2.9	–
3%	429.2	374.6	318.4	260.5	207.3	169.0	132.8	95.5	57.1	23.1	13.6
3½%	27.8	26.1	24.3	22.4	20.5	18.6	16.5	14.4	12.2	9.9	7.6
Life annuities	5.1	4.6	4.1	3.7	3.3	2.9	2.6	2.3	2.0	1.8	1.6
Post Office annuities	85.7	69.2	53.5	39.1	26.3	15.3	6.7	1.6	–	–	–
Debt to the Bank of England	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0

See footnotes on page 385.

Source: HM Treasury

National debt: nominal amount outstanding[1]

TABLE 16.16 (*continued*)

At 31 March in each year

£ million

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
National savings securities:											
National savings certificates[5]	1,984.5	2,042.3	2,015.9	1,926.1	1,940.6	2,112.6	2,143.2	1,980.8	1,939.3	2,125.3	2,812.4
3½% Defence bonds	0.5	0.3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4% Defence bonds	0.4	0.2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4½% Defence bonds	151.5	85.1	59.2	52.0	19.3	0.4	0.2	—	—	—	—
5% Defence bonds	357.2	231.6	125.6	31.6	0.8	0.4	—	—	—	—	—
5% National development bonds	346.9	318.4	287.3	180.7	27.9	0.9	0.3	—	—	—	—
5½% National development bonds	173.0	336.2	290.4	237.2	217.5	115.0	5.5	0.6	0.4	—	—
6% British savings bonds	—	—	146.7	110.4	98.8	90.8	85.4	5.8	0.3	0.2	—
7% British savings bonds	—	—	—	211.5	391.6	628.0	802.0	608.6	442.2	277.6	139.2
8½% British savings bonds	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	252.8	167.7	150.8	158.7
9½% British savings bonds	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	178.8	388.0	361.9
Premium saving bonds	587.2	636.7	715.1	765.6	809.7	913.6	986.0	1,021.3	1,064.7	1,134.9	1,202.7
Save as you earn	—	—	—	5.4	29.4	62.1	106.2	152.1	175.8	218.5	266.6
National savings stamps and gift tokens	28.9	31.9	35.8	38.3	38.8	43.3	49.1	53.1	44.4	52.6	29.1
Tax deposit accounts	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5.8	4.1	1.6	—
Tax reserve certificates	288.5	308.4	344.1	291.7	326.4	371.8	217.7	72.6	23.6	8.4	4.8
Certificates of tax deposit	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	13.1	12.5
Floating debt											
Treasury bills:											
Market holdings[6]	1,722.3	3,077.5	3,217.5	1,443.0	950.4	1,320.3	1,412.9	1,065.8	2,659.1	4,815.2	3,626.1
Other holdings[7]	2,162.4	2,377.3	2,523.4	3,117.9	2,340.2	2,266.3	1,680.4	4,443.5	4,862.5	6,033.5	7,576.5
Ways and Means advances	272.6	277.6	337.7	427.9	556.3	502.2	633.9	829.7	976.9	1,145.1	1,129.7
Other debt (payable in sterling):											
Interest-free notes	1,546.0	1,473.6	1,860.3	1,860.7	1,648.9	1,356.7	1,123.4	1,188.5	1,131.1	2,059.0	3,429.2
Other debt	32.9	32.1	54.5	21.1	15.7	10.3	4.9	2.6	2.3	2.1	1.9
Other debt (payable in external currencies)[8]	1,821.7	2,302.0	2,252.7	2,233.6	2,148.7	1,879.2	1,615.8	1,542.7	2,338.3	3,436.8	4,372.0

[1] Debt created by the Northern Ireland Exchequer is excluded. [2] Marketable stock all of which is held by the National Debt Commissioners. [3] Interest is paid gross to all non-residents under Section 195 of the Income Tax Act, 1952. [4] 1977 figure includes 'A' issue. [5] Principal only. [6] Bills other than those held by the National Debt Commissioners, the Exchange Equalisation Account, other government departments and the Bank of England. [7] Including bills held as the counterpart of foreign currency deposits arising from central bank assistance. [8] Valued at middle market rates on 31 March 1976: £1 = US $1.9160 – Can $1.9470.

Source: HM Treasury

Income tax and surtax

TABLE 16.17

	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77	1977/78
Income tax: rates and allowance [1]										
Standard rate	8s. 3d.	41.25%	41.25%	38.75%	38.75%	–	–	–	–	–
Reduced rates										
First band: Rate	4s. 0d.	30%	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Charged on the first	£100	£260	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Second band: Rate	6s. 0d.	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Charged on the first	£200	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Basic rate						30%	33%	35%	35%	34%
Charged on the first						£5,000	£4,500	£4,500	£5,000	£6,000
Higher rates										
Rate						40%	38%	40%	40%	40%
Charged on the next						£1,000	£500	£500	£500	£1,000
Rate						45%	43%	45%	45%	45%
Charged on the next						£1,000	£1,000	£1,000	£1,000	£1,000
Rate						50%	48%	50%	50%	50%
Charged on the next						£1,000	£1,000	£1,000	£1,000	£1,000
Rate						55%	53%	55%	55%	55%
Charged on the next						£2,000	£1,000	£1,000	£1,000	£1,000
Rate						60%	58%	60%	60%	60%
Charged on the next						£2,000	£2,000	£2,000	£1,500	£2,000
Rate						65%	63%	65%	65%	65%
Charged on the next						£3,000	£2,000	£2,000	£2,000	£2,000
Rate						70%	68%	70%	70%	70%
Charged on the next						£5,000	£3,000	£3,000	£3,000	£2,000
Rate							73%	75%	75%	75%
Charged on the next							£5,000	£5,000	£5,000	£5,000
Rate						75%	83%	83%	83%	83%
Charged on the excess [2]										
Investment income surcharge [3]:										
Rate						15%	15%	15%	15%	15%
Exemption limit [4]						£2,000	£1,000	£1,000	£1,000	£1,500
Allowances and reliefs										
Exemption limit (effective)	£283	£328	£418	£418	£592	£595	£625	£675	£735	£945
Small income relief [1]: Fraction	2/9	2/9	2/9	2/9	2/9	–	–	–	–	–
Income limit	£450	£450	£450	£450	£550	–	–	–	–	–
Age exemption [5] [6]:										
Income limit: Single	£415	£425	£475	£504	£634	£700	£810	–	–	–
Married	£665	£680	£750	£786	£929	£1,000	£1,170	–	–	–
Earned income relief [1]										
First band: Rate	2/9	2/9	2/9	2/9	2/9	–	–	–	–	–
Maximum relief	£890	£890	£890	£890	£890	–	–	–	–	–
Second band: Rate	1/9	1/9	1/9	15%	15%	–	–	–	–	–
Maximum relief	£660	£660	£660	[9]	[9]	–	–	–	–	–
Age allowance [1] [5]: Single	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	£950	£1,010	£1,250
Married	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	£1,425	£1,555	£1,975
Fraction	2/9	2/9	2/9	2/9	2/9	–	–	[11]	[11]	[11]
Income limit	£900	£1,000	£1,000	[10]	[10]	–	–	£3,000	£3,250	£3,500
Single allowance	£220	£255	£325	£325	£460	£595	£625	£675	£735	£945
Additional personal allowance	£75	£100	£100	£100	£100	£130	£180	£280	£350	£510
Married allowance	£340	£375	£465	£465	£600	£775	£865	£955	£1,085	£1,455
Wife's earned income allowance:										
Rate	7/9	7/9	7/9	7/9	7/9	–	–	–	–	–
Maximum allowance	£220	£255	£325	£325	£460	£595	£625	£675	£735	£945
Child allowance [7] – not over 11 years	£115	£115	£115	£155	£155	£200	£240	£240	£300	£300
– over 11, not over 16	£140	£140	£140	£180	£180	£235	£275	£275	£335	£335
– over 16	£165	£165	£165	£205	£205	£265	£305	£305	£365	£365
Reduction in personal allowances per child for whom a full year's family allowances are received	*£36*	*£42*	*£42*	*£42*	*£42*	*£60*	*£52*	*£52*	*£52*	–
Reduction in child tax allowance per child for whom a full years child benefit is received – first (eldest) child	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	£104
– each subsequent child	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	£130
Housekeeper allowance	£75	£75	£75	£75	£75	£100	£100	£100	£100	£100
Dependent relative allowance [8]	£75	£75	£75	£75	£75	£100	£100	£100	£100	£100

See footnotes on page 387

Source: Board of Inland Revenue

Income tax and surtax

TABLE **16.17** *(continued)*

Percentage

	Slice of chargeable income									
	Over £2,000 not over £2,500	Over £2,500 not over £3,000	Over £3,000 not over £4,000	Over £4,000 not over £5,000	Over £5,000 not over £6,000	Over £6,000 not over £8,000	Over £8,000 not over £10,000	Over £10,000 not over £12,000	Over £12,000 not over £15,000	Over £15,000
Rates of surtax[12]										
Rate chargeable from 1960/61 to 1972/73[13]	10.0	12.5	17.5	22.5	27.5	32.5	37.5	42.5	47.5	50.0

[1] The unified system of taxation came into effect 6 April, 1973. The dual structure of income tax and surtax was replaced by a single graduated tax. Earned income relief, small income relief and age allowance were abolished. [2] From 1973/74 the excess over £20,000; for 1977/78 over £21,000. [3] Chargeable in addition to the basic and higher rates of tax where an individual's investment income exceeds the limits shown. [4] From 1974/75 to 1976/77, £1,500 in the case of the elderly; for 1977/78 increased to £2,000. The first £500 of the excess, is charged at a rate of 10%. The remainder is charged at 15%. [5] There are also marginal reliefs where the total income slightly exceeds the limit for full relief. [6] From 1975/76, replaced by a new age allowance. [7] The taxable Family Allowance was replaced by a non-taxable Child Benefit payment for 1977/78. [8] Increased to £110 from 1967/68 to 1972/73 and to £145 from 1973/74 if the claimant is a woman other than a married woman living with her husband. [9] No maximum. [10] The income limit is £1,000 for single persons and £1,200 for married couples. [11] The new age allowance that replaced age exemption. [12] Chargeable in addition to income tax, where an individual's total income exceeds £2,000 for 1960/61 to 1968/69. For 1969/70 and 1970/71 surtax is chargeable where an individual's total income exceeds £2,500 and where total income does not exceed £2,681 surtax is reduced to an amount equal to 40% of the difference between his chargeable income and £2,500. For 1971/72 and 1972/73 surtax is chargeable where an individual's total income exceeds £3,000 and where total income does not exceed £3,500 surtax is reduced to an amount equal to 40% of the difference between his chargeable income and £3,000. Personal allowances in excess of the single allowance are allowable as a deduction from total income in computing the income chargeable to surtax. The excess is not reduced by reason of family allowance due. As from 1961/62, earned income relief (as for income tax) and a special earnings allowance (not exceeding £2,000) are allowable against earned income only. The rates for 1965/66 and 1972/73 do not take account of the surcharge of 10% for those years. [13] Surtax ceased to be charged after 1972/73. See footnote [1].

Source: Board of Inland Revenue

Government guaranteed sterling loans and stocks[1]

Nominal net liability of the State

TABLE 16.18

At 31 March in each year

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Public corporations:											
Total marketable stocks	1,772.6	1,757.4	1,755.3	1,753.7	1,520.1	1,512.3	1,440.2	1,257.4	908.1	908.1	908.1
South of Scotland Electricity 4½% 1967/69[2]	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
North of Scotland Electricity stock	110.6	95.4	93.3	91.7	89.1	81.3	81.3	77.6	69.1	69.1	69.1
British Electricity stock	1,165.8	1,165.8	1,165.8	1,165.8	965.8	965.8	965.8	965.8	625.0	625.0	625.0
British Gas stock	465.2	465.2	465.2	465.2	465.2	465.2	393.1	214.0	214.0	214.0	214.0
British European Airways stock	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Borrowings on overdraft	85.8	81.2	95.6	163.7	170.6	264.8	157.6	255.6	219.8	229.9	77.3
Other marketable loans and stocks: 3% Redemption stock 1986-96	46.8	42.2	39.1	37.2	35.0	31.4	35.7	35.2	34.6	33.7	32.8
Other	21.6	21.0	20.1	21.4	23.3	24.5	24.9	25.5	27.7	41.4	39.8

[1] Excluding (a) stocks guaranteed of interest only; (b) loans and stocks not wholly expressed in sterling, of which, in 1976, outstanding loans from the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development accounted for £42.8 million. [2] Excluding a loan from the Electricity Council to the South of Scotland Electricity Board representing that part of the debt due to the Council from the Board for value taken over on its establishment. This corresponded to the amount of the capital liability on British Electricity stock attributable to the South of Scotland district.

Source: HM Treasury

British government and government guaranteed marketable securities [1]

Nominal values of official and other holdings by maturity [2]

TABLE 16.19

At 31 March in each year

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total holdings	19,692	21,610	21,844	20,982	21,240	23,067	25,342	27,069	27,656	30,725	35,580
Up to 5 years	5,352	6,261	7,041	6,700	5,636	6,274	7,387	6,923	7,347	11,499	13,753
Over 5 and up to 15 years	5,689	5,777	4,685	4,698	5,258	4,785	4,382	6,590	7,828	6,476	6,500
Over 15 years (including undated)	8,651	9,572	10,118	9,584	10,346	12,008	13,573	13,556	12,481	12,750	15,327
Official holdings:											
Total	5,485	6,166	5,956	5,934	5,024	5,918	5,784	7,676	6,388	6,871	6,432
Up to 5 years	1,012	1,217	1,495	1,919	934	1,640	1,436	1,675	1,534	2,491	2,864
Over 5 and up to 15 years	1,605	2,054	1,408	1,349	1,341	901	938	2,776	2,289	1,841	1,590
Over 15 years (including undated)	2,868	2,895	3,053	2,666	2,749	3,377	3,410	3,225	2,565	2,539	1,978
Other holdings:											
Total	14,207	15,444	15,888	15,048	16,216	17,149	19,558	19,393	21,268	23,854	29,148
Up to 5 years	4,340	5,044	5,546	4,781	4,702	4,634	5,951	5,248	5,813	9,008	10,889
Over 5 and up to 15 years	4,084	3,723	3,277	3,349	3,917	3,884	3,444	3,814	5,539	4,635	4,910
Over 15 years (including undated)	5,783	6,677	7,065	6,918	7,597	8,631	10,163	10,331	9,916	10,211	13,349

[1] The government guaranteed securities of public corporations only. A relatively small amount of other government guaranteed securities is excluded. [2] Securities with optional redemption dates are classified according to the final redemption date.

Source: Bank of England

Customs and Excise

General notes to Table 16.20

(*a*) Customs and Excise duties

Traditionally customs revenue duties were duties on certain imported goods and excise revenue duties were duties levied upon similar home-produced products. In broad terms the customs revenue duties comprised an element (the fiscal element) equivalent to the excise duty and a customs element intended to afford protection to the home-produced product. The amount of the protective element varies according to the preference agreement negotiated.

From January 1976 this definition of customs and excise revenue duties has changed somewhat. The excise duties on alcoholic drink, hydrocarbon oils, matches and mechanical lighters are now the former fiscal elements of the customs and excise duties and are levied on home-produced and imported products alike. The protective elements are collected separately under the Import Duties Act 1958.

Excise duties have also been introduced for tobacco (tobacco products duty) but the final transition does not occur until 1 January 1978.

Table 16.20, until 1976, shows the customs and excise duties, but page 385A, apart from tobacco, relates purely to the excise duty rates: protective duty rates are shown in the Tariff.

(*b*) The Commonwealth

References to the Commonwealth include all countries of the Commonwealth (excluding Rhodesia) Pakistan, Burma, the Republic of Ireland, the Republic of South Africa and territories administered by these countries or the United Kingdom. Prior to EEC entry imports of revenue dutiable goods from these countries were usually free from the protective element mentioned in (*a*) above.

From 1 January 1974 distinction has been made between the more developed countries of the Commonwealth (Commonwealth I) and the less developed (Commonwealth II). Special preference agreements have been negotiated with the EEC on behalf of Commonwealth II countries which has enabled importation of revenue dutiable goods free of the protective element of the customs duty. However, imports from Commonwealth I countries became liable to payment of the Common Customs Tariff (CCT) of the EEC by progressive stages. (See note (*d*).)

(*c*) EFTA

References to EFTA include Austria, Denmark (including Greenland and the Faroe Islands), Finland, Iceland, Norway, Portugal (including the Azores and Madeira), Sweden, Switzerland (including Liechtenstein) and the Channel Islands. From 1 January 1974 Denmark continued to benefit from EFTA rates, subject to different origin rules.

(*d*) Entry to the EEC

On entry to the EEC, in January 1973, the United Kingdom committed itself to the following programme for abolition of the protective element of the revenue duties between the United Kingdom and the EEC and the alignment of the UK Tariff (UKT) with the CCT, the basic level of the protective elements being those in force in January 1972:

	Percentage move to nil UKT on EEC goods		*Percentage move to full CCT on third country imports*
1 April 1973 . . .	20	(spirits, matches and mechanical lighters)	–
1 July 1973 . . .	20	(other revenue dutiable goods)	–
1 January 1974 .	20	(all revenue dutiable goods)	40
1 January 1975 .	20	(,, ,, ,,)	20
1 January 1976 .	20	(,, ,, ,,)	20
1 July 1977	20	(,, ,, ,,)	20

Customs and Excise rates of duty

Spirits, beer, wine, oil and tobacco

TABLE 16.20

	Unit	1963 4 April			1964 15 April			1964 11 November			1965 7 April [1]			1967 12 April		
		£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
Spirits	per proof gallon [3]															
Home-produced, Commonwealth and EFTA [2]		11	11	11	12	17	6	12	17	6	14	12	0	16	1	3
EEC	"	11	14	9	13	0	0	13	0	0	14	14	6	16	3	9
Full rate	"	11	14	9	13	0	0	13	0	0	14	14	6	16	3	9
Immaturity rate [4]	"		1	6		1	6		1	6		1	6		1	6
Beer	per bulk barrel [5]															
Home-produced		6	3	0	7	7	0	7	7	0	8	11	0	9	8	8
Commonwealth and EFTA		6	4	3	7	7	2	7	7	2	8	11	2	9	8	8
EEC	"	7	4	3	8	7	2	8	7	2	9	11	2	10	8	8
Full rate	"	7	4	3	8	7	2	8	7	2	9	11	2	10	8	8
Extra per full degree of original gravity in excess of 1030°	"		7	3½		7	3½		7	3½		7	3½		8	0
Imported wine																
Light [6] still—not in bottle: Commonwealth	per gallon		12	0		13	6		13	6		16	6		18	3
EEC	"		14	0		15	6		15	6		18	6	1	0	3
Full rate and EFTA	"		14	0		15	6		15	6		18	6	1	0	3
in bottle: Commonwealth	"		13	6		15	0		15	0		18	0		19	9
EEC	"		16	6		18	0		18	0	1	1	0	1	2	9
Full rate and EFTA	"		16	6		18	0		18	0	1	1	0	1	2	9
sparkling: Commonwealth	"	1	4	6	1	6	0	1	6	0	1	9	0	1	10	9
EEC	"	1	6	6	1	8	0	1	8	0	1	11	0	1	12	9
Full rate and EFTA	"	1	6	6	1	8	0	1	8	0	1	11	0	1	12	9
Heavy—still—not in bottle: Commonwealth	"		17	6	1	0	6	1	0	6	1	6	6	1	9	3
EEC	"	1	7	6	1	10	6	1	10	6	1	16	6	1	19	3
Full rate and EFTA	"	1	7	6	1	10	6	1	10	6	1	16	6	1	19	3
in bottle: Commonwealth	"		19	0	1	2	0	1	2	0	1	8	0	1	10	9
EEC	"	1	10	0	1	13	0	1	13	0	1	19	0	2	1	9
Full rate and EFTA	"	1	10	0	1	13	0	1	13	0	1	19	0	2	1	9
sparkling: Commonwealth	"	1	10	0	1	13	0	1	13	0	1	19	0	2	1	9
EEC	"	2	0	0	2	3	0	2	3	0	2	9	0	2	11	9
Full rate and EFTA	"	2	0	0	2	3	0	2	3	0	2	9	0	2	11	9
British wine																
Light [7]—still	per gallon		11	6		13	0		13	0		16	0		17	9
—sparkling	"		17	6		19	0		19	0	1	2	0	1	3	9
Heavy—still	"		11	6		13	0		13	0		17	0		19	9
—sparkling	"		17	6		19	0		19	0	1	3	0	1	5	9
Hydrocarbon oil, power alcohol and petrol substitutes																
Full rate [8]	per gallon		2	9		2	9		3	3		3	3		3	7
Partly rebateable oils [9]:																
Heavy—kerosene fuel oil	"		0	2		0	2		0	2		0	2		0	2.2
—lubricating oil [10]	"		0	3		0	3		0	3		0	3		0	2.2
Light—furnace fuel [10]	"		0	3		0	3		0	3		0	3		0	2.2
Imported tobacco																
Unmanufactured—containing 10% or more moisture:	per lb.															
Full rate	"	3	10	10½	3	17	4½	3	17	4½	4	7	4½	4	7	4½
Commonwealth	"	3	9	4½	3	15	10	3	15	10	4	5	10	4	5	10
EFTA	"	3	10	10½	3	17	4½	3	17	4½	4	7	4½	4	7	4½
EEC	"	3	10	10½	3	17	4½	3	17	4½	4	7	4½	4	7	4½
—containing less than 10% moisture:																
Full rate	"	3	11	10½	3	18	4½	3	18	4½	4	8	4½	4	8	4½
Commonwealth	"	3	10	2	3	16	8	3	16	8	4	6	8	4	6	8
EFTA	"	3	11	10½	3	18	4½	3	18	4½	4	8	4½	4	8	4½
EEC	"	3	11	10½	3	18	4½	3	18	4½	4	8	4½	4	8	4½
Manufactured—cigars: Full rate	"	4	0	9½	4	6	3	4	6	3	4	16	3	4	16	3
Commonwealth	"	3	17	10⅛	4	3	3½	4	3	3½	4	13	3½	4	13	3½
EFTA	"	3	17	10⅛	4	3	3½	4	3	3½	4	13	3½	4	13	3½
EEC	"	4	0	9½	4	6	3	4	6	3	4	16	3	4	16	3
—cigarettes: Full rate	"	3	16	4½	4	2	10½	4	2	10½	4	12	10½	4	12	10½
Commonwealth	"	3	14	0	4	0	6	4	0	6	4	10	6	4	10	6
EFTA	"	3	14	0	3	18	6	3	18	6	4	8	6	4	8	6
EEC	"	3	16	4½	4	2	10½	4	2	10½	4	12	10½	4	12	10½

Footnotes see page 395.

Source: HM Customs and Excise

Customs and Excise rates of duty

Spirits, beer, wine, oil and tobacco

TABLE 16.20 (*continued*)

	Unit	1968 20 March[11]			1969 16 April			1971 15 February	1973 1 April	1973 1 July
Spirits	per proof gallon[3]	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	£	£
Home-produced, Commonwealth and EFTA		17	2	9	18	17	0	18.85	15.45	15.45
EEC	,,	17	5	3	18	19	6	18.975	15.5125	15.5125
Full rate	,,	17	5	3	18	19	6	18.975	15.5125	15.5125
Immaturity rate[4]	,,		1	6		1	6	0.075	0.075	0.075
Beer	per bulk barrel[5]									
Home-produced		9	8	8	10	7	6	10.375	6.90	6.90
Commonwealth and EFTA	,,	9	8	8	10	7	6	10.375	6.90	6.90
EEC	,,	10	8	8	11	7	6	11.375	7.70	7.70
Full rate	,,	10	8	8	11	7	6	11.375	7.90	7.90
Extra per full degree of original gravity in excess of 1030°	,,		8	0		8	9	0.44	0.29	0.29
Imported wine[12]										
Light [6] still—not in bottle: Commonwealth	per gallon	1	1	3	1	10	3	1.5125	0.775	0.775
EEC	,,	1	3	3	1	12	3	1.6125	0.875	0.850
Full rate and EFTA	,,	1	3	3	1	12	3	1.6125	0.875	0.875
in bottle: Commonwealth	,,	1	2	9	1	11	9	1.5875	0.85	0.85
EEC	,,	1	5	9	1	14	9	1.7375	1.00	0.950
Full rate and EFTA	,,	1	5	9	1	14	9	1.7375	1.00	1.00
sparkling: Commonwealth	,,	1	13	9	2	2	9	2.1375	1.40	1.40
EEC	,,	1	15	9	2	4	9	2.2375	1.50	1.480
Full rate and EFTA	,,	1	15	9	2	4	9	2.2375	1.50	1.50
Heavy—still—not in bottle: Commonwealth	,,	1	15	3	2	4	3	2.2125	1.475	1.475
EEC	,,	2	5	3	2	14	3	2.7125	1.975	1.875
Full rate and EFTA	,,	2	5	3	2	14	3	2.7125	1.975	1.975
in bottle: Commonwealth	,,	1	16	9	2	5	9	2.2875	1.55	1.55
EEC	,,	2	7	9	2	16	9	2.8375	2.10	1.975
Full rate and EFTA	,,	2	7	9	2	16	9	2.8375	2.10	2.10
sparkling: Commonwealth	,,	2	7	9	2	16	9	2.8375	2.10	2.10
EEC	,,	2	17	9	3	6	9	3.3375	2.60	2.500
Full rate and EFTA	,,	2	17	9	3	6	9	3.3375	2.60	2.60
British wine										
Light [7] — still	per gallon	1	0	9	1	9	9	1.4875	0.75	0.75
—sparkling	,,	1	6	9	1	15	9	1.7875	1.05	1.05
Heavy—still	,,	1	5	9	1	14	9	1.7375	1.00	1.00
—sparkling	,,	1	11	9	2	0	9	2.0375	1.30	1.30
Hydrocarbon oil, power alcohol and petrol substitutes										
Full rate	per gallon		3	11		4	6	0.225	0.225	0.225
Partly rebateable oils[9]										
Heavy—kerosene fuel oil	,,		0	2.2		0	2.4	0.01	0.01	0.01
—lubricating oil	,,		0	2.2		0	2.4	0.01	0.01	0.01
Light —furnace fuel	,,		0	2.2		0	2.4	0.01	0.01	0.01
Imported tobacco										
Unmanufactured—containing 10% or more moisture:										
Full rate	per lb	4	11	8½	5	0	10	5.041	4.305	4.305
Commonwealth	,,	4	10	2	4	19	3½	4.964	4.228	4.228
EFTA	,,	4	11	8½	5	0	10	5.041	4.305	4.305
EEC	,,	4	11	8½	5	0	10	5.041	4.305	4,305
—containing less than 10% moisture:										
Full rate	,,	4	12	8½	5	1	10	5.091	4.355	4.355
Commonwealth	,,	4	11	0	5	0	1½	5.006	4.270	4.270
EFTA	,,	4	12	8½	5	1	10	5.091	4.355	4.355
EEC	,,	4	12	8½	5	1	10	5.091	4.355	4,355
Manufactured—cigars: Full rate	,,	5	0	7	5	9	8½	5.485	4.749	4.749
Commonwealth	,,	4	17	7½	5	6	9	5.3375	4.6015	4.6015
EFTA	,,	4	17	7½	5	6	9	5.3375	4.6015	4.6015
EEC	,,	5	0	7	5	9	8½	5.485	4.7195	4.7195
—cigarettes: Full rate	,,	4	17	2½	5	6	4	5.316	4.580	4.580
Commonwealth	,,	4	14	10	5	3	11½	5.1975	4.4615	4.4615
EFTA	,,	4	12	10	5	1	11½	5.0975	4.3615	4.3615
EEC	,,	4	17	2½	5	6	4	5.316	4.5363	4.5363

Footnotes see page 395.

Source: HM Customs and Excise

Customs and Excise rates of duty

TABLE 16.20 *(continued)* **Spirits, beer, wine, oil and tobacco**

		Unit	1974 1 January	1974 27 March	1975 1 January	1975 15 April
			£	£	£	£
Spirits						
Home-produced and Commonwealth II		per proof gallon[3]	15.45	17.01	17.01	22.09
EFTA[13]		"	16.1413	17.7013	18.0470	23.1270
Commonwealth I[13]		"	16.1413	17.7013	18.0470	23.1270
EEC[14]		"	15.5125	17.0725	17.06	22.14
Full rate[13] [14]		"	16.2038	17.7638	18.0970	23.1770
Immaturity rate[4]		"	0.075	0.075	0.075	0.075
In bottle rate full, EFTA and Commonwealth I only		per liquid gallon	0.0379	0.0379	0.0568	0.0568
Beer						
Home-produced		per bulk barrel[5]	6.90	9.36	9.36	13.68
Commonwealth and EFTA[15]		"	6.90	9.36	9.36	13.68
EEC		"	7.50	9.96	9.76	14.08
Full rate[15]		"	7.50	9.96	9.76	14.08
Extra per full degree of original gravity in excess of 1030°		"	0.29	0.312	0.312	0.456
Imported wine[12]						
Light-still[6] —						
Not exceeding 22.7° proof:	Commonwealth I	per gallon	0.8332	1.3782	1.4073	2.7373
	Commonwealth II	"	0.7750	1.3200	1.3200	2.6500
	EEC	"	0.8250	1.3700	1.3450	2.6750
	Full rate and EFTA	"	0.8932	1.4382	1.4473	2.7773
22.7°–26.2° proof:	Commonwealth I	"	0.8483	1.3933	1.4300	2.7600
	Commonwealth II	"	0.7750	1.3200	1.3200	2.6500
	EEC	"	0.8250	1.3700	1.3450	2.6750
	Full rate and EFTA	"	0.9083	1.4533	1.4700	2.8000
Not exceeding 27° proof:	Commonwealth I	"	0.8710	1.4160	1.4641	2.7941
	Commonwealth II	"	0.7750	1.3200	1.3200	2.6500
Light-sparkling:	Commonwealth I	"	1.7030	2.2480	2.3996	3.7296
	Commonwealth II	"	1.4000	1.9450	1.9450	3.2750
	EEC	"	1.4600	2.0050	1.9850	3.3150
	Full-rate and EFTA	"	1.7630	2.3080	2.4396	3.7696
Heavy-still						
26.2°–31.5° proof:	Commonwealth I	"	1.5810	2.1260	2.1790	3.5091
	Commonwealth II	"	1.4750	2.0200	2.0200	3.3500
	EEC	"	1.7750	2.3200	2.2200	3.5500
	Full rate and EFTA	"	1.8810	2.4260	2.3791	3.7091
Port, sherry, Setubal muscatel and Tokay:	EEC	"	1.7750	2.3200	2.2200	3.5500
	Full	"	1.8583	2.4033	2.3450	3.6750
31.5°–38.4° proof:	Commonwealth I	"	1.6189	2.1639	2.2359	3.5659
	Commonwealth II	"	1.4750	2.0200	2.0200	3.3500
	EEC	"	1.7750	2.3200	2.2200	3.5500
	Full rate and EFTA	"	1.9189	2.4639	2.4359	3.7659
Port, sherry, Setubal muscatel and Tokay:	EEC	"	1.7750	2.3200	2.2200	3.5500
	Full	"	1.8659	2.4109	2.3564	3.6864
38.4°–42° proof:	Commonwealth I	"	1.4750	2.0200	2.0200	3.3500
	Commonwealth II	"	1.4750	2.0200	2.0200	3.3500
	EEC	"	1.7750	2.3200	2.2200	3.5500
	Full rate and EFTA	"	1.7750	2.3200	2.2200	3.5500
Additional charge per degree proof:	Commonwealth I	"	0.0069	0.0069	0.0103	0.0103
Exceeding 42° proof	Full rate and EFTA	"	0.0069	0.0069	0.0103	0.0103
Additional charge per degree in excess:	Commonwealth	"	0.12	0.1650	0.2200	0.2200
	EEC Full rate and EFTA	"	0.144	0.1890	0.2360	0.2360
Sparkling	Commonwealth I	"	2.4030	2.9480	3.0996	4.4296
	Commonwealth II	"	2.1000	2.6450	2.6450	3.9750
	EEC	"	2.4000	2.9450	2.8450	4.1750
	Full rate and EFTA	"	2.7030	3.2480	3.2996	4.6296
In bottle rate	Commonwealth I[16]	"				
	Commonwealth II	"	0.075	0.075	0.075	0.075
	EEC	"	0.075	0.075	0.050	0.050
	Full rate and EFTA[16]	"				

Footnotes see page 395.

Source: HM Customs and Excise

Customs and Excise rates of duty

TABLE 16.20 (*continued*)

Spirits, beer, wine, oil and tobacco

	Unit	1974 1 January	1974 27 March	1975 1 January	1975 15 April
British wine		£	£	£	£
Light [7] — still	per gallon	0.75	1.2950	1.2950	2.6250
sparkling	,,	1.05	1.5950	1.5950	2.9250
Heavy — still	,,	1.00	1.5450	1.5450	2.8750
sparkling	,,	1.30	1.8450	1.8450	3.1750
Hydrocarbon oil, power alcohol and petrol substitutes					
Full rate	,,	0.225	0.225	0.225	0.225
Partly rebateable oils [9] :					
Heavy — kerosene fuel oil	,,	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01
lubricating oil	,,	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01
Light — furnace fuel	,,	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01
Imported tobacco [17]					
Unmanufactured — containing 10% or more moisture					
Full and EFTA rate:	per lb	4.2710	5.6710	5.6540	7.7040
EEC	,,	4.2710	5.6710	5.6540	7.7040
Commonwealth I	,,	4.2248	5.6248	5.6232	7.6732
Commonwealth II	,,	4.2280	5.6280	5.6280	7.6780
— containing less than 10% moisture:					
Full and EFTA rate	,,	4.3174	5.7174	5.6986	7.7486
EEC	,,	4.3174	5.7174	5.6986	7.7486
Commonwealth I	,,	4.2664	5.6664	5.6646	7.7146
Commonwealth II	,,	4.2700	5.6700	5.6700	7.7200
Manufactured — cigars: Full rate	,,	4.6900	6.0900	6.0605	8.1105
EEC	,,	4.6900	6.0900	6.0605	8.1105
Commonwealth I and EFTA	,,	4.6015	6.0015	6.0015	8.0515
Commonwealth II	,,	4.6015	6.0015	6.0015	8.0515
— cigarettes: Full rate	,,	4.4926	5.8926	5.8489	7.8989
EEC	,,	4.4926	5.8926	5.8489	7.8989
Commonwealth I	,,	4.4215	5.8215	5.8015	7.8515
Commonwealth II	,,	4.4615	5.8615	5.8615	7.9115
EFTA	,,	3.3615	5.7615	5.7615	7.8115

Footnotes see page 395.

Source: HM Customs and Excise

Customs and Excise rates of duty

TABLE 16.20 *(continued)*

Alcoholic drink, oil and tobacco

	Unit	1976 1 January[18]	1976 7 April[19]	1977 30 March
Spirits				
Mature	per proof gallon[3]	22.09	24.63	27.09
Immature[4]	,,	22.165	24.705	27.165
Beer				
Original gravity of 1030° or less	per bulk barrel[5]	13.68	15.84	17.424
Additional charge per full degree of gravity in excess of 1030°	,,	0.456	0.528	0.5808
Cider and perry[20]	per gallon	–	0.22	0.242
Wine of fresh grape[21]				
Not exceeding 15% of alcohol by volume	,,	2.625	2.955	3.25
15–18% of alcohol by volume	,,	2.935	3.41	3.75
18–22% of alcohol by volume	,,	3.35	4.015	4.415
Additional charge per per cent or part per cent of alcohol in excess of 22%	,,	0.385	0.43	0.47
Sparkling surcharge	,,	0.65	0.65	0.715
Made-Wine[21]				
Not exceeding 10% of alcohol by volume	,,	1.70	1.92	2.11
10–15% of alcohol by volume	,,	2.545	2.875	3.16
15–18% of alcohol by volume	,,	2.83	3.16	3.475
Additional charge per per cent or part per cent of alcohol in excess of 18%	,,	0.385	0.43	0.47
Sparkling surcharge	,,	0.30	0.30	0.33
Hydrocarbon oil				
Full rate oil	,,	0.225	0.30	0.35
Partly rebated oils:				
Kerosene (excluding aviation turbine fuel)	,,	0.01	0.01	0.01
Other	,,	0.01	0.01	0.025
Imported tobacco				
Unmanufactured – containing 10% or more moisture:	per lb		[22]	
Full and EFTA rate	,,	7.687	5.832	6.417
EEC	,,	7.687	5.832	6.417
Commonwealth I	,,	7.6716	5.8166	6.4016
Commonwealth II	,,	7.687	5.823	6.408
– containing less than 10% moisture:				
Full and EFTA rate	,,	7.7298	5.8748	6.4598
EEC	,,	7.7298	5.8748	6.4598
Commonwealth I	,,	7.7128	5.8578	6.4428
Commonwealth II	,,	7.72	5.865	6.45
Manufactured – Cigars: Full rate	,,	8.081	6.226	6.811
EEC	,,	8.081	6.226	6.811
Commonwealth I and EFTA	,,	8.0515	6.1965	6.7815
Commonwealth II	,,	8.0515	6.1965	6.7815
– Cigarettes: Full rate	,,	7.8552	6.0002	6.5852
EEC	,,	7.8552	6.0002	6.5852
Commonwealth I	,,	7.8315	5.9765	6.5615
Commonwealth II	,,	7.9115	6.0565	6.6415
EFTA	,,	7.8115	5.9565	6.5415
Tobacco products duty				[23]
Cigars	,,	–	2.765	3.0415
Hand-rolling tobacco	,,	–	2.40	3.825
Other smoking and chewing tobacco	,,	–	1.55	1.705
Cigarettes	percentage of retail value	–	20%	22%
	per thousand	–	–	1.41

Footnotes see page 395.

Source: HM Customs and Excise

Customs and Excise rate of duty

Alcoholic drink, oil and tobacco

TABLE 16.20 (*continued*)

[1] All items in this column, other than imported tobacco, were subject to 10 per cent Regulator surcharge from 21 July 1966 to 11 April 1967.

[2] On 4 April 1963 the excise, Commonwealth and EFTA duty rates on spirits were all different – £11 11s 11d, £11 12s 3d and £11 13s 6d per proof gallon respectively.

[3] A proof gallon is 1 gallon at 100° proof (Sikes) or its equivalent. At 60°F, proof spirit contains 49.28 per cent of ethyl alcohol by weight and 57.1 per cent by volume.

[4] The immaturity surcharge is levied on spirits which have been warehoused for less than three years at the time of duty payment.

[5] A bulk barrel is 36 gallons. Beer duty is charged on home-produced beer at a stage of production prior to fermentation and a 6 per cent quantity allowance is given for subsequent wastage. Specific gravity is measured on a scale where pure water = 1000°. The duty is payable by the 25th day of the month following the month of charge.

[6] Light wine is wine of a strength not exceeding 27° proof in the case of Commonwealth wine and 25° proof for other wine. Wine stronger than this is heavy wine.

[7] Light wine is wine of a strength not exceeding 27° proof. Wine stronger than this is heavy wine.

[8] Before 1 January 1965 the excise duty on hydrocarbon oil produced in this country from materials other than imported hydrocarbon oil and on petrol substitutes was 1s 3d less than the full rate.

[9] All imported oil is nominally liable to duty at the basic rate but heavy oil not intended for use in road vehicles is relieved from part of this duty by means of a rebate upon delivery for home use. Also light oil used as a furnace fuel for burning in vaporised or atomised form by approved persons is liable to a rebate.

[10] From 1 September 1966 the rate on lubricating oil and furnace fuel was reduced to bring all the partly rebateable oils into line at 2.2d as the regulator was then in force.

[11] All items in this column were subject to 10 per cent Regulator surcharge from 23 November 1968 to 15 April 1969.

[12] See footnote [6]. From 1 July 1973 the tariff rates were greatly expanded to reflect the breakdown in the CCT.

[13] From 1 January 1974, under the CCT, an additional charge was levied on imports from full rate, EFTA and Commonwealth I countries. The additions for 1974, 1975 and 1976 to 30 June 1977 respectively were:

rum and gin – £0.4321, £0.6481 and £0.8642;
bourbon – £0.3025, £0.4537 and £0.6049;
vodka – £0.5617, £0.8425 and £1.1234; and
brandy – £0.6913, £1.037 and £1.3827.

[14] In 1973 and 1974, full rate and EEC rum paid an additional amount of duty under the UKT: in 1973 the additions were – full rate £0.0625 and EEC £0.0375, and in 1974 they were both £0.0125.

[15] From 1 January 1974, under the CCT, imports of beer from full rate, EFTA and Commonwealth I countries became subject to an additional charge of 9.6 per cent, 4 per cent and 9.6 per cent of the value of the importation respectively. These charges represented 40 per cent of the CCT rate: further increases of 20 per cent on each rate were made on 1 January 1975, 1 January 1976 and 1 July 1977. The UK protective element contained in the specific charge was reduced simultaneously by similar percentages – see note (*d*) on page 389

[16] The 'in bottle' rate for Commonwealth I, full rate and EFTA varies with the strength of the wine.

[17] Under the CCT; full rate, EFTA and Commonwealth I origin goods became liable to an additional charge calculated either as a percentage of the value of the goods or as a unit of account.

[18] See note (a) on page 389

[19] All items in this column, other than hydrocarbon oil, were subject to 10 per cent Regulator surcharge from 1 January 1977 to 29 March 1977.

[20] The duty on cider and perry of a strength less than 8.7% alcohol by volume was introduced with effect from 6 September 1976. Cider and perry of a strength of 8.7 per cent or more is liable to Made-wine duty.

[21] On 1 January 1976 the old distinction between imported wine and British wine was removed. The distinction is now between wine made from fresh grapes (wine) and wine made from other than fresh grapes (Made-wine). At the same time the duty rates were restructured and three basic rates were introduced for wine and three for Made-wine. The duty payable depends on the strength of the wine, the strength bands being: wine – not exceeding 15% alcohol by volume, 15–18% and 18–22% and for Made-wine – not exceeding 10%, 10–15% and 15–18%. As an approximate comparison with the previous 'light' and 'heavy' distinction, 15% (26.2° proof) is taken to be the dividing line.

[22] On 10 May 1976 the rates of duty on tobacco were reduced and a new tobacco products duty was introduced.

[23] The increase in the products duty occurred on 4 April 1977.

Customs and Excise rates of duty

TABLE **16.20** *(continued)*

Matches and mechanical lighters

	Unit	1963 4 April	1963 1 Sept.	1971 15 Feb.	1972 8 Aug.	1973 1 April	1974 1 January	1975 1 January	1976 1 Jan[1]
		s d	s d	£	£	£	£	£	£
Matches									
Home and EFTA	On every 7,200 matches		13 9	0.6875	0.6875	0.4900	0.4900	0.4900	0.4900
Full rate	,,		14 5	0.7200	0.7200	0.5225	0.5095 + 4.4%	0.5030 + 6.6%	0.4965 + 8.9%
EEC	,,		14 5	0.7200	0.7200	0.5160	0.5095	0.5030	0.4965
Commonwealth I	,,		14 5	0.7200	0.7200	0.5225	0.5095 + 4.4%	0.5030 + 6.6%	0.4965 + 8.9%
Commonwealth II	,,		14 5	0.7200	0.7200	0.5225	0.5225	0.5225	0.5225
Mechanical lighters									
Lighters used for igniting gas for domestic use[2]:	On each lighter								
Home and EFTA	,,	4 0	4 0	0.20	0.20	–	–	–	–
Full rate	,,	5 0	5 0	0.25	0.25	–	–	–	–
EEC	,,	5 0	5 0	0.25	0.25	–	–	–	–
Commonwealth I and II	,,	5 0	5 0	0.25	0.25	–	–	–	–
Other lighters: Home and EFTA	,,	6 0	6 0	0.30	0.30	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20
EEC	,,	7 0	7 0	0.35	0.325	0.225	0.225	0.22	0.21
Commonwealth II	,,	7 0	7 0	0.35	0.325	0.225	0.225	0.225	0.225
Full rate and Commonwealth I	,,	7 0	7 0	0.35	0.325	0.225	0.225 + 4.4%	0.22 + 6.6%	0.21 + 8.8%

[1] See General notes (a) on page 389 [2] On 1 April 1973 the revenue duty on lighters for igniting gas for domestic use was abolished. However imported lighters of this description are still liable to protective duty.

Purchase tax [1]

	Unit	1963 4 April[2]	1967 12 April[3]	1968 20 March	1969 16 April	1971 20 July	1972 22 March
Clothing and household goods[4]	Percentage of whole-sale price	10	11	12½	13¾	11¼	11¼
Food [5]		15	16½	20	22	18	18
Cars, durable and other goods [6]		25	27½	33⅓	36⅔	30	25
Luxury goods [7]	,,	25	27½	50	55	45	25

[1] Purchase tax was abolished after 31 March 1973. [2] All items in this column were subject to 10% Regulator surcharge from 21 July 1966 to 11 April 1967. [3] All items in this column were subject to 10% Regulator surcharge from 23 November 1968 to 15 April 1969. [4] Garments, headgear, footwear, gloves, haberdashery, bedding, fabrics, most floor coverings, wall coverings, shelf paper, most domestic, garden and office furniture domestic hardware, ironmongery, tableware, kitchenware, toilet ware, most hand-operated domestic appliances and cutlery. From 27 May 1969 knitting wool, household textile articles, plastic wall coverings, paper table-ware and paper tissues were also brought under the scope of the tax. [5] Confectionery, soft drinks, ice cream. From 27 May 1969 potato crisps, salted nuts and prepared pet foods were also brought under the scope of the tax. [6] Cuff links and studs, hat pins, tie pins, hairpins and similar articles not of precious metal; most gas and electric space and water heating appliances; domestic refrigerators, washing machines, vacuum cleaners, electric irons and kettles, domestic oil burning space heaters; sewing machines, lighting fittings, mantles and bulbs, hand lamps and torches, clocks and watches not of precious metal, radio and television sets and valves, musical instruments, gramophones, radiograms; toys, fireworks, sports requisites, umbrellas, trunks, bags, wallets, purses, stationery and office requisites; motor-cars, motor cycles, bicycles, mirrors, brushes, combs, razors, sponges and certain other toilet requisites, soap, shaving cream, shampoos, dentifrices and certain other toilet preparations, hair-waving and hair-drying machines, drugs and medicines. From 20 March 1968 tape recorders, were also brought under the scope of the tax. [7] Fur garments, fur headgear, fur rugs and fur skin; jewellery and imitation jewellery, articles of precious metal worn on the person; clocks and watches of precious metal; gramophone records, smokers' requisites, cameras, photographic goods, prints, frames, figures, greeting cards, ornaments and most fancy goods; hairdressing goods, waving and curling outfits; perfumery and cosmetics, toilet requisites and preparations other than those included in footnote [6]. From 20 March 1968 pre-recorded tape, projectors and their accessories and slide viewers were brought under the scope of the tax.

Source: HM Customs and Excise

Customs and Excise rates of duty

TABLE 16.20 (*continued*)

Value added tax and Car tax

	Unit	1973 1 Apl.	1974 1 Apl.	1974 29 Jul.	1974 18 Nov.	1975 1 May	1975 1 Nov	1976 12 Apl.
Value added tax [1]								
Items								
Exempt (E) goods and supplies [2]	–	E	E	E	E	E	E	E
Food, fuel and power, transport, construction, etc. [3]	Percentage of the value of supply [11]	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ice cream, confectionery and chocolate biscuits, beverages, potato crisps, nuts and pet foods [4]	"	0	10	8	8	8	8	8
Motor spirit (petrol), aviation spirit and all other light hydrocarbon oils (except for sale as fuel for mechanical lighters in containers of capacity not exceeding 20 fluid ounces) All petrol substitutes and power methylated spirits [5]		0	10	8	25	25	25	12½
Derv, liquified petroleum gases used as road fuel and fuel for mechanical lighters in containers of one pint or less [6]	"	0	10	8	8	8	8	8
Many domestic appliances, such as electric washing machines, domestic refrigerators, freezers and powered garden equipment, radios and television sets; pleasure boats and light aircraft; mobile caravans, photographic equipment and binoculars; furs; and jewellery [7]	"	10	10	8	8	25	25	12½
Gaming machines [8]	"	E	E	E	E	E	8	8
All other goods and services except (a) those specified above and (b) those outside the scope of the tax [9]	"	10	10	8	8	8	8	8
Car tax [10]								
Passenger vehicles	Percentage of wholesale value	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Motor caravans	"	–	–	–	–	10	10	10

[1] The Value added tax was introduced on 1 April 1973 and in conjunction with car tax replaced purchase tax and selective employment tax. It is, in principle, a broadly-based *ad valorem* tax chargeable on the supply of goods and services in the United Kingdom or the Isle of Man and on the importation of goods into the United Kingdom or the Isle of Man. [2] Persons making exempt supplies of goods or services do not have to charge their customers tax on these supplies, but they are not entitled to reclaim any related input tax. Exemptions are specified in Schedule 5 to the Finance Act 1972 and, generally speaking, include; the granting, etc. of any interest in or right over land; insurance; postal services; betting, gaming and lotteries; financial transactions (other than fees for professional services); educational and health supplies and burial and cremation. [3] Supplies under this heading are zero-rated, i.e. taxable, but the rate of tax is nil. Suppliers of zero-rated goods or services do not have to charge tax to their customers; but can reclaim any related input tax from Customs and Excise. Zero-rated goods and services are specified in Schedule 4 to the Finance Act 1972 and, generally speaking, include: food (other than dutiable alcoholic drink or when supplied in the course of catering and those foodstuffs at [4]); water; books and newspapers; talking books for the blind; newspaper advertisements; news services; fuel and power (other than that at [5] and [6]); civil engineering and the construction of buildings (other than repairs and maintenance and services of architects, surveyors, etc.); services to overseas traders or for overseas purposes; public transport, caravans (other than those at [7]) and houseboats; gold, bank notes; drugs, medicines and appliances supplied on prescription; certain supplies by charities; young childrens clothing and footwear. [7] Items specifically excluded are cookers and heaters. [8] Schedule 5 of the Finance Act 1972 exempts the provisions of any facilities for the playing of any games of chance, but the provision of facilities for the playing of a gaming machine were excluded from the exemption with effect from 1 November 1975. [9] Certain considerations for supplies of services or goods are 'outside the scope of the tax' e.g. rates, wages and salaries. [10] It is charged on vehicles which, broadly speaking, are used on public roads for the carriage of passengers, are driven by an internal combustion engine and have three or more wheels. But certain vehicles are exempt from car tax, e.g. ambulances, prison vans and some special purpose vehicles. Inclusive of the dealers margin VAT is levied in addition to the car tax on the wholesale price inclusive of car tax. [11] Generally the value means exclusive of tax though there are exceptions to this e.g. barter transactions and business gifts.

Source: HM Customs and Excise

Customs and Excise rates of duty

TABLE 16.20 *(continued)*

Betting [1]

	Unit	1963 4 April	1964 3 August	1966 24 October	1968 25 March	1970 27 April	1972 31 July	1974 1 April
Pool betting duty								
Pools	Percentage of stakes	33	25	25	33⅓	33⅓	33⅓	40 [2]
Fixed odds	"	–	25	25	33⅓	33⅓	33⅓	40
Dog totes [3]	"	10	5	—	—	—	—	—
General betting duty [4]								
Off course [5]	"	—	—	2½	5	6	6	7½
On course	"	—	—	2½	5	5	4	4

[1] These duties apply only in Great Britain. Separate duties have been imposed by the government of Northern Ireland. [2] Other than pools competitions operated by charity or sport licensed under the Pools Competition Act 1971: these remained at 33⅓%. [3] Liable to General betting duty from 24 October 1966. [4] This replaced Bookmakers' Licence duty which was paid by bookmakers operating at dog race meetings at which a totalisator was operated. Before 3 August 1964 rates varied from £6 to £48 and from 3 August 1966 till it was replaced by General Betting duty, rates were £3 to £24. [5] Betting Premises Licence duty was levied from 1 October 1969 for off-course betting at the rate of 3 times the rateable value of the premises, or £150 in the case of premises with no rateable value. The duty ceased on 27 April 1970.

Gaming [1]

Annual duty rates for licence year beginning 1 October

	Over	Not over	1966	1968	1969	1970	1975
Gaming licences [2]							
All games —	Over	Not over					
Rateable value of premises		£ 1,000	500	750	750	750 [3]	500 [6]
	£ 1,000	£ 1,500	5,000	7,500	7,500	6,250 [4]	
	£ 1,500	£ 2,250		15,000	20,000		750 [6]
	£ 2,250	£ 2,500		30,000	40,000		
	£ 2,500	£ 3,000		30,000	40,000	20,000 [5]	
	£ 3,000	£ 4,500	50,000	75,000	100,000		1,250 [6]
	£ 4,500	£ 6,000					2,500 [6]
	£ 6,000	£ 7,500					3,750 [6]
	£ 7,500	£ 9,000					5,000 [6]
	£ 9,000	£10,500					6,250 [6]
	£10,500	£12,000					8,750 [6]
	£12,000						11,250 [6]
Bingo		£ 1,000	100	125	2½% of stakes	2½% of stakes	5% of stakes [8]
Rateable value of premises [7]	£ 1,000	£ 1,500	1,000	1,500			
	£ 1,500		1,000	2,000			
Gaming machine licences [9]							
Lower (operated by 1.25p or less):							
Local authority permits	First machine				12.50	12.50	12.50
	Subsequent machines				75	75	50
Other —	First machine		£37.10s	£37.10s	50	50	50
	Subsequent machines				150	150	100
Higher (operated by coin value over 1.25p)							
Local authority permits	First machine		—	—	25	25	25
	Subsequent machines		—	—	150	150	100
Other —	First machine		75	75	100	100	100
	Subsequent machines		—	—	300	300	200
Penny machines (on premises with holiday season licences) [10]			—	—	15	15	7.50

[1] These duties apply only to Great Britain. Separate duties have been imposed by the government of Northern Ireland. [2] From 1 October 1970 the duty for gaming licences was changed to a half-yearly licence fee. [The rate shown is that for the half-year.] [3] £750 payable on first table *plus* £500 for each table between 2 and 5 *plus* £750 for each table exceeding 5. [4] £6250 payable on first table *plus* £1500 for each table between 2 and 5 *plus* £2000 for each table exceeding 5. [5] £20,000 payable on first table *plus* £4,000 for each table between 2 and 5 *plus* £5,000 for each table exceeding 5. [6] Per table. [7] Abolished and replaced on 1 October 1969 by bingo duty of 2½% of the stakes. [8] 29 September 1975. [9] From 1 October 1969 half-year licences could be taken out, the duty rates being eleven-twentieths of the corresponding whole year rates. [10] Holiday season licences are granted for the period from 1 March to 31 October.

Source: HM Customs and Excise

Rateable values

England and Wales

TABLE **16.21**

At April in each year

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973[1]		1974	1975	1976
							At 31 March	At 1 April			
Number of properties (Thousands)											
Total—all classes	18,336.3	18,739.6	19,098.4	19,401.6	19,684.0	19,964.9	20,228.1	20,431.4	20,492.2	20,727.9	21,076.5
Domestic:											
Total	15,376.2	15,687.0	15,953.3	16,175.6	16,384.4	16,606.6	16,815.6	16,940.5	17,004.1	17,204.3	17,513.5
Houses and flats with rateable values:											
Not over £30 (£75)[2]	2,308.1	2,234.0	2,151.2	2,073.9	1,995.6	1,920.3	1,842.5	1,283.7	1,592.6	1,541.8	1,572.8
Over £30 (£75) but not over £56 (£100)	4,223.8	4,278.0	4,317.9	4,348.3	4,381.9	4,406.2	4,423.7	1,220.6	1,295.3	1,290.0	1,291.3
Over £56 (£100)	8,471.1	8,763.6	9,070.4	9,341.1	9,596.6	9,872.4	10,144.1	14,069.0	13,752.0	14,006.0	14,279.1
Agricultural dwelling-houses, etc	373.3	411.5	413.7	412.2	410.3	407.7	405.3	367.3	364.3	366.5	370.3
Commercial:											
Total	2,380.7	2,473.4	2,557.2	2,630.9	2,693.2	2,747.7	2,797.9	2,893.3	2,895.9	2,927.9	2,962.9
Shops and cafes	654.7	651.3	647.0	641.3	634.9	627.6	621.2	623.5	616.3	608.9	600.1
Offices	163.6	166.7	169.3	171.8	172.2	172.4	173.9	171.4	169.8	171.1	171.3
Other	1,562.4	1,655.4	1,741.0	1,817.8	1,886.1	1,947.8	2,002.8	2,098.4	2,109.8	2,147.9	2,191.5
On-licensed premises:											
Total	60.9	60.5	60.0	59.1	58.4	57.6	56.7	56.4	56.3	55.9	55.6
Entertainment and recreational:											
Total	67.4	67.7	67.9	68.4	68.6	68.7	69.2	71.6	71.0	71.3	71.7
Cinemas	2.1	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.3
Theatres and music-halls	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Other	64.9	65.3	65.6	66.2	66.4	66.7	67.2	69.8	69.3	69.6	70.0
Public utility:											
Total	22.4	22.3	22.2	41.9	42.0	42.1	42.3	42.0	39.0	39.1	39.1
Educational and cultural:											
Total	39.0	39.3	39.8	40.2	40.3	40.6	40.8	41.3	41.3	41.7	41.9
Miscellaneous											
Total	286.7	286.5	295.4	282.7	294.3	299.0	303.2	281.6	280.1	282.9	287.2
Industrial:											
Total	102.7	102.9	102.8	102.8	102.8	102.6	102.3	104.7	104.4	104.8	104.6
Value of assessments (£ million)											
Total—all classes	2,255.0	2,313.7	2,379.7	2,440.5	2,492.8	2,545.9	2,600.4	6,583.0	6,660.1	6,742.2	6,809.2
Domestic:											
Total	1,077.2	1,113.5	1,144.3	1,171.5	1,196.7	1,224.0	1,251.1	3,234.1	3,204.1	3,260.6	3,325.7
Houses and flats with rateable values:											
Not over £30 (£75)[2]	54.2	52.7	51.1	49.3	47.7	46.1	44.4	72.4	90.0	87.4	88.0
Over £30 (£75) but not over £56 (£100)	188.8	191.4	193.4	194.9	196.6	197.8	199.0	108.2	114.6	114.1	114.2
Over £56 (£100)	817.2	845.1	874.7	901.5	926.5	954.0	981.4	2,995.9	2,928.3	2,987.0	3,049.9
Agricultural dwelling-houses, etc	16.9	24.2	25.0	25.7	25.9	26.1	26.4	57.7	71.2	72.1	73.6
Commercial:											
Total	483.4	496.0	511.0	526.0	537.1	550.4	566.2	1,626.7	1,616.3	1,621.5	1,619.4
Shops and cafes	214.3	216.6	219.7	222.5	224.6	226.8	229.9	599.7	597.0	595.2	590.8
Offices	132.2	137.2	143.5	149.8	153.6	157.7	161.9	576.0	567.2	565.5	559.6
Other	137.0	142.2	147.7	153.7	158.9	165.9	174.4	450.9	452.2	460.8	469.1
On-licensed premises:											
Total	24.0	24.1	24.1	24.1	24.4	24.5	24.9	65.9	65.4	65.0	64.3
Entertainment and recreational:											
Total	22.4	23.1	23.7	24.5	25.1	25.6	26.4	67.5	67.4	68.9	70.3
Cinemas	3.0	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.7	2.7	5.5	5.4	5.3	5.1
Theatres and music-halls	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.9	0.9	0.9	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.6
Other	18.6	19.3	19.9	20.7	21.4	22.0	22.7	60.3	60.3	61.9	63.6
Public utility:											
Total	102.1	103.2	104.2	122.7	124.0	124.0	123.2	319.3	326.9	334.6	334.1
Educational and cultural:											
Total	75.5	79.3	83.8	88.4	92.6	96.8	101.9	211.5	211.2	215.6	221.0
Miscellaneous:											
Total	141.0	140.0	147.6	137.2	142.0	146.5	151.8	240.3	356.4	366.2	378.2
Industrial:											
Total	329 4	334.4	340.9	346.2	350.9	354.0	355.0	817.8	812.4	809.9	796.2

[1] From 1 April 1973 all properties were revalued. The 1973 figures show the numbers and rateable values immediately before and immediately after revaluation. The numbers differ slightly because of certain re-classifications. [2] Figures in brackets apply to figures from 1 April 1973.

Source: Board of Inland Revenue

Local authority loan debt

Analysis by type of debt and by period to maturity

At 31 March in each year [1]

TABLE **16.31**

£ million

	Total [2]	Listed securities	Negotiable bonds	Public Works Loan Board mortgages [3]	Advances from own superannuation funds	Advances from other internal funds	Other longer-term debt	Revenue balances temporarily used for capital purposes	Other temporary debt
1964									
Total	8,985	1,046	—	3,065	270	173	2,674	231	1,526
Up to 1 year	2,508	33	—	4	18	53	643	231	1,526
Over 1 and up to 5 years	1,399	108	—	66	48	45	1,132	—	—
Over 5 and up to 10 years	885	267	—	140	58	21	399	—	—
Over 10 and up to 15 years	682	318	—	116	50	8	190	—	—
Over 15 years	3,511	320	—	2,739	96	46	310	—	—
1965									
Total	9,907	1,127	55	3,302	274	191	2,827	317	1,814
Up to 1 year	2,972	26	40	3	23	62	687	317	1,814
Over 1 and up to 5 years	1,527	118	15	94	52	48	1,200	—	—
Over 5 and up to 10 years	1,133	333	—	299	62	21	418	—	—
Over 10 and up to 15 years	803	355	—	172	49	8	219	—	—
Over 15 years	3,472	295	—	2,734	88	52	303	—	—
1966									
Total	10,935	1,252	150	3,837	256	206	3,229	329	1,676
1967									
Total	12,066	1,360	208	4,380	246	218	3,596	391	1,667
1968									
Total	13,316	1,472	260	4,801	259	212	3,820	473	2,019
Up to 1 year	3,816	27	204	6	28	83	976	473	2,019
Over 1 and up to 5 years	2,187	220	56	65	76	56	1,714	—	—
Over 5 and up to 10 years	2,599	590	—	1,416	54	19	520	—	—
Over 10 and up to 15 years	1,035	278	—	490	42	7	218	—	—
Over 15 years	3,679	357	—	2,824	59	47	392	—	—
1969									
Total	14,472	1,569	322	5,277	253	221	4,418	497	1,915
1970									
Total	15,704	1,641	320	5,814	249	228	4,920	615	1,917
1971									
Total	16,926	1,727	360	6,502	256	205	5,406	769	1,701
1972									
Total	18,435	1,816	570	7,331	233	206	5,624	853	1,802
1973									
Total	20,255	1,764	667	8,255	229	237	5,682	1,128	2,293
1974									
Total	22,740	1,725	881	9,233	221	212	6,315	1,133	3,020
1975									
Total	25,599	1,477	969	10,044	192	236	7,866	1,287	3,528
1976									
Total	28,959	1,557	1,077	11,193	117	272	9,108	2,096	3,479

[1] Figures for 1964, 1965 and 1968 are based on loan debt surveys held during those years. Survey figures for Scotland are at 15 May except for one large authority reporting at 28 May and two reporting at 31 May. Figures for other years are based on the preceding survey figures and the quarterly Local Authority borrowing surveys. [2] Before deducting inter-authority loans and debt transfers. [3] Including loans from the Northern Ireland Government Loans Fund.

Source: Department of the Environment

Local authorities: gross loan debt outstanding[1]

TABLE 16.32

At 31 March in each year[2]

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
United Kingdom											
Total debt	10,752.0	11,821.5	12,975.4	14,166.8	15,183.5	16,623.0	17,954.1	19,796.8	22,247.1	23,145.2	. .
Public Works Loan Board	3,750.1	4,280.1	4,633.2	5,101.0	5,625.7	6,295.9	7,103.4	8,030.6	9,024.6	10,148.9	11,311.1
Northern Ireland Government Loans Fund	125.0	149.1	171.1	185.4	202.4	222.9	251.5	266.2	268.0	260.3	251.7
Other debt	6,876.9	7,392.3	8,171.1	8,880.4	9,355.4	10,104.2	10,599.2	11,500.0	12,954.5	12,736.0	. .
England and Wales											
Total debt	9,280.2	10,193.5	11,159.2	12,136.9	12,946.2	14,152.6	15,286.7	17,062.6	19,406.8	19,938.9	. .
of which Public Works Loan Board	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	*5,477.6*	*6,201.5*	*7,038.5*	*7,918.6*	*8,903.2*	*9,922.4*
Scotland											
Total debt	1,288.3	1,423.6	1,583.0	1,770.9	1,952.1	2,152.6	2,321.3	2,521.2	2,810.2	3,174.5	. .
of which Public Works Loan Board	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	*818.3*	*901.9*	*992.1*	*1,106.0*	*1,245.7*	*1,388.7*
Northern Ireland											
Total debt [3] [4] [5]	183.5	204.4	233.2	259.0	285.2	317.8	346.1	213.0	30.1	31.8	36.9

[1] The sums shown exclude inter-authority loans and debt transfers, and temporary loans and overdrafts obtained for the purpose of providing for current expenses. No deduction has been made in respect of sums held in sinking funds for the repayment of debt. [2] At 15 May for Scotland. [3] During the year 1972/73 the main housing functions were transferred to the Northern Ireland Housing Executive. [4] Figure for 1975/76 provisional. [5] Exclusive of certain load debt recoupable from certain government departments and other bodies in respect of services transferred on 1 October 1973.

Sources: Department of the Environment; Scottish Office, Finance Division; Public Works Loan Board; Department of the Environment (Northern Ireland): Northern Ireland Office

Expenditure and income of local authorities: summary

Years ended 31 March[1]

TABLE 16.33

£ million

	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76 [6]
United Kingdom:											
Total expenditure: On capital works	1,471.1	1,630.4	1,831.2	1,899.3	2,006.3	2,352.8	2,509.6	3,140.3	4,166.0	4,572.4	. .
Other	3,761.4	4,129.4	4,544.7	4,931.1	6,089.6	6,965.4	7,961.7	9,029.1	10,830.4	13,637.3	. .
Total income[2]	5,337.9	5,886.1	6,459.9	6,935.7	8,328.9	9,416.5	10,746.9	12,444.7	15,146.2	18,393.4	. .
England and Wales:											
Total expenditure: On capital works	1,289.3	1,411.9	1,563.3	1,597.2	1,707.9	2,050.2	2,231.6	2,794.8	3,739.3	4,075.7	. .
Other	3,306.4	3,621.4	3,988.4	4,322.3	5,405.3	6,185.5	7,080.7	8,004.2	9,732.6	12,253.9	. .
Total income[2] [3]	4,690.4	5,151.3	5,637.9	6,029.1	7,345.4	8,337.0	9,561.6	11,058.9	13,602.0	16,557.3	. .
Scotland:											
Total expenditure: On capital works	154.8	187.5	228.0	257.8	253.3	251.3	260.8	303.7	397.2	493.4	. .
Other	365.8	407.3	445.1	490.9	554.4	640.7	721.6	841.6	1,001.4	1,344.1	. .
Total income[2]	530.8	602.4	668.9	746.9	809.9	899.1	1,013.2	1,163.5	1,429.0	1,802.3	. .
Northern Ireland[4] [5]											
Total expenditure: On capital works	27.0	31.0	39.9	44.3	45.1	51.3	17.2	41.8	29.5	9.1	13.4
Other	89.2	100.7	111.2	117.9	129.9	139.2	159.6	183.3	96.4	33.9	43.1
Total income[2]	116.7	132.4	153.1	159.7	173.6	180.4	172.1	222.3	115.2	38.7	60.7

[1] Years ended 15 May for Scotland. [2] Including government grants. [3] See footnote [1] to Table 16.34. [4] During the year 1972/73 the main housing functions were transferred to the Northern Ireland Housing Executive. [5] On reorganisation of local government on 1 October 1973 the following services were transferred to central government and other bodies – education, local health and welfare authority services, water and sewerage, highways and bridges, electricity and passenger transport. See Tables 16.42, 16.43 and 16.44. [6] Figures for Northern Ireland are provisional.

Sources: Department of the Environment; Scottish Office, Finance Division; Department of the Environment (Northern Ireland)

Expenditure of local authorities out of revenue and special funds [1]

England and Wales

TABLE 16.34

Years ended 31 March

£ thousand

	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75
Total	3,306,382	3,621,425	3,988,420	4,322,290	5,405,264	6,185,508	7,080,747	8,004,223	9,732,625	12,253,94
Education	1,262,405	1,386,226	1,525,581	1,644,189	1,894,662	2,145,452	2,492,134	2,902,777	3,356,654	4,404,395
Libraries, museums and art galleries	37,018	41,091	46,215	50,019	58,262	66,754	78,199	90,984	105,811	139,405
Local health authority services including port health [2]	118,441	129,359	141,182	152,651	167,643	199,152	141,918	165,034	193,574	1,317
Personal social services							314,384	390,534	522,434	753,103
Welfare services [3]	68,252	77,270	87,434	92,682	102,074	120,306	—	—	—	—
Sheltered employment and workshops				3,783	4,267	5,397	6,046	7,042	8,379	10,870
Child care service [3]	37,303	41,762	46,071	50,996	62,007	73,694	—	—	—	—
Police including school crossing patrols	196,949	220,038	245,557	263,903	303,170	367,498	425,559	466,695	534,838	660,850
Fire service	46,709	51,096	55,527	59,471	66,995	75,059	90,432	105,975	122,782	165,242
Administration of justice	22,253	25,607	29,451	32,871	40,177	48,768	54,771	46,748	55,501	72,384
Sewerage and sewage disposal [4]	75,008	85,030	94,527	106,699	131,882	150,837	169,850	196,331	242,118	—
Refuse collection and disposal	62,348	68,599	75,481	82,128	95,812	108,993	124,670	143,486	166,889	229,691
Baths and laundries [5] [6]						31,531	35,768	40,950	49,333	—
Agriculture and fisheries [7]	24,454	25,760	26,506	29,720	34,466	33,923	36,668	40,094	45,988	16,915
Highways, lighting, parking, etc	230,002	246,614	278,644	284,751	305,152	344,023	415,607	475,717	559,915	761,620
Parks and open spaces	43,297	46,866	50,763	55,943	66,547	74,199	88,954	107,036	134,018	263,567
Environmental health	46,240	51,446	57,622	60,926	71,603	50,296	55,769	62,686	71,071	104,075
Town and country planning	29,178	31,809	39,145	44,839	54,234	66,127	77,321	92,829	115,746	171,527
Housing to which the Housing Revenue Account relates	432,206	480,780	532,919	605,935	701,123	783,922	855,955	992,427	1,208,448	1,621,155
Other housing	67,794	77,223	86,092	93,837	96,095	112,585	125,097	157,725	282,707	412,093
Trading services:										
Water supply [8]	94,782	103,756	110,397	120,085	115,426	160,813	175,682	185,533	208,173	—
Passenger transport	95,427	98,319	99,116	102,499	110,970	68,788	75,872	82,037	90,319	74,165
Cemeteries and crematoria	11,262	12,083	12,847	13,181	14,600	14,965	17,426	17,568	20,248	25,463
Harbours, docks and piers [9]	60,565	55,974	58,432	72,566	70,530	78,358	63,182	13,264	14,264	23,504
Other trading services	47,180	50,311	55,445	59,904	75,689	91,212	98,935	109,130	48,886	51,707
Other works and purposes	67,162	76,306	84,507	84,804	198,436	196,558	215,597	321,053	89,047	143,287
Expenditure not allocated to specific services [10]	130,147	138,100	148,959	153,908	563,442	716,298	844,951	790,568	1,485,482	2,147,606
Total loan charges included in expenditure above and Table 16.35	739,986	832,239	934,748	1,059,220	1,210,763	1,370,959	1,449,269	1,620,915	2,083,399	2,290,368
Allocated to:										
Rate fund services	283,357	317,178	353,335	402,800	477,687	538,740	580,856	657,514	906,343	992,916
Housing revenue	311,109	347,650	387,059	448,019	526,132	580,495	595,069	649,094	826,353	1,104,649
Trading services	57,903	63,332	67,533	77,962	79,785	95,835	96,696	94,287	110,712	57,743
Loan charges included in Table 16.35	87,617	104,079	126,821	130,439	127,159	155,889	176,648	220,020	239,991	135,060

[1] From 1969/70 duplicate reckonings (amounts transferred between accounts of an authority and between authorities) are no longer excluded fro expenditure and income. [2] From 1974/75 Local Authorities services were transferred to Regional Health Authorities. [3] From 1971/72 welfare an child care services form part of personal social services. [4] From 1974/75 sewerage and sewage disposal were transferred to Regional Water Authoritie [5] Prior to 1971/72 this service was included with public health. [6] From 1974/75 baths and launderies are included with parks and open spac [7] Before 1974/75 entitled land drainage, small-holdings etc. [8] From 1974/75 water supply was transferred to Regional Water Authorities. [9] 1966 and 1967 a number of dock and harbour authorities adopted the recommendation of the National Ports Council that their accounts be kept o calendar year basis; consequently entries against this item for 1966/67 and 1967/68 do not reflect a full year's transactions: from 1971/72 transactio relating to Liverpool (Mersey Docks Board) are excluded: from 1972/73 transactions relate to municipally owned undertaking only. [10] From 1972/ the reserve funds for only statutory Housing Repairs account and Housing Equalisation account are included in the Housing Revenue Account.

Source: Department of the Environment.

Expenditure of local authorities on capital works [1] [2]

England and Wales

TABLE 16.35

Years ended 31 March

£ thousand

	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75
Total	1,289,253	1,411,900	1,563,349	1,597,220	1,707,893	2,050,215	2,231,565	2,794,841	3,739,330	4,075,657
Education	129,294	143,584	187,557	195,375	222,123	264,126	315,334	385,267	457,430	415,007
Libraries, museums and art galleries	4,466	3,948	5,488	5,602	6,280	8,163	9,927	13,514	17,615	20,925
Local health authority services including port health	8,362	7,450	9,419	10,392	13,908	19,125	13,168	16,199	21,515	–
Personal social services							37,739	50,803	74,306	72,261
Welfare services[3]	12,852	12,791	14,015	14,544	16,702	18,515	–	–	–	–
Sheltered employment and workshops				237	163	117	357	261	254	486
Child care service[3]	2,641	2,808	2,971	3,807	4,011	6,042	–	–	–	–
Police including school crossing patrols	10,513	20,004	17,271	15,439	16,594	19,555	26,072	36,759	45,551	35,048
Fire service	3,837	3,301	4,467	5,029	5,711	7,326	9,133	9,659	9,127	8,089
Administration of justice	1,459	3,962	4,626	4,363	5,043	6,728	7,623	8,717	10,044	12,101
Sewerage and sewage disposal	62,027	73,603	91,798	101,581	115,011	142,689	163,626	211,688	283,775	–
Refuse collection and disposal	2,737	2,974	5,667	9,055	11,596	16,633	21,257	18,932	18,351	21,529
Baths and laundries[4] [5]						8,249	10,508	19,596	21,043	–
Land drainage, smallholdings etc.	5,005	5,280	5,435	6,715	11,796	16,234	19,451	31,799	31,270	17,447
Highways, lighting, parking, etc.	80,565	87,045	124,724	145,089	181,927	219,329	242,875	266,800	296,322	359,689
Parks and open spaces	9,485	7,007	6,371	8,283	11,472	18,609	22,633	37,506	52,612	89,930
Environmental health	10,356	10,342	9,540	9,072	11,603	4,118	4,995	6,177	6,789	6,124
Town and country planning	35,123	33,996	39,592	55,551	52,303	78,483	73,524	98,763	120,671	105,099
Housing to which the Housing Revenue Account relates	491,980	596,480	651,348	662,998	660,798	655,127	655,864	837,574	1,106,659	1,620,498
Other housing	287,888	252,396	243,327	210,574	170,479	298,426	350,850	455,103	773,792	1,066,251
Trading services:										
Water supply	43,788	48,907	51,075	48,463	63,500	83,539	94,956	113,450	153,142	–
Passenger transport	3,777	4,142	4,913	7,473	10,571	6,906	6,612	7,874	18,487	6,134
Cemeteries and crematoria	922	655	772	745	608	1,129	1,505	1,945	1,593	1,653
Harbours, docks and piers[6]	14,169	21,426	18,597	17,259	29,584	31,769	25,656	7,581	10,308	10,266
Other trading services	29,608	31,789	28,402	27,059	40,702	56,609	55,253	74,368	32,816	15,959
Other works and purposes	22,414	21,605	20,512	17,271	24,831	37,170	37,138	47,193	74,061	86,887
Expenditure not allocated to specific services	15,985	16,405	15,462	15,244	20,577	25,499	25,509	37,313	101,797	104,274

[1] Expenditure met out of loans, government grants for capital works, sales of property, etc. and sums repaid to lenders or transferred to sinking funds out of unexpended balances of loans and other capital receipts. [2] [3] [4] [5] and [6] See footnotes [1] [3] [5] [6] and [9] to Table 16.34.

Source: Department of the Environment

Income of local authorities: classified according to source [1]

England and Wales

TABLE **16.36**

Years ended 31 March

£ thousand

	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75
Total income	4,690,421	5,151,252	5,637,864	6,029,118	7,345,440	8,336,954	9,561 629	11,058,882	13,601,957	16,557,337
Capital receipts: Total	1,296,265	1,408,341	1,537,355	1,588,854	1,717,400	2,078,414	2,269,119	2,844,045	3,771,740	4,078,948
Loans	1,151,632	1,230,951	1,306,660	1,341,711	1,343,824	1,597,378	1,701,674	2,150,861	2,960,484	3,407,642
Government grants	34,474	44,926	78,621	85,695	93,889	111,163	122,100	130,230	155,162	139,696
Sales and other sources	110,159	132,464	152,074	161,448	279,687	369,873	445,345	562,954	656,094	531,610
Revenue income: Total	3,394,156	3,742,911	4,100,509	4,440,264	5,628,040	6,258,540	7,292,510	8,214,837	9,830,217	12,478,389
Rates	1,131,509	1,266,120	1,323,388	1,398,033	1,515,184	1,640,475	1,911,661	2,179,584	2,414,631	2,927,262
Government grants	1,260,021	1,389,086	1,591,016	1,712,912	1,954,931	2,284,156	2,653,906	3,135,048	3,897,294	5,651,767
Miscellaneous income including rents, tolls, fees and interest	1,002,626	1,087,705	1,186,105	1,329,319	2,157,925	2,333,909	2,726,943	2,900,205	3,518,292	3,899,360

[1] See footnote [1] Table 16.34.

Source: Department of the Environment

Income of local authorities from government grants including grants for capital works

England and Wales

TABLE 16.37

Years ended 31 March

£ thousand

	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75
Total	1,294,495	1,434,012	1,669,637	1,798,607	2,048,820	2,395,319	2,776,006	3,265,278	4,052,456	5,791,463
Allocated to specific services:										
Education	90,570	102,831	9,973	3,281	3,426	4,864	6,759	9,281	12.056	127,278
Libraries, museums and art galleries	43	102	69	79	183	18	68	101	116	160
Local health authority services including port health	286	351	478	563	790	1,288	776	957	1,103	–
Personal social services							5,339	6,670	4,172	5,505
Welfare services [1]	960	1,011	1,102	78	77	96	—	—	—	—
Sheltered employment and workshops				1,086	1,118	1,256	1,592	1.698	1,916	2,202
Child care service [1]	1,673	1,831	2,275	2,579	3,033	3,471	—	—	—	—
Police including school crossing patrols	91,732	102,015	113,522	120,807	134,524	163,036	188,165	204,766	233,466	288,877
Fire service	146	183	183	97	24	26	11	20	9	4
Administration of justice	10,989	12,351	14,432	15,883	19,247	22,763	26,234	25,907	37,660	51,246
Sewerage and sewage disposal	2,688	3,215	3,818	4,483	3,882	6,058	7,346	6,949	8,628	—
Refuse collection and disposal	2	2	—	—	–	21	—	63	87	175
Baths and laundries [2]	—	—	—	—	–	17	5	—	—	—
Land drainage, smallholdings etc.	5,888	6,371	6,420	6,361	8,631	8,747	10,620	12,914	13,753	7,110
Highways, lighting, parking etc.	71,206	85,184	89,498	88,989	88,159	98,423	109,199	112,155	130,303	128,630
Parks and open spaces	82	136	218	443	490	1,179	1,963	3,093	5,975	5,004
Environmental health	1,832	2,282	3,046	2,608	2,960	2,066	2,184	2,831	2,914	2,048
Town and country planning	844	2,089	3,930	3,152	3,845	6,124	6,562	9,630	17,445	10,833
Housing to which the Housing Revenue Account relates [4]	76,556	85,383	97,325	111,323	132,263	163,236	189,020	186,331	237,683	639,548
Other housing	8,607	9,657	10,687	12,558	12,185	15,905	21,625	99,025	212,159	118,475
Trading services:										
Water supply	1,660	1,930	2,007	2,104	2,423	2,334	2,549	2,663	2,760	—
Passenger transport	—	30	60	3,649	7,837	4,331	5,229	6,407	6,489	5,942
Cemeteries and crematoria	3	3	3	4	2	31	2	9	16	1
Harbours, docks and piers [3]	170	396	3,292	2,782	2,588	1,596	1,896	55	19	29
Other trading services	688	657	1,405	950	1,121	1,414	1,961	2,625	2,738	116
Other works and purposes	8,848	9,016	12,063	8,877	7,643	8,373	10,207	13,293	16,010	8,306
Not allocated to specific services:										
Local Government Acts grants [5]	917,730	1,005,719	1,292,608	1,404,584	1,610,938	1,877,392	2,175,515	2,556,617	3,103,555	4,389,630
Local taxation licence duties	1,292	1,267	1,223	1,287	1,431	1,254	1,179	1,218	1,424	344

[1] [2] [3] See footnotes [3] [5] and [9] to Table 16.34. [4] 1974/75 includes the rent rebate subsidy. [5] General grant was introduced from 1 April 1959 in place of certain specific grants under the provisions of the Local Government Act, 1958 and at the same time rate deficiency grant replaced Exchequer equalisation grants, general grant, rate deficiency grant and further specific grants were replaced from 1 April 1967 by rate-support grant introduced under the provisions of the Local Government Act, 1966: also includes from 1965/66 to 1967/68 grant under the Rating (Interim Relief) Act, 1964 and from 1967/68 rate rebate grant.

Source: Department of the Environment

Expenditure of local authorities out of revenue

Scotland

TABLE **16.38**

Years ended 15 May

£ thousand

	1964/65	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75
Total	333,264	365,840	407,313	445,030	490,873	554,399	640,745	721,624	841,587	1,001,392	1,344,103
Education	122,642	134,033	152,003	158,942	173,734	191,559	227,110	254,755	299,623	352,967	488,680
Public libraries and museums	1,806	2,032	2,212	2,421	2,624	2,934	3,513	6,750	8,022	9,564	12,796
Individual health [1] [2]	8,996	10,133	10,794	11,649	12,576	7,321	9,160	11,161	11,969	12,671	–
Public health:											
Sewerage and sewage disposal	5,740	6,529	7,452	8,194	9,493	10,500	12,901	14,283	17,303	22,510	30,033
Refuse disposal and street cleansing	9,551	10,685	11,504	12,827	14,050	16,011	18,386	20,689	23,444	28,141	36,575
Baths, washhouses and open bathing places	1,943	2,106	2,258	2,612	2,850	3,171	4,081	4,656	5,313	6,457	8,839
Parks, pleasure grounds and open spaces	5,016	5,522	5,956	6,746	7,695	8,273	10,018	11,639	14,583	18,179	26,299
Other items[3]	3,836	4,200	4,708	5,180	5,596	6,624	7,613	7,489	8,801	9,949	13,185
National assistance—accommodation and welfare[4]	5,415	6,119	6,668	7,553	8,436	22,969	26,097	33,252	43,069	56,298	77,297
Child welfare and child life protection[4]	3,698	4,051	4,415	4,996	5,609						
Housing (including small dwellings acquisition)	64,036	71,715	81,142	91,015	105,625	124,467	139,229	146,837	170,637	226,991	296,187
Allotments	8	10	7	10	20	10	12	29	6	15	14
Roads and bridges[5]	19,606	21,595	23,398	27,382	26,291	28,648	33,723	39,089	45,187	53,634	70,190
Public lighting	4,856	5,225	5,609	5,417	5,738	6,905	7,740	8,977	9,975	10,893	13,235
Fire service	4,392	4,771	4,988	5,466	6,030	6,980	7,952	9,612	11,445	13,366	18,092
Police	18,755	20,657	22,515	24,635	26,441	29,549	35,565	40,532	47,201	55,008	69,806
Administration of justice	883	949	1,050	1,207	1,320	697	837	968	974	700	845
Civil defence	966	984	923	1,321	437	232	333	375	394	221	256
Revenue-producing undertakings:											
Water supply	11,763	12,916	14,345	14,822	17,347	21,195	22,970	27,209	29,643	33,471	41,496
Passenger transport	18,480	19,276	19,401	19,881	20,456	21,536	23,919	26,153	28,322	12,199	14,773
Cemeteries	1,571	1,681	1,808	1,973	2,170	2,284	2,433	2,742	3,118	3,531	4,430
Harbours, docks, piers, etc.	6,393	6,667	6,914	6,661	9,314	8,947	9,741	10,698	11,920	12,779	15,754
Other revenue-producing undertakings (including markets and civic restaurants) [6]	889	782	1,869	3,679	3,446	4,631	5,467	5,429	5,949	6,868	7,614
Miscellaneous expenditure	12,023	13,202	15,374	20,441	23,575	28,956	31,945	38,300	44,689	54,980	97,707
Total loan charges	85,867	95,095	107,821	120,592	139,166	170,252	188,114	199,347	222,044	283,205	356,026
Loan charges included in items of expenditure above:											
Allocated to rating accounts	74,370	84,679	96,038	106,950	125,108	151,636	167,553	176,745	198,586	256,461	324,594
Allocated to revenue-producing undertakings	8,457	9,157	10,087	11,799	13,619	16,376	18,327	19,912	21,334	24,109	27,926
Not allocated	40	38	45	56	54	71	67	91	90	92	144
Loan charges included in Table 16.39[7]	3,000	1,221	1,651	1,787	385	2,169	2,167	2,599	2,034	2,543	3,362

[1] Local authority health services under the national health service. [2] From 1974/75 responsibility for local authority health services was transferred to regional health boards. [3] Including slaughterhouses. [4] Responsibility for national assistance, accommodation, child welfare and child life protection was transferred to the new Social Work departments as from 17 November 1969. [5] Excluding the Forth and Tay bridges from 1967/68. [6] Including the Forth and Tay bridges from 1967/68. [7] Excluding unexpended balances of loans repaid to lenders or paid to sinking funds.

Source: Scottish Office, Finance Division

Expenditure of local authorities on capital works [1]
Scotland

TABLE 16.39

Years ended 15 May

£ thousand

	1964/65	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75
Total	146,914	154,849	187,509	228,037	257,781	253,279	251,301	260,790	303,710	397,222	493,419
Education	22,307	20,532	21,070	29,683	38,115	41,102	40,108	40,317	51,191	55,909	62,664
Public libraries and museums	139	175	247	304	319	581	295	481	1,091	1,900	2,469
Individual health [2] [3]	502	593	591	710	832	360	466	665	751	696	—
Public health:											
Sewerage and sewage disposal	5,776	5,762	6,999	7,843	10,485	9,658	11,575	14,945	22,071	28,429	29,754
Refuse disposal and street cleansing	607	690	883	1,323	2,768	2,584	2,216	1,597	2,197	2,026	2,763
Baths, washhouses and open bathing places	469	438	627	642	1,628	1,153	1,418	1,666	1,413	1,953	2,022
Parks, pleasure grounds and open spaces	803	701	893	983	1,995	2,285	1,850	2,675	4,223	5,209	5,962
Other items [4]	486	575	469	698	547	891	1,732	1,734	1,334	1,678	1,903
National assistance—accommodation and welfare [5]	569	644	967	1,600	1,374	1,826	2,163	2,374	4,462	6,238	7,363
Child welfare and child life protection [5]	61	165	190	304	513						
Housing (including small dwellings acquisition)	78,315	82,254	103,708	119,277	131,179	125,773	121,960	122,247	127,373	184,954	243,963
Roads and bridges [6]	11,764	11,396	15,688	21,194	20,236	16,656	22,352	25,801	32,930	41,132	48,993
Public lighting	874	840	971	625	857	1,209	1,533	1,695	2,115	2,066	2,049
Fire service	454	726	810	1,102	876	714	545	517	533	372	397
Police	1,038	1,120	1,248	1,711	1,642	1,367	1,561	2,047	3,118	3,179	5,103
Administration of justice	—	2	—	75	31	65	164	129	130	49	47
Civil defence	29	21	19	19	1	—	1	3	—	15	—
Revenue-producing undertakings:											
Water supply	9,662	9,522	10,551	10,959	13,092	14,466	13,994	11,740	13,061	13,647	13,584
Passenger transport	903	482	894	1,193	722	675	1,517	1,441	2,583	746	1,512
Cemeteries	232	245	320	175	114	75	84	177	263	394	550
Harbours, docks, piers, etc.	1,971	3,560	4,608	7,166	8,321	8,812	4,027	4,715	5,464	6,224	12,376
Other revenue-producing undertakings (including markets and civic restaurants) [7]	228	330	695	2,442	2,338	1,716	795	2,009	1,643	1,272	946
Miscellaneous expenditure	9,725	14,076	15,061	18,009	19,796	21,311	20,945	21,815	25,764	39,134	48,999

[1] Expenditure out of loans, government grants for capital works and other capital receipts. [2] Local authority health services under the national health service. [3] From 1974/75 responsibility for local authority health services was transferred to regional health boards. [4] Including slaughterhouses. [5] Responsibility for national assistance, accommodation, child welfare and child life protection was transferred to the new Social Work departments as from 17 November 1969. [6] Excluding Forth and Tay bridges from 1967/68. [7] Including the Forth and Tay bridges from 1967/68.

Source: Scottish Office, Finance Division

Income of local authorities: classified according to source

Scotland

TABLE 16.40

Years ended 15 May

£ thousand

	1964/65	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75
Total income	483,234	530,772	602,356	668,865	746,872	809,927	899,134	1,013,191	1,163,491	1,428,961	1,802,292
Capital receipts: Total	143,317	157,043	181,061	214,170	249,672	248,499	242,735	256,872	296,374	389,039	479,294
Loans	133,437	145,053	163,776	191,240	223,772	228,053	215,947	222,172	250,621	341,818	418,569
Government grants	5,957	6,212	9,791	14,917	16,905	11,729	15,210	16,097	22,964	24,835	31,662
Repayments of advances under Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts	1,975	2,312	2,710	3,266	3,602	3,830	4,315	5,396	5,077	4,899	6,076
Sales and other sources	1,948	3,466	4,784	4,747	5,393	4,887	7,263	13,207	17,712	17,487	22,987
Other income: Total	339,917	373,729	421,295	454,695	497,200	561,428	656,399	756,319	867,117	1,039,922	1,322,998
Rates[1]	112,510	122,598	144,243	146,983	158,976	172,677	193,412	221,790	233,755	260,704	297,034
Payments in lieu of rates[2]	3,617	3,912	4,381	3,943	4,067	4,449	4,881	5,598	6,269	6,648	7,441
Government grants	142,931	157,419	175,010	197,252	211,110	244,390	293,939	339,911	406,783	524,587	727,467
Housing: Rents, etc[3] [4]	25,926	29,664	33,288	37,249	43,260	52,106	61,636	68,833	84,407	114,536	129,228
Allotments: Rents, etc[4]	3	3	2	2	6	2	2	4	2	2	2
Revenue-producing undertakings[4]											
Water supply	3,653	3,947	4,103	4,482	5,960	7,297	8,143	8,940	10,265	11,149	13,734
Passenger transport	18,001	19,414	18,833	18,923	19,869	21,119	22,640	24,298	26,964	10,781	12,779
Cemeteries	334	354	366	435	480	498	519	593	684	665	712
Harbours, docks, piers, etc.	6,429	6,830	6,883	6,608	9,016	8,573	8,789	11,111	14,327	15,796	18,764
Other revenue-producing undertakings (including markets and civic restaurants)[5]	863	770	1,855	3,654	3,261	4,065	4,938	5,167	5,624	6,402	6,420
Miscellaneous income (including certain tolls, fees, rents and interest)[6]	25,650	28,818	32,331	35,164	41,195	46,252	57,500	70,074	78,037	88,652	109,417

[1] From 1970/71 excludes domestic water rates. [2] British Transport Commission, South of Scotland Electricity Board and North of Scotland Hydro-Electric Board. [3] Including interest on advances under Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts. [4] Gross income apart from rates and grants. [5] From 1967/68 includes income from the Forth and Tay Road Bridges which in previous years was included with Miscellaneous income. [6] From 1970/71 includes domestic water rate.

Source: Scottish Office, Finance Division

Income of local authorities from government grants [1]

Scotland

TABLE 16.41

Years ended 15 May

£ thousand

	1964/65	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75
Total	148,888	163,631	184,801	202,445	228,015	256,107	309,149	356,008	429,747	549,422	759,129
Allocated to specific services:											
Education	9,804	10,794	11,838	2,357	104	194	429	214	317	451	661
Individual health[2] [3] [4]	3	3	1	—	3	—	8	9	9	12	—
Public health	554	535	864	676	943	1,129	668	781	921	1,010	1,047
National assistance[4]	217	234	214	250	225	574	326	276	363	607	792
Child welfare and child life protection[4]	133	146	156	167	231						
Housing	17,085	18,282	19,568	20,072	24,671	29,410	36,811	39,706	58,010	83,082	119,052
Roads and bridges[5]	9,102	9,980	13,695	13,948	15,122	11,511	13,934	15,814	19,884	22,086	27,797
Fire service	17	43	26	—	12	—	—	—	—	—	—
Police	8,608	9,433	10,073	10,751	12,011	13,205	15,881	18,244	21,226	24,607	30,930
Registration of electors	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Civil defence	746	748	717	1,210	352	163	232	310	318	149	166
Other services[5]	2,638	2,567	2,808	4,741	5,547	5,226	6,489	7,639	9,969	10,912	14,237
Grant not allocated to specific services[6]											
Local Government Acts	99,981	110,866	124,841	148,273	168,794	194,695	234,371	273,015	318,730	406,506	564,447

[1] Including grants for capital works. [2] Local authority health services under the national health service. [3] From 1974/75 responsibility for local authority health services was transferred to regional health boards. [4] Responsibility for national assistance, accommodation, child welfare and child life protection was transferred to the new Social Work departments as from 17 November 1969. [5] Excluding Forth and Tay bridges from 1967/68, when it is included with Other services. [6] Grants in lieu of rates on government property are included under Rates in Table 16.40.

Source: Scottish Office, Finance Division

Expenditure of local authorities out of revenue and special funds

Northern Ireland
Years end 31 March

TABLE 16.42

£ thousand

	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74 [2]	1974/75 [2]	1975/76 [3]
Total	89,197	100,696	111,226	117,850	129,913	139,151	159,635	183,306	96,427	33,880	43,094
Education	27,125	31,716	35,696	39,744	42,869	39,388	45,717	52,198	26,139		
Libraries, museums and art galleries	676	736	767	952	1,027	1,245	1,605	1,834	1,094	2	6
Local health authority services	3,074	3,226	3,567	3,805	4,093	5,019	5,926	6,608	3,583		
Environmental health services:											
Sewerage services	1,294	1,448	1,573	1,771	1,992	2,422	2,809	3,161	1,934		
Refuse collection and disposal	971	1,136	1,285	1,420	1,636	1,909	2,267	2,670	3,547	4,810	6,473
Public baths	233	233	270	281	344	538	648	721	920	1,336	1,977
Parks, recreation grounds, etc.	723	760	838	895	995	1,240	1,485	1,640	2,418	3,782	5,650
Other sanitary services	767	840	937	1,108	1,267	1,497	1,708	2,065	2,916	5,139	5,966
Welfare services	2,470	2,798	3,166	3,478	3,974	5,130	6,409	7,638	4,532		
Housing (grants and small dwellings acquisition) [1]	6,352	6,966	8,120	9,740	11,965	13,962	14,804	3,319	1,921	1,143	1,147
Highways and bridges	13,279	15,955	17,185	13,700	13,936	14,380	15,689	17,101	9,569		
Public lighting	642	677	711	725	811	914	1,030	1,185	494		
Trading services:											
Water supply	3,350	3,702	4,075	4,593	5,305	6,123	6,925	7,862	5,359		
Gas supply	4,412	4,609	4,671	4,166	4,470	4,935	5,241	5,675	7,026	10,540	12,486
Electricity supply	13,065	14,033	15,160	16,402	17,141	18,663	21,197	23,679			
Passenger transport	3,518	3,770	3,722	3,899	4,028	4,839	4,297	4,356			
Cemeteries	238	271	283	297	319	353	388	416	478	620	897
Other trading services (including markets, fairs and harbours)	108	105	194	137	142	160	190	200	576	1,106	1,635
Miscellaneous	6,900	7,715	9,006	10,737	13,599	16,434	21,300	40,978	23,921	5,402	6,857
Total loan charges	14,394	15,834	17,485	21,256	23,708	27,089	29,660	22,226	10,131	4,072	4,564
Loan charges included in items of expenditure above:											
Allocated to rate fund services	4,746	5,467	6,177	7,190	8,076	9,249	9,884	10,864	5,965	1,586	1,928
Allocated to trading services	4,394	4,749	5,100	5,699	6,519	7,255	7,544	8,375	3,707	1,948	2,104
Not allocated	4,385	4,983	5,809	7,091	8,544	10,086	10,543	1,005	459	538	532
Loan charges included in Table 16.43	869	635	399	1,276	569	499	1,689	1,982			

[1] During the year 1972/73 the main housing functions were transferred to the Northern Ireland Housing Executive. [2] On reorganisation of local government on 1 October 1973 the following services were transferred to central government and other bodies – education, local health and welfare authority services, water and sewerage, highways and bridges, electricity and passenger transport. [3] Figures are provisional.

Source: Department of the Environment (Northern Ireland)

Expenditure of local authorities on capital works [1]

Northern Ireland

TABLE **16.43** Years ended 31 March £ thousand

	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74 [3]	1974/75 [3]	1975/76 [4]
Total [2]	27,047	31,036	39,867	44,311	45,089	51,322	17,164	41,767	29,483	9,069	13,371
Education	4,112	4,826	6,143	6,600	5,462	5,900	5,454	7,870	3,838		
Libraries, museums and art gallaries	22	2	20	50	32	46	154	113	15	4	10
Local health authority services	185	191	138	162	285	285	306	744	529		
Environmental health services:											
Sewerage services	1,222	1,960	1,929	2,056	2,053	3,210	3,469	5,301	3,262		
Refuse collection and disposal	140	106	107	105	107	100	105	214	177	704	621
Public baths	96	202	289	606	759	460	392	339	660	619	856
Parks, recreation grounds, etc.	264	362	379	571	362	687	1,185	1,506	2,600	3,609	6,164
Other sanitary services	234	212	433	602	516	304	204	45	128	166	368
Welfare services	358	310	236	514	755	563	605	841	560		
Housing (including small dwellings acquisition) [2]	10,957	12,991	17,818	20,198	19,334	22,148	–13,674	6,387	2,030	1,477	1,301
Highways and bridges	2,323	2,022	2,047	2,442	2,926	3,563	4,681	6,386	4,025		
Public lighting	133	178	156	170	190	272	397	420	227		
Trading services:											
Water supply	2,406	3,570	4,101	5,207	7,155	6,412	7,371	5,105	6,457		
Gas supply	684	889	2,519	1,203	1,339	1,846	1,404	1,303	1,019	846	1,250
Electricity supply	2,528	2,147	1,942	1,713	2,011	2,968	2,236	2,040			
Passenger transport	36	58	436	250	588	850	64	287			
Cemeteries	41	11	22	13	40	6	9	21	27	39	33
Other trading services (including markets, fairs and harbours)	26	23	20	12	28	246	516	390	116	177	195
Miscellaneous	1,280	976	1,132	1,837	1,147	1,456	2,286	2,457	3,813	1,428	2,573

[1] Expenditure met out of loans, government grants for capital works, sales of property and other capital receipts. [2] During the year 1972/73 the main housing functions were transferred to the Northern Ireland Housing Executive. [3] On reorganisation of local government on 1 October 1973 the following services were transferred to central government and other bodies — education, local health and welfare authority services, water and sewerage, highways and bridges, electricity and passenger transport. [4] Figures are provisional.

Source: Department of the Environment (Northern Ireland)

Income of local authorities: classified according to source

Northern Ireland

TABLE 16.44

Years ended 31 March

£ thousand

	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74 [5]	1974/75 [5]	1975/76 [6]
Total income	116,651	132,368	153,122	159,693	173,565	180,425	172,133	222,268	115,212	38,682	60,671
Capital receipts: Total[1]	26,370	31,695	40,473	41,717	44,119	51,829	18,143	37,933	24,821	8,098	12,442
Loans	21,180	26,064	33,912	32,297	32,508	39,621	38,734	19,706	14,724	3,259	5,117
Government grants	3,764	4,025	4,858	7,016	8,117	8,882	10,992	12,876	7,782	3,645	5,029
Other sources[1]	1,426	1,606	1,703	2,404	3,494	3,326	−31,583	5,351	2,315	1,194	2,296
Other income: Total	90,281	100,673	112,649	117,976	129,446	128,596	153,990	184,335	90,391	30,584	31,952
Rates	17,816	20,009	21,476	23,407	25,690	28,232	32,329	36,925	26,770	12,971	20,388
Government grants	39,840	45,743	52,344	52,457	57,406	56,150	66,100	84,759	40,471	6,005	8,009
Housing[2] [3]:											
Rents etc.	4,017	4,279	5,005	5,867	6,640	7,807	7,509	3,593			
Grants and small dwellings acquisition									601	561	593
Miscellaneous income	5,287	6,150	7,229	8,626	11,196	11,815	13,510	22,234	14,045	3,464	2,962
Trading services[4]:											
Total (capital and revenue)											16,277
Gas: total	4,520	4,656	4,724	4,403	4,443	4,639	5,411	5,740	5,707	7,583	14,210
Loans											1,217
Government grants											2,764
Miscellaneous											10,229
Cemeteries: total											190
Loans											14
Government grants											—
Miscellaneous											176
Other trading: total											1,877
Loans											102
Government grants											146
Miscellaneous											1,629
Water supply	1,332	1,683	1,830	2,039	2,369	2,668	3,188	3,334	2,088		
Electricity supply	13,164	13,755	15,478	16,481	16,788	12,240	20,982	23,074			
Passenger transport	3,584	3,591	3,667	3,686	3,748	3,992	3,718	3,389			

[1] The housing functions of Belfast Corporation were transferred to the Northern Ireland Housing Executive from 1 January 1972. [2] Including annuity repayments made by borrowers under the Small Dwellings Acquisition scheme. [3] During the year 1972/73 the main housing functions were transferred to the Northern Ireland Housing Executive. [4] Reclassified in 1975/76. [5] On reorganisation of local government on 1 October 1973 the following services were transferred to central government and other bodies – education, local health and welfare authority services, water and sewerage, highways and bridges, electricity and passenger transport. [6] Figures are provisional.

Source: Department of the Environment (Northern Ireland)

Income of local authorities from government grants [1]: classified according to services

Northern Ireland

TABLE 16.45

Years ended 31 March

£ thousand

	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74 [4]	1974/75 [4]	1975/76 [5]
Total	43,604	49,768	57,202	59,471	65,522	65,032	77,093	97,635	48,253	9,650	15,948
Allocated to specific services:											
Education	17,634	19,913	23,351	24,931	27,050	21,880	24,816	28,820	11,484		
Local health authority services	1,436	1,420	1,492	1,602	1,767	2,120	2,641	2,778	1,513		
Environmental health services	1,839	2,123	3,002	3,818	4,665	4,865	5,073	6,261	4,452	4,724	6,635
Welfare services	820	1,079	1,098	1,304	1,617	1,988	2,724	3,402	1,951		
Housing[2]	2,213	2,351	2,744	3,272	4,188	4,666	6,104	1,660	984	1,085	842
Highways and bridges	10,260	12,271	13,510	10,477	10,164	9,987	11,861	15,237	5,445		
Other services	245	262	376	442	975	2,374	4,221	15,003	1,370	664	3,372
Not allocated to specific services[3]	9,157	10,349	11,629	13,625	15,096	17,152	19,653	24,474	21,054	3,177	5,099

[1] Including grants for capital works. [2] During the year 1972/73 the main housing functions were transferred to the Northern Ireland Housing Executive. [3] Assistance to local authorities under the Local Government (Finance) No. 2 Act (Northern Ireland), 1958, the Local Government (Finance) Act (Northern Ireland) 1967 and the New Towns Act (Northern Ireland) 1965. [4] On reorganisation of local government on 1 October 1973 the following services were transferred to central government and other bodies – education, local health and welfare authority services, water and sewerage, highways and bridges, electricity and passenger transport. [5] Figures are provisional.

Source: Department of the Environment (Northern Ireland)

XVII. Banking, Insurance, etc.

Bank of England

TABLE **17.1**

£ million

	1966 Dec 14	1967 Dec 13	1968 Dec 11	1969 Dec 10	1970 Dec 9	1971 Dec 8	1972 Dec 13	1973 Dec 12	1974 Dec 11	1975 Dec 10	1976 Dec 8
Issue Department											
Liabilities:											
Notes in circulation	3,036	3,160	3,282	3,370	3,592	3,785	4,379	4,788	5,520	6,138	6,858
Notes in Banking Department	14	40	18	30	58	40	21	12	5	12	17
Assets:											
Government securities[1]	3,049	3,199	3,299	3,375	3,477	3,380	3,878	4,027	5,284	5,430	5,952
Other securities	1	1	1	25	173	445	522	773	241	720	923
Banking Department											
Liabilities:											
Total[2]	584	621	671	613	744	540	630	1,982	1,595	1,766	2,647
Public deposits	12	12	12	12	11	11	21	23	18	21	17
Special deposits[3]	198	213	226	224	388	–	119	1,439	928	989	1,806
Bankers deposits	247	259	278	221	167	182	224	195	300	322	325
Reserves and other accounts[4]	112	122	140	141	163	333	252	311	334	420	484
Assets:											
Total	584	621	671	613	744	540	630	1,982	1,595	1,766	2,647
Government securities	515	454	553	461	605	369	488	1,674	1,248	1,405	1,905
Advances and other accounts[4]	27	97	62	70	42	23	41	32	189	264	640
Premises, equipment and other securities[4]	27	29	37	50	37	108	79	263	153	84	84
Notes and coin	15	41	19	32	60	40	22	13	5	13	18

[1] Including government debt £11.0 million. [2] The only liability not shown separately is Capital which has been constant at £14.6 million. [3] Deposits called from banks not at their free disposal. Until 15 September 1971, special deposits were called only from the London and Scottish Clearing banks; since then all banks and certain deposit taking finance houses have been liable to such calls. [4] Before 1972 these items were known as Other accounts and rest, Discount and advances and Other securities, and they included somewhat different items.

Source: Bank of England

Eligible liabilities, reserve assets, reserve ratios and special deposits[1] [2]

TABLE **17.2**

Banks in the United Kingdom[3]

£ million

	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total eligible liabilities[4]	22,761	30,036	31,527	33,031	36,877
of which Interest-bearing	. .	*21,198*	*21,922*	*22,450*	*25,424*
Total reserve assets	3,571	4,131	4,297	5,017	5,079
Balances with Bank of England (other than special and supplementary deposits)	222	193	298	320	325
British government and Northern Ireland, Treasury bills	341	422	387	1,836	1,639
Company tax reserve certificates	53	12	–	–	–
Money at call:					
Discount market	2,040	2,542	2,389	1,531	1,679
Other				227	208
British government stocks with 1 year or less to final maturity	481	355	487	475	517
Local authority bills eligible for rediscount at the Bank of England	76	70	142	116	71
Commercial bills[5]	358	532	590	512	640
Other assets[6]	–	5	3	–	–
Reserve ratio (per cent)	*15.7*	*13.8*	*13.6*	*15.2*	*13.8*
Special deposits	118	1,421	920	982	1,791
Rate of call (per cent)[7]	*0.5*	*5.0*	*3.0*	*3.0*	*5.0*
Supplementary deposits[8]	–	–	2	–	–

[1] Banks are required to maintain reserve assets amounting to at least 12½ per cent of their eligible liabilities. Full definitions of reserve ratio items, which were introduced on 16 September 1971, were contained in an article 'Reserve ratios: further definitions' in the *Bank of England Quarterly Bulletin,* December 1971. [2] As at second Wednesday in December. [3] Banks in Northern Ireland were not included in the figures for 1972. Additionally figures for interest-bearing eligible liabilities exclude banks in Northern Ireland in 1973 and 1974. [4] Eligible liabilities comprises, in broad terms, sterling deposit liabilities, excluding deposits having an original maturity of over two years, *plus* any sterling resources obtained by switching foreign currencies into sterling. Inter-bank transactions and transactions with the discount market (other than reserve assets) and sterling certificates of deposit (both held and issued) are taken into the calculation of individual banks' liabilities on a net basis, irrespective of term. Adjustments are also made in respect of transit items. [5] Eligible for rediscount at the Bank of England (up to a maximum of 2 per cent of eligible liabilities). [6] Certain holdings of Northern Ireland banks which qualified as reserve assets during a transitional period which ended during 1975. [7] Calls for special deposits are expressed as a uniform percentage of each bank's eligible liabilities. [8] Non-interest-bearing supplementary special deposits are payable according to increases in banks' interest-bearing eligible liabilities above specified rates of growth. The supplementary special deposit scheme was activated between December 1973 and February 1975, and again from November 1976 to August 1977.

Source: Bank of England

Currency circulation

TABLE 17.3

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Notes and coin outstanding											
Total	3,296	3,381	3,545	3,174	3,962	4,258	4,528	5,042	5,638	6,473	7,265
Bank of England notes [1] [2]	2,936.9	3,012.0	3,160.7	3,282.9	3,449.7	3,713.6	3,976.7	4,451.3	4,988.0	5,743.9	6,468.8
Scottish bank notes [3]	133.8	136.1	142.0	147.6	155.4	163.7	176.9	195.9	226.5	266.0	299.3
Northern Ireland bank notes [3]	7.8	8.9	10.9	12.9	15.3	22.0	27.1	28.4	29.6	33.8	36.3
Estimated coin [4]	218	223	231	270	341.2	358.1	347.3	366.8	393.5	429.6	460.6
Held by banks											
Bank of England [1] [4] . . .	45.3	41.1	42.1	43.4	40.6	35.5	26.9	25.9	23.9	26.4	16.1
Scottish banks [3]	145.9	148.0	154.1	160.8	168.1	175.8	188.8	211.8	239.2	282.3	317.0
Northern Ireland banks [3] .	10.4	11.7	13.9	15.7	18.4	24.6	28.4	30.3	31.4	36.0	39.0
London clearing banks [1] . .	484.1	509.9	530.5	582.4	633.2	653.0	604.6	57.4	716.3	736.9	722.3
Average estimated circulation with the public [5]	2,610	2,670	2,805	2,912	3,101	3,369	3,679	4,117	4,627	5,392	6,170

[1] Average of Wednesdays. [2] Including Bank of England notes held by the Scottish and Northern Ireland banks as cover for their note issues in excess of the authorised circulation. [3] Average of Saturdays in the thirteen four-week periods as published in *The London Gazette* or in *The Belfast Gazette,* with as close a correspondence as possible to the calendar year. [4] Excluding coin in the Bank of England Issue Department. [5] Weekly averages—Residual figures; they include small amounts of notes and coin held by other banks.

Source: Bank of England

Bank clearing [1]

TABLE 17.4

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Credit clearing											
Total [2] [3]	9,482	10,156	11,641	13,639	10,969	12,729	14,006	16,255	18,580	22,089	26,946
Debit clearing											
Total	455,468	561,858	600,162	699,810	773,087	844,350	1,071,833	1,457,238	1,641,088	1,795,833	2,205,286
Bankers' Clearing House											
Total	452,253	558,653	599,546	699,192	772,464	843,626	1,071,121	1,456,420	1,640,190	1,794,767	2,204,091
Town	384,473	485,954	515,727	606,603	678,581	738,094	947,372	1,310,885	1,479,238	1,605,547	1,980,730
General	67,780	72,699	83,819	92,589	93,883	105,532	123,749	145,535	160,952	189,220	223,361
Provincial clearing houses											
Total	3,215	3,205	616	618	623	724	712	818	898	1,066	1,195

[1] Figures are not strictly comparable throughout owing to changes in the composition of the clearings. This table includes only inter-bank clearings. [2] The 1970 figure is not comparable with earlier figures owing to mergers among the London Clearing banks. [3] Figures from 1971 are not comparable with earlier figures, owing to the exclusion of credit transfers processed by the Bankers' automated Clearing Service.

Source: Bankers' Clearing House

UK banking sector: liabilities and assets outstanding [1]

TABLE 17.5

End-year

£ million

	1970	1971	1972[2]	1973[2]	1974	1975[2]	1976
Liabilities							
Total	33,727	39,623	53,234	74,693	88,153	107,704	136,298
Public sector [3] deposits							
Sterling	501	544	625	725	656	924	921
Other currencies						39	73
Private sector deposits							
Sterling	13,845	15,978	20,739	26,944	29,559	30,768	33,525
Other currencies	509	430	802	1,432	2,398	2,939	3,891
Overseas deposits							
Sterling	1,818	2,788	2,649	2,959	3,686	3,825	3,966
Other currencies	14,870	17,220	24,953	38,460	46,999	63,192	86,786
Non-deposit liabilities (net)	2,184	2,663	3,466	4,173	4,855	6,017	7,136
Assets							
Total	33,727	39,623	53,234	74,693	88,153	107,704	136,298
Lending to public sector							
Sterling	7,444	9,129	8,143	9,277	8,907	11,966	11,803
Other currencies	26	44	48	909	1,980	2,648	3,529
Lending to private sector							
Sterling	9,643	11,253	17,132	22,937	26,671	25,359	28,464
Other currencies	1,143	1,374	2,297	3,436	4,373	5,605	6,990
Lending to overseas sector							
Sterling	1,054	1,372	1,775	1,967	2,256	3,184	3,834
Other currencies	14,417	16,451	23,839	36,167	43,966	58,942	81,678

[1] The banking sector comprises all banks in the United Kingdom together with the National Giro, the discount market, and the Bank of England, Banking Department. Inter bank items are excluded and adjustments made to allow for transit items. Figures for other currencies are affected by changes in exchange rates. [2] During 1972, the inclusion of new contributors added about 700 to total assets and liabilities, and during 1973 further new contributions added 70; during 1975 changes in statistical reporting and the number of contributors added about 400. [3] Before the introduction of new statistical returns during 1975 all UK residents' deposits in foreign currency were allocated to the private sector.

Source: Bank of England

Banks in the United Kingdom: summary of all banks in the United Kingdom [1] [2]

1971–1974

TABLE 17.6

£ million

	1971	1972 [3]	1973 [3]	1974
Current and deposit accounts				
All holders				
Total	46,856	65,433	95,490	109,484
Sterling	22,047	30,772	41,125	43,723
Other currencies	24,809	34,661	54,364	65,761
UK banks				
Sterling	2,200	4,573	7,694	8,582
Other currencies	5,996	8,631	13,755	15,511
UK residents				
Sterling	15,063	18,860	24,915	27,448
Other currencies	470	697	1,312	2,375
Overseas residents				
Sterling	2,542	2,414	2,534	3,374
Other currencies	16,418	22,260	34,867	42,787
Negotiable certificates of deposit				
Sterling	2,242	4,926	5,983	4,318
US dollars	1,924	3,072	4,429	5,088
Coin, notes and balances with Bank of England	1,030	1,161	1,237	1,440
Balances with other UK banks				
Sterling	2,103	4,450	7,688	8,569
Other currencies	6,300	8,824	14,160	15,612
Money at call and short notice				
Discount houses	2,210	1,914	2,148	2,380
Other borrowers	367	364	400	302
Sterling bills discounted				
Total	1,677	1,260	1,426	1,704
Treasury bills	329	354	430	400
Other UK bills	1,151	780	849	1,065
Other	196	126	147	239
Special and supplementary deposits	–	117	1,421	921
Government stocks				
Total	2,797	1,944	1,962	1,846
Up to 5 years to maturity	1,876	1,522	1,525	1,453
Over 5 years and undated	921	422	437	393
Sterling loans to local authorities	2,224	2,182	2,185	1,703
Advances				
Total	27,113	40,618	60,245	73,314
UK residents				
Sterling	8,526	14,479	20,057	23,082
Other currencies				
Public sector	–	11	76	1,940
Private sector	1,413	2,233	3,984	4,190
Overseas residents				
Sterling	749	1,224	1,304	1,481
Other currencies	16,425	22,671	34,824	42,622
Negotiable sterling certificates of deposit	1,160	2,945	3,296	2,658
Other assets				
Sterling	787	810	997	970
Other currencies	910	1,337	1,869	2,145
Acceptances	891	1,193	1,828	2,698

[1] This table covers all banks observing the minimum 12½ per cent reserve ratio introduced in September 1971, including the six money-trading departments which observed an undefined assets multiple. The Bank of England, Banking Department, the National Giro and other discount market institutions observing an undefined assets multiple are excluded. Detailed notes can be found in the *Bank of England Statistical Abstract* No. 2, page 64. A new series of banking statistics was introduced in May 1975. Because many items in the new series are incompatible with those in the old series, figures for 1975 and 1976 are shown in Table 17.7 [2] As at second Wednesday in December. [3] From 1972 the statistics include figures for the five finance houses recognised or confirmed as banks in January 1972. Their inclusion added £1,046 million to sterling deposits. From 1973 a sixth such finance house and some other banks were included. Their inclusion added £240 million to sterling deposits and £62 million to currency deposits.

Source: Bank of England

Banks in the United Kingdom [1] [2] [3]: summary

TABLE 17.7

£ million

	1975	1976
Liabilities		
Notes outstanding	315	349
Sterling deposits		
Total	43,941	48,642
Sight deposits		
Total sight deposits	14,141	16,145
UK banking sector	925	1,267
Other United Kingdom	11,736	13,294
Overseas	1,480	1,583
Time deposits		
Total time deposits	26,820	29,157
UK banking sector	6,490	7,343
Other United Kingdom	18,292	19,848
Overseas	2,039	1,967
Certificates of deposit	2,979	3,340
Other currency deposits		
Total	85,152	114,831
Sight and time deposits		
UK banking sector	19,022	23,310
Other United Kingdom	2,678	3,764
Overseas	56,943	77,897
Certificates of deposit	6,509	9,860
Sterling and other currencies		
Items in suspense and transmission	2,124	2,216
Capital and other funds	8,168	9,084
Total liabilities/assets	139,700	175,123
Eligible liabilities		
Total	33,031	36,877
Interest-bearing	22,450	25,424
Reserve ratio (per cent)	*15.2*	*13.8*
Sterling assets		
Notes and coin	1,154	1,154
Reserve assets		
Total	5,017	5,079
Balances with Bank of England	320	325
Money at call		
Discount market	1,531	1,679
Other	227	208
UK and Northern Ireland Treasury bills	1,836	1,639
Other bills		
Local authority	116	71
Commercial	512	640
British government stocks up to 1 year	475	517
Special and supplementary deposits	982	1,791

[1] An article describing the main features of the series of banking statistics introduced in May 1975 may be found in the *Bank of England Quarterly Bulletin,* June 1975. The table covers all banks observing the minimum 12½ per cent reserve ratio introduced on 16 September 1971; it excludes the Banking Department of the Bank of England, the National Giro, and the six money trading departments of listed banks, together with other institutions observing an undefined assets multiple. Detailed notes to this table can be found in the notes to Table 2 in the *Bank of England Quarterly Bulletin.* [2] Other currency figures are affected by changes in exchange rates. [3] As at second Wednesday in December.

Source: Bank of England

Banks in the United Kingdom [1] [2] [3] : summary

TABLE **17.7** (*continued*)

£ million

	1975	1976
Sterling assets (*continued*)		
Market loans (other than reserve assets)		
Banks in United Kingdom	7,039	8,146
Loans to discount market	698	273
Certificates of deposit	1,778	1,793
UK local authorities	2,382	2,644
UK public corporations	192	89
UK private sector	344	276
Overseas	431	615
Bills (other than reserve assets)	531	614
Advances		
Total	24,190	27,314
UK public sector	367	381
UK private sector	21,544	24,294
Overseas	2,280	2,638
Investments		
British government stocks		
Over 1 year and up to 5 years	1,550	1,422
Over 5 years and undated	344	381
Other		
Public sector	109	106
Other	1,442	1,434
Sterling and other currencies		
Miscellaneous assets		
Items in suspense and collections	3,214	3,558
Assets leased	87	109
Other	2,231	2,350
Other currency assets		
Market loans and advances		
Total	84,839	114,502
of which Advances	*23,130*	*30,239*
Banks in United Kingdom and discount market	18,996	23,216
Certificates of deposit	1,762	1,962
UK public sector	2,627	3,533
UK private sector	5,483	6,901
Overseas	55,972	78,889
Bills	318	397
Investments		
Total:	829	1,078
United Kingdom	49	53
Overseas	780	1,024
Acceptances		
Sterling	1,888	2,172
Other currencies	194	287

See footnotes on page 416.

Source: Bank of England

British banks, Overseas banks and Consortium banks[1] [2]

1976

TABLE 17.8

£ million

	London clearing banks [3]	Scottish clearing banks [4] [12]	Northern Ireland banks [5] [13]	Accepting houses [6]	Other British banks [7]	American banks [8]	Japanese banks [9]	Other Overseas banks [10]	Consortium banks [11]
Liabilities									
Notes outstanding		311	39						
Sterling deposits									
Total	24,448	2,618	919	2,674	9,107	5,065	396	2,989	427
of which									
Sight deposits	*10,780*	*1,013*	*459*	*518*	*1,720*	*875*	*30*	*677*	*72*
UK banking sector	761	97	158	547	3,389	2,085	286	1,065	216
Other United Kingdom	21,760	2,397	532	1,826	3,825	1,602	92	993	120
Overseas	1,100	49	229	173	972	334	16	633	45
Certificates of deposit	827	75	–	128	921	1,044	3	297	46
Other currency deposits									
Total	5,038	629	24	3,680	11,597	42,514	16,027	28,256	7,068
UK banking sector	1,156	339	24	1,102	2,770	5,992	3,892	5,311	2,726
Other United Kingdom	544	57	–	377	552	1,351	62	779	41
Overseas	2,989	151	1	2,112	7,353	29,609	11,175	20,354	4,153
Certificates of deposit	349	82	–	88	922	5,561	897	1,812	149
Total (including capital and other liabilities)	35,032	4,197	1,113	7,191	23,232	48,024	16,502	31,802	8,030
Eligible liabilities	20,442	2,243	653	1,753	5,830	3,497	324	1,990	144
Reserve ratio (per cent)	*13.4*	*13.4*	*14.3*	*15.0*	*13.8*	*13.8*	*14.5*	*16.2*	*21.3*
Sterling assets									
Notes and coin	759	346	20	1	23	1	–	4	–
Reserve assets									
Total	2,734	301	93	263	805	483	47	322	31
Balances with Bank of England	314	1	–	–	8	1	–	1	–
Money at call	789	102	22	164	377	205	33	185	9
UK and Northern Ireland Treasury bills	795	94	50	63	269	234	13	105	17
Other bills	430	58	10	34	113	42	1	21	3
British government stocks up to 1 year	406	46	11	2	38	1	–	10	2
Special deposits	1,009	110	–	86	286	176	18	96	10
Market loans (other than reserve assets)									
Banks in the United Kingdom and discount market	2,646	203	67	686	2,599	1,049	70	883	218
Certificates of deposit	374	82	16	212	556	374	–	113	66
UK local authorities	393	59	48	476	965	329	–	293	81
Other	134	10	180	93	306	78	18	141	21
Bills (other than reserve assets)	121	13	10	77	240	54	5	84	10
Advances									
United Kingdom	13,202	1,668	411	1,016	4,165	2,540	242	1,221	190
Overseas	2,115	118	7	55	137	54	45	97	10
Investments									
British government stocks over 1 year and undated	1,173	114	45	48	282	91	–	33	16
Other	902	48	6	173	318	31	–	33	28
Other currency assets									
Market loans and advances									
Total	5,077	650	36	3,501	11,561	42,425	15,962	28,060	7,230
of which									
Advances	*2,174*	*421*	*7*	*1,566*	*4,491*	*8,918*	*2,687*	*6,502*	*3,473*
Banks in the United Kingdom and discount market	1,365	160	17	770	2,053	8,414	2,019	7,196	1,223
Certificates of deposit	59	4	–	187	222	547	29	779	136
UK public sector	659	88	–	23	511	1,031	282	719	219
UK private sector	630	206	2	433	1,349	2,254	477	1,393	257
Overseas	2,363	193	18	2,088	7,426	30,279	13,155	17,973	5,396
Bills	5	–	7	59	65	84	1	136	38
Investments	153	11	50	84	450	74	78	137	40
Sterling and other currencies miscellaneous assets	4,236	444	117	360	477	181	15	149	38
Acceptances	149	24	8	1,015	251	369	204	400	39

See footnotes on page 419.

Source: Bank of England

TABLE **17.8** *(continued)* **British banks, Overseas banks and Consortium banks** [1] [2]

[1] As at second Wednesday in December. [2] Other currency figures are affected by changes in exchange rates. [3] Comprises the members of the Committee of London Clearing Bankers. [4] Comprises the members of the Committee of Scottish Clearing Bankers. [5] Comprises the members of the Northern Ireland Bankers Association which includes two banks with head offices in the Republic of Ireland. The figures relate to the liabilities and assets of their banking offices situated within Northern Ireland. [6] Comprises the members of the Accepting Houses Committee together with certain of their Channel Islands and Isle of Man banking subsidiaries. [7] All other banks with majority UK ownership (excluding consortium banks where there is foreign participation), including their Channel Islands and Isle of Man subsidiaries. It also includes the Great Britain offices of the Northern Ireland banks and the UK branches of two Republic of Ireland banks which are subsidiaries of members of the Northern Ireland Bankers Association. [8] Branches and subsidiaries of American banks including subsidiaries operating in the Channel Islands. [9] The UK branches of Japanese banks. [10] All other branches and subsidiaries of foreign banks, including Channel Island subsidiaries. [11] Banks which are owned by other banks, but in which no one bank has a direct shareholding of more than 50 per cent and in which at least one shareholder is an overseas bank. [12] Notes outstanding includes the 'authorised' circulation which was approximately £2.7 million at the date shown; the remaining notes are covered by holdings of Bank of England notes and by coin. These form part of notes and coin which also includes the banks' holdings of each others notes. [13] Includes the 'authorised' circulation which was approximately £2 million at the date shown.

Source: Bank of England

Analysis of advances in sterling and foreign currencies to UK residents by banks in the United Kingdom [1] [2]

Amouts outstanding

TABLE **17.9**

£ million

	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972[3]	1973	1974	1975[4]	1976
Advances to UK residents									
Total	7,020	7,595	8,602	10,102	15,935	24,789	30,914	30,031	34,956
of which:									
In sterling	6,594	7,046	7,714	8,792	13,873	21,159	25,352	22,230	24,866
In foreign currencies	426	549	888	1,310	2,062	3,630	5,562	7,801	10,090
Manufacturing									
Total manufacturing	2,419	3,059	3,667	3,669	4,977	6,658	9,374	7,080	8,549
of which In sterling	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	*5,768*	*6,878*
Food, drink and tobacco	290	366	400	399	490	757	1,289	1,220	1,474
Chemicals and allied industries	202	237	287	326	422	568	919	970	1,440
Metal manufacture	164	170	189	149	216	278	400	456	560
Electrical engineering	314	390	446	384	503	709	908	578	617
Other engineering and metal goods	539	635	809	865	1,300	1,671	2,201	1,286	1,476
Shipbuilding	110	181	274	354	675	882	1,041	443	453
Vehicles	222	395	455	424	528	612	940	472	484
Textiles, leather and clothing	239	280	303	297	337	477	583	543	671
Other manufacturing	339	404	504	471	506	703	1,093	1,111	1,373
Other production									
Total other production	996	994	1,108	1,280	1,878	2,903	3,569	3,334	3,946
of which In sterling	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	*2,775*	*3,030*
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	533	527	536	590	690	806	965	1,018	1,111
Mining and quarrying	93	95	111	150	217	230	405	792	1,287
Construction	370	372	460	540	971	1,867	2,199	1,524	1,547
Financial									
Total financial	944	936	1,019	1,553	3,354	5,985	6,974	6,639	7,119
of which In sterling	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	*4,489*	*4,551*
Hire-purchase finance houses[5][6]	129	106	94	179	284	440	460	451	546
Property companies	334	323	341	499	1,153	2,321	2,820	2,893	2,789
UK banks[5]	51	68	76	98	208	487	884	. .	. .
of which In sterling	. .	. .	*41*	*39*	*91*	*222*	*468*	. .	. .
Other financial	430	440	508	777	1,709	2,737	2,828	3,295	3,786
Services									
Total services	1,671	1,726	1,799	2,196	3,101	5,167	6,960	9,007	11,096
of which In sterling	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	*5,251*	*6,200*
Transport and communications	171	225	214	268	409	801	1,030	1,368	1,568
Public utilities and national government	78	70	64	177	283	654	1,335	2,087	2,693
Local government[5]	61	66	59	69	123	247	350	523	611
Retail distribution	371	350	355	407	498	733	948	1,112	1,232
Other distribution	429	466	507	590	741	997	1,271	1,662	2,466
Professional scientific and miscellaneous	561	549	601	685	1,046	1,735	2,026	2,256	2,526
Persons									
Total persons	990	880	1,009	1,404	2,625	4,076	4,037	3,972	4,245
of which In sterling	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	*3,946*	*4,208*
For house purchase	374	379	411	484	803	1,133	1,251	1,291	1,364
Other[6]	616	501	598	920	1,821	2,942	2,786	2,681	2,881

[1] The analysis of bank advances is based on the Standard Industrial Classification. Prior to 1975 the statistics relate to banks in Great Britain only; from 1975 advances by banks in Northern Ireland are included. [2] As at third Wednesday in November. [3] Because of difficulties in classification it is not possible for 1972 to include advances made by the five finance houses recognised or confirmed as banks in January 1972. Their advances totalled £1,261 million at mid-November 1972. In May 1972 £734 million (London clearing banks £697 million, Scottish clearing banks £37 million) of fixed-rate credits and short-term export finance, previously included in Sterling bills discounted was transferred to Advances. The categories mainly affected were Electrical engineering (£72 million), Other engineering and metal goods (£212 million), Shipbuilding (£164 million), Vehicles (£118 million) and Construction (£94 million). [4] In May 1975 a new series of statistics was produced which prevents direct comparison with previous years, despite the similarity in categories. (The Total excludes advances to UK banks, all lending under special schemes for exports, and refinanced lending for domestic shipbuilding. [5] Excluding funds placed through the specialised financial markets. [6] £95 million of lending previously classified to Hire purchase finance houses was reclassified in August 1974 as Other personal.

Source: Bank of England

Discount Market [1]

TABLE 17.10

Mid-December

£ million

	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Assets							
Total	2,248	2,704	2,547	2,517	2,821	2,814	2,869
Treasury bills	813	635	488	269	535	819	563
Other bills[2]: Sterling	692	494	574	628	1,352	980	1,019
Other currencies				10	8	14	15
British government securities[3]	146	465	95	25	13	96	261
Certificates of deposit: Sterling	246	418	420	923	401	303	403
US dollar	38	83	134	110	84	129	175
Local authority securities	222	448	636	387	346	315	280
Other assets: Sterling	91	161	200	155	81	157	151
Other currencies[4]				10	1	1	2
Borrowed funds[5]							
Total	2,149	2,595	2,453	2,456	2,708	2,679	2,735
Bank of England, Banking Dept.	—	—	16	—	—	—	361
Other UK banking sector: Sterling	1,944	2,273	2,060	2,133	2,393	2,262	1,934
Other currencies[4]				85	68	84	155
Other sources: Sterling	205	322	377	195	222	274	251
Other currencies[4]				43	25	59	34

[1] Before 1975 this group comprised the members of the London Discount Market Association. From 1975, figures for two discount brokers' houses and the money trading departments of six banks carrying on an essentially similar type of business have also been included. Also in 1975 new statistical forms were introduced; from then on the definition of certain items may be slightly revised; all figures are at book value. [2] Including local authority and public sector bills. [3] Before 1975 this item is shown at nominal values. [4] Included with sterling items before 1973. [5] Excluding capital and reserves.

Source: Bank of England

Public sector borrowing requirement, Domestic credit expansion and money stock: changes during the year

TABLE 17.11

£ million

	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Public sector borrowing requirement[1]	+2,047	+4,168	+6,336	+10,515	+9,512
Sales (-) of public sector debt to the private sector (other than banks)	–1,006	–2,290	–3,163	–5,602	–6,089
Sterling lending to the private and overseas sectors	+5,646	+6,161	+3,724	–449	+4,081
Domestic credit expansion	+6,687	+8,039	+6,897	+4,464	+7,504
External and foreign currency finance (increase—)	–1,108	–852	–2,960	–1,374	–3,115
Other	–652	–485	–682	–760	–824
Money stock (Sterling M_3)	–4,927	+6,702	+3,255	+2,330	+3,565

[1] Public sector borrowing requirement (+); public sector surplus (—)

Source: Bank of England

Money stock

TABLE **17.12**

£ million

	1966	1967[1]	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972[1]	1973[1]	1974	1975[2]	1976
Amounts outstanding at end-year											
Notes and coin in circulation with public [3]	2,695	2,815	2,859	3,006	3,320	3,589	4,079	4,377	5,085	5,903	6,714
UK private sector sterling sight deposits [4]	5,149	5,698 5,627	5,925	5,806	6,315	7,499	8,578	8,926	9,654	11,578	12,753
Money stock (M_1)	7,844	8,513 8,442	8,784	8,812	9,635	11,088	12,657	13,303	14,739	17,481	19,467
UK private sector sterling time deposits	5,155	5,720 5,883	6,583	6,863	7,530	8,479	12,161	18,018	19,905	19,190	20,772
UK public sector sterling deposits	407	420 423	390	457	501	544	625	725	656	924	921
Money stock (Sterling M_3)	13,406	14,653 14,748	15,757	16,132	17,666	20,111	25,443	32,046	35,300	37,595	41,160
UK residents' deposits in other currencies [5] [6]	149	242 255	335	464	509	430	802	1,432	2,398	2,978	3,964
Money stock (M_3)	13,555	14,895 15,003	16,092	16,596	18,175	20,541	26,245	33,478	37,698	40,573	45,124
Changes during year [7]											
Notes and coin in circulation with public [3]	+66	+125	+52	+146	+321	+273	+495	+305	+709	+814	+811
UK private sector sterling sight deposits [4]	–63	+549	+297	–119	+509	+782	+1,022	+348	+728	+1,201	+1,175
Money stock (M_1)	+3	+674	+349	+27	+830	+1,055	+1,517	+653	+1,437	+2,015	+1,986
UK private sector sterling time deposits [5]	+430	+565	+700	+280	+667	+1,361	+3,330	+5,949	+1,887	+54	+1,582
UK public sector sterling deposits	+13	+13	+23	+67	+44	+39	+80	+100	–69	+261	–3
Money stock (Sterling M_3)	+446	+1,252	+1,072	+374	+1,541	+2,455	+4,927	+6,702	+3,255	+2,330	+3,565
UK residents' deposits in other currencies [5] [6]	+33	+93	+80	+129	+45	–89	+372	+530	+966	+572	+986
Money stock (M_3)	+479	+1,345	+1,152	+503	+1,586	+2,366	+5,299	+7,232	+4,221	+2,902	+4,551

[1] The two sets of figures at end-year 1967 show the effects of the inclusion of new contributors to the banking statistics. There were similar changes during 1972 and 1973 (see also footnote [7]). [2] The figures at end-year are affected by the introduction of new statistical returns (see also footnote [7]). [3] The estimates of levels of coin in circulation include allowance for wastage, hoarding, etc., which is now incorporated in the changes shown. [4] After deducting 60 per cent of transit items. [5] Including UK residents' holdings of certificates of deposit. [6] The figures are also affected by changes in the sterling value of other currencies. [7] As far as possible the changes exclude the effect of changes in the number of contributors to the series, and also of the introduction of new statistical returns in 1975.

Source: Bank of England

Money and bill rates

Bank rate and call money

Percentage rates operative between dates shown

TABLE 17.13

Rate per cent

	Bank rate	Call money[1]		Bank rate	Call money[1]
1965 3 June-13 July 1966	6.0	4.375	1968 21 March-18 September	7.5	5.875
1966 14 July-25 January 1967	7.0	5.375	19 September-26 February 1969	7.0	5.375
1967 26 January-15 March	6.5	4.875	1969 27 February-4 March 1970	8.0	6.25
16 March-3 May	6.0	4.375	1970 5 March-14 April	7.5	5.875
4 May-18 October	5.5	3.875	15 April-31 March 1971	7.0	5.375
19 October-8 November	6.0	4.375	1971 1 April-1 September	6.0	4.375
9 November-18 November	6.5	4.875	2 September-21 June 1972	5.0	. .
19 November-20 March 1968	8.0	6.25	1972 22 June-12 October	6.0	. .

Bank of England minimum lending rate[2]

Rate per cent

Date of change	New rate	Date of change	New rate	Date of change	New rate	Date of change	New rate	Date of change	New rate	Date of change	New rate
1972		1973		1975		1976		1977		1977	
Oct. 13	7¼	Jul. 20	9	Jan. 17	11¼	Jan. 2	11	Jan. 7	14	Aug. 5	7½
Oct. 27	7½	Jul. 27	11½	Jan. 24	11	Jan. 16	10¾	Jan. 21	13¼	Aug. 12	7
Dec. 1	7¾	Oct. 19	11¼	Feb. 7	10¾	Jan. 23	10½	Jan. 28	12¼	Sept. 9	6½
Dec. 8	8	Nov. 13	13	Feb. 14	10½	Jan. 30	10	Feb. 3	12	Sept. 16	6
Dec. 22	9	1974		Mar. 7	10¼	Feb. 6	9½	Mar. 10	11	Oct. 7	5½
1973		Jan. 4	12¾	Mar. 21	10	Mar. 5	9¼	Mar. 18	10½	Oct. 14	5
Jan. 19	8¾	Feb. 1	12½	Apr. 18	9¾	Apr. 23	10½	Mar. 31	9½		
Mar. 23	8½	Apr. 5	12¼	May 2	10	May 21	11½	Apr. 7	9¼		
Apr. 13	8	Apr. 11	12	Jul. 25	11	Sept. 10	13	Apr. 15	9		
Apr. 19	8¼	May 24	11¾	Oct. 3	12	Oct. 7	15	Apr. 22	8¾		
May 11	8	Sept. 20	11½	Nov. 14	11¾	Nov. 19	14¾	Apr. 29	8¼		
May 18	7¾			Nov. 28	11½	Dec. 17	14½	May 13	8		
Jun. 22	7½			Dec. 24	11¼	Dec. 24	14½				

London clearing banks' base rates[3]

Rate per cent

Date of change	New rate	Date of change	New rate	Date of change	New rate	Date of change	New rate
1972		1974		1976		1977	
Sept. 19	7	Apr. 11	12½	Feb. 2	10	Apr. 26	9
Dec. 12 and 13	7½	May 13	12–12½	Feb. 9	9½	May 3	8½
1973		May 23 and 24	12	May 25	10½–11	Aug. 9	8
Jan. 3, 4 and 9	8¼–8½	1975		June 14	10½	Sept 13	7
Jan. 25	8½	Jan. 20 and 21	11½	Sept. 13	12	Oct. 17	6
Feb. 14 and 15	9½	Mar. 4 and 6	10¾–11	Oct. 8	13½		
Apr. 4 and 5	9	Mar. 20, 21 and 25	10¼–10½	Oct. 21	14		
May 22 and 23	8½	Apr. 21, 22 and 23	9½	1977			
Jun. 15 and 26	8	Aug. 5 and 6	10	Jan. 26	13		
Aug. 2	10	Oct. 6 and 7	11	Feb. 4	12½		
Aug. 22 and 23	11	1976		Feb. 18	11½		
Nov. 14 and 15	13	Jan. 5	10½–11	Mar. 14	10½		
		Jan. 13	10½	Mar. 31	9½		

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[1] Until 1 October 1971, the clearing banks' minimum rate of interest charged for loans to the discount market, usually a fixed margin above their deposit rate. From 1 October 1971 fixed rates have been discontinued and rates have fluctuated from day to day according to demand; the range of rates charged on the last Friday of each month is shown in *Financial Statistics*. [2] With effect from 13 October 1972 the Bank of England's minimum lending rate to the market will normally be one half per cent higher than the average rate of discount for Treasury bills established at the weekly tender, rounded to the nearest one quarter per cent above: the rate normally becomes effective, for lending by the Bank, from the following working day. [3] The rate of interest charged on advances will depend on the nature and status of the customer, but most lending is now at rates between base rate +1 per cent and base rate +5 per cent. Before October 1971 the rate paid on ordinary deposit accounts was 2 per cent, below bank rate. From then until September 1973 it was generally 1¾ per cent below base rate. Between 11 September 1973 and 28 February 1975 the banks were not allowed to pay more than 9½ per cent on deposits under £10,000. Since February 1975 the margin has widened to 4½ per cent.

Source: Bank of England

Money and bill rates

TABLE 17.13 *(continued)*

Rate per cent

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
Treasury bills: [4]												
January	5.496	6.294	7.483	6.772	7.551	6.791	4.368	8.233	12.092	10.626	9.922	12.733
February	5.576	5.994	7.451	6.970	7.595	6.753	4.368	8.083	11.920	9.906	8.748	11.023
March	5.609	5.702	7.250	7.783	7.474	6.666	4.337	8.075	11.955	9.500	8.461	9.837
April	5.617	5.393	7.077	7.784	6.967	5.751	4.298	7.696	11.515	9.257	9.182	8.306
May	5.647	5.230	7.147	7.828	6.826	5.649	4.269	7.884	11.346	9.467	10.431	7.400
June	5.689	5.271	7.209	7.888	6.869	5.605	5.209	7.040	11.229	9.430	10.958	7.452
July	6.297	5.338	7.148	7.861	6.851	5.567	5.603	8.822	11.204	9.713	10.870	7.432
August	6.702	5.638	6.951	7.795	6.816	5.756	5.792	10.938	11.237	10.428	10.878	6.542
September	6.753	5.339	6.762	7.795	6.815	4.839	6.503	10.974	11.105	10.364	12.034	5.686
October	6.606	5.604	6.514	7.719	6.814	4.634	6.736	10.773	10.922	11.430	14.018	
November	6.608	6.576	6.679	7.718	6.815	4.494	6.889	11.615	10.983	11.107	14.162	
December	6.637	7.521	6.801	7.700	6.816	4.439	7.816	12.472	10.991	10.838	13.795	
Three months' bank bills: [5]												
January	5.91	6.77	7.78	7.28	8.88	8.06	4.43	8.75	13.72	11.91	10.04	13.02
February	5.95	6.40	7.75	7.33	8.88	8.06	4.85	9.35	13.63	11.42	8.94	11.33
March	5.97	6.18	7.65	8.35	8.61	8.06	4.79	9.77	14.40	10.37	8.56	10.00
April	5.97	5.69	7.41	8.41	8.29	7.06	4.62	8.72	13.93	9.53	9.04	8.34
May	5.97	5.51	7.42	8.45	8.06	7.05	4.62	8.46	13.34	10.10	10.28	7.58
June	5.97	5.44	7.53	8.68	8.06	6.74	5.72	8.07	12.60	9.68	11.09	7.71
July	6.56	5.47	7.58	8.88	8.06	6.43	6.80	8.74	13.22	9.92	10.98	7.61
August	6.97	5.53	7.44	8.88	8.06	6.02	7.08	12.55	12.81	10.52	10.97	6.74
September	7.01	5.54	7.30	8.88	8.06	5.30	7.13	12.59	12.09	10.46	11.98	5.87
October	6.97	5.79	6.97	8.88	8.06	4.91	7.34	11.98	11.95	11.40	14.25	
November	6.93	6.88	7.02	8.88	8.06	4.77	7.84	12.40	12.09	11.19	14.30	
December	6.94	7.78	7.25	8.88	8.06	4.51	8.09	13.76	12.93	10.92	13.90	
Three months' inter-bank deposits: [6] [7]												
January				7.94	9.09	7.37	4.61	9.41	15.94	11.85	10.17	13.65
February			8.25	8.75	9.56	7.76	5.13	10.52	15.25	11.30	9.08	11.69
March			8.31	9.00	8.88	7.73	4.89	10.86	15.44	10.45	8.65	10.41
April			8.44	8.72	8.25	6.79	4.62	9.35	13.86	9.58	9.13	8.62
May			8.72	10.00	8.34	6.54	4.81	9.33	13.24	10.16	10.36	7.71
June			8.25	9.41	7.94	6.47	6.11	8.84	12.72	9.69	11.20	7.85
July			7.94	9.63	7.78	6.19	8.17	9.33	13.37	9.93	11.22	7.83
August			7.81	9.88	7.59	5.96	7.70	13.66	12.80	10.60	11.04	6.97
September			7.44	9.94	7.34	5.38	7.44	13.45	11.93	10.48	12.17	6.08
October			7.06	9.06	7.31	5.15	7.58	12.93	11.66	11.52	14.53	
November			7.56	9.06	7.19	4.83	8.07	14.10	12.02	11.35	14.75	
December			7.81	9.00	7.28	4.49	8.58	15.92	12.93	11.09	14.41	
Three months' local authority deposits: [6] [8]												
January	6.19	6.50	7.88	7.91	8.94	7.24	4.52	9.12	15.75	12.17	10.27	13.95
February	6.13	6.31	8.25	8.69	9.50	7.62	4.99	10.32	15.51	11.47	9.19	11.89
March	6.38	6.25	8.06	8.88	8.75	7.72	4.88	10.85	15.72	10.86	8.83	10.59
April	6.38	5.88	8.19	8.69	8.00	6.76	4.62	9.38	14.06	9.70	9.19	8.80
May	6.25	5.63	8.50	9.75	8.38	6.49	4.78	9.34	13.39	10.23	10.31	7.66
June	6.38	5.50	8.13	9.38	7.88	6.45	5.91	8.84	12.77	9.75	11.19	7.82
July	7.44	5.59	7.88	9.38	7.72	6.13	7.79	9.03	13.30	9.86	11.18	7.81
August	7.56	5.53	7.75	9.75	7.53	5.94	7.67	13.09	12.89	10.54	11.11	7.05
September	7.50	5.66	7.41	9.88	7.25	5.39	7.44	13.37	12.17	10.50	12.13	6.08
October	7.31	6.31	7.00	9.00	7.22	5.16	7.50	13.01	11.81	11.54	14.47	
November	7.25	7.63	7.38	8.88	7.13	4.86	7.82	13.85	12.09	11.47	14.92	
December	7.28	7.81	7.75	8.94	7.19	4.44	8.93	15.73	13.17	11.21	14.87	

[4] Weighted averages of discount rates at the weekly allotments of 91 day bills. [5] The mean of the discount market's buying rates. Averages of working days. [6] From January 1971 figures are averages of working days, before 1971 figures are for last working day. [7] The mean of the range over the day for three-month deposits in the inter-bank sterling market. The yield on a three-month sterling certificate of deposit is usually close to that for a three-months' inter-bank deposit. [8] For a minimum term of three months and thereafter at seven days' notice. The mean of the range over the day.

Source: Bank of England

Security yields and prices

TABLE **17.14**

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977
British government securities											
Short-dated [1]:											
(5 years)	6.66	7.59	8.81	7.89	6.68	7.68	10.45	12.51	11.48	12.06	
Medium-dated [1]:											
(10 years)	6.70	7.51	8.83	8.64	8.24	8.45	10.65	14.21	13.18	13.61	
Long-dated [1]:											
(20 years)	6.80	7.55	9.05	9.25	8.90	8.97	10.78	14.77	14.39	14.43	
2½% Consols [2]:											
Average net price	37.4	33.8	28.2	27.3	27.6	27.5	23.2	16.8	17.1	17.6	
Average flat yield	6.69	7.39	8.88	9.16	9.05	9.11	10.85	14.95	14.66	14.25	
January	6.61	7.09	8.24	8.82	9.58	8.39	9.79	12.79	16.03	13.78	13.67
February	6.40	7.13	8.40	8.53	9.45	8.40	9.89	13.49	14.94	13.54	13.47
March	6.39	7.18	8.62	8.46	9.10	8.57	10.16	13.84	13.92	13.95	12.85
April	6.34	7.18	8.78	8.81	9.13	8.68	10.23	14.61	14.58	13.97	12.55
May	6.51	7.26	9.08	9.37	9.22	8.92	10.34	14.11	15.22	13.72	12.41
June	6.68	7.46	9.46	9.51	9.37	9.34	10.38	14.73	14.70	14.01	12.85
July	6.87	7.55	9.06	9.27	9.16	9.35	10.84	15.13	14.06	13.95	13.11
August	6.80	7.44	9.18	9.18	9.24	9.46	11.37	15.65	14.12	14.11	12.56
September	6.79	7.43	9.22	9.39	8.76	9.58	11.60	15.14	14.08	14.47	11.52
October	6.87	7.44	8.76	9.29	8.59	9.59	11.31	15.93	14.90	15.43	
November	7.02	7.63	8.92	9.78	8.57	9.58	11.89	16.89	14.79	15.22	
December	7.13	7.99	8.94	9.69	8.62	9.71	12.38	17.10	14.86	14.82	
Industrial securities [3]											
Debentures [4]:											
Price index	94.1	87.6	71.9	70.5	73.7	76.0	65.5	45.3	46.3	48.7	
Average yield	7.56	8.24	10.30	10.50	10.05	9.72	11.40	16.44	15.95	15.19	
Preference shares:											
Price index	103.6	100.5	82.7	77.3	76.0	83.5	71.5	54.6	62.0	65.5	
Average dividend yield	6.92	7.25	9.05	9.83	10.23	9.26	10.97	15.00	15.26	14.48	
Ordinary shares [5]:											
Price index	114.9	162.4	160.5	142.2	168.1	214.0	185.3	108.8	136.0	162.9	
Average dividend yield	5.16	3.69	3.90	4.52	3.96	3.31	4.10	8.00	6.70	6.16	
January	5.87	4.43	3.20	3.85	4.54	3.37	3.50	5.29	10.84	5.38	6.14
February	5.87	4.31	3.38	4.00	4.61	3.31	3.82	5.41	7.34	5.34	5.88
March	5.72	4.26	3.51	4.21	4.69	3.23	3.93	5.85	6.71	5.37	5.72
April	5.41	3.86	3.59	4.32	4.33	3.16	3.85	6.10	6.49	5.37	5.81
May	5.28	3.68	3.79	4.84	3.89	3.14	3.87	6.32	6.09	5.41	5.39
June	5.25	3.60	4.09	4.95	3.88	3.36	3.79	7.14	6.05	5.87	5.53
July	5.14	3.42	4.24	4.88	3.67	3.31	4.06	7.58	6.52	5.93	5.61
August	5.06	3.35	4.26	4.76	3.63	3.19	4.20	8.72	6.76	6.31	5.33
September	4.82	3.28	4.20	4.68	3.54	3.41	4.48	9.73	6.17	6.77	4.96
October	4.60	3.42	4.27	4.39	3.61	3.50	4.15	10.24	6.00	7.74	
November	4.40	3.40	4.20	4.68	3.70	3.43	4.40	11.16	5.66	7.49	
December	4.47	3.33	4.08	4.67	3.51	3.33	5.28	12.48	5.75	6.91	

[1] Gross redemption yields derived from yield-maturity curves fitted mathematically. The figures are averages of end-month yields. The original method of calculation was described in the *Bank of England Quarterly Bulletin,* March 1967. Subsequent modifications to the method are described in the *Bank of England Quarterly Bulletin,* December 1972, September 1973 and June 1976. [2] Averages of working days, based on the mean of the middle opening and middle closing prices each day, excluding gross accrued interest; tax is ignored. [3] The series are arithmetic averages of daily figures from the F.T.—Actuaries Share Indices. Price indices (using weighted arithmetic averages) are based on 10 April 1962 = 100. [4] Based on 15 redeemable debentures, weighted to give average term to maturity of 20 years. The yields used are redemption yields. [5] Based on 500 shares.

Sources: Bank of England; *Financial Times;* Institute of Actuaries; Faculty of Actuaries

TABLE 17.15

Securities quoted on The Stock Exchange [1]

At last working day in March

£ million

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974[1]	1975	1976	1977
Total of all securities at market values	82,033	103,331	131,679	120,040	120,504	149,531	167,290	176,898	210,269	273,849	293,228
British government and government guaranteed stocks[2]											
Nominal values	21,706	21,928	20,881	21,569	22,533	25,019	26,807	27,717	30,854	36,530	42,090
Market values	17,720	17,089	14,739	16,041	17,108	20,679	20,050	17,294	22,111	26,758	36,548
Other securities at market values:											
Irish government stocks								590	553	990	1,658
Corporation stocks, public boards, etc.	1,530	1,603	1,617	1,769	1,866	2,163	1,988	1,819	2,167	2,564	2,775
Dominion and foreign government and corporation stocks	1,561	1,830	2,103	2,009	1,889	2,392	2,777	2,626	2,061	3,240	4,005
Company securities											
Total	61,222	82,808	113,220	100,220	99,640	124,298	142,475	154,570	183,377	240,297	248,242
Loan capital	3,186	3,523	4,027	4,494	4,673	6,444	5,901	4,415	4,238	4,381	4,764
Preference and preferred capital	1,272	1,153	937	798	862	958	813	687	673	779	813
Ordinary and deferred capital	53,150	73,872	102,937	89,598	89,089	112,174	130,367	142,803	170,929	225,614	233,514
Shares of no par value	3,613	4,261	5,319	5,330	5,015	4,722	5,394	6,665	7,537	9,523	9,152

[1] At the end of March 1973 the stock exchanges of the United Kingdom and the Republic of Ireland, united to form one exchange (The Stock Exchange). Prior to 1974 the figures relate to the London Stock Exchange only. [2] Excluding marketable unlisted securities; including all outstanding amounts of 4% Victory Bonds and 4% Funding Loan, 1960–90 (that is, amounts for death duties and held by the National Debt Commissioners are included).

Source: Council of The Stock Exchange

Capital issues and redemptions in the United Kingdom [1]

TABLE 17.16

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total issues and redemptions											
Gross issues	1,050.9	908.6	1,050.5	1,039.6	810.7	1,263.3	1,674.9	754.9	849.2	2,537.3	2,296.8
Gross redemptions	205.0	204.1	334.2	355.3	447.2	490.3	574.7	586.2	771.0	986.3	1,182.5
Issues *less* redemptions:											
Total	845.9	704.5	716.3	684.3	363.6	773.0	1,100.2	168.7	78.2	1,551.0	1,114.3
Loan capital	657.9	629.5	351.9	474.4	268.0	508.0	381.8	6.9	–57.8	226.6	27.9
Preference shares	28.4	–2.4	–10.0	–0.6	12.4	11.4	32.6	21.7	15.6	40.1	31.0
Ordinary shares	159.6	77.4	374.4	210.5	83.2	253.6	685.8	140.1	120.4	1,284.3	1,055.4
United Kingdom borrowers:											
Total	889.8	698.4	759.8	692.3	376.0	783.2	1,128.3	198.5	136.3	1,588.3	1,188.1
Local authorities	189.1	215.1	122.0	73.2	100.2	246.6	83.1	–15.6	27.2	186.0	107.8
Listed public companies:											
Total	700.7	483.3	637.8	619.1	275.8	536.6	1,045.2	214.1	109.1	1,402.3	1,080.3
Listed securities	681.3	455.9	619.0	603.8	275.8	536.6	1,040.1	202.0	103.1	1,373.0	1,070.2
Unlisted securities	19.4	27.4	18.8	15.3	–	–	5.1	12.1	6.0	29.3	10.1
Overseas borrowers:											
Total	–43.9	6.1	–43.5	–8.0	–12.4	–10.2	–28.1	–29.8	–58.1	–37.3	–73.8
Commonwealth	–41.8	19.5	–35.7	–31.9	–9.3	–48.5	–36.2	–37.3	–49.8	–35.8	–51.1
Other countries	–2.1	–13.4	–7.8	23.9	–3.1	38.3	8.1	7.5	–8.3	–1.5	–22.7
Public authorities	–43.0	6.5	–41.5	–38.3	–19.5	–28.1	–33.7	–37.9	–55.2	–46.1	–68.0
Public companies	–0.9	–0.4	–2.0	30.3	7.1	17.9	5.6	8.1	–2.9	8.8	–5.8
United Kingdom listed public companies											
All companies:											
Total	700.7	483.3	637.8	619.1	275.8	536.6	1,045.2	214.1	109.1	1,402.3	1,080.3
Loan capital	513.7	408.3	273.4	410.7	187.4	273.1	332.8	55.6	–26.9	91.8	–4.4
Preference shares	28.4	–2.4	–10.0	–0.6	12.4	11.4	32.6	21.7	15.6	40.1	31.0
Ordinary shares	158.6	77.4	374.4	209.0	76.0	252.1	679.8	136.8	120.4	1,270.4	1,053.7
Financial companies:											
Total	125.9	67.7	155.6	107.4	82.1	173.4	489.5	64.7	127.7	377.4	290.3
Loan capital	86.3	55.2	79.3	74.5	45.2	70.3	91.0	26.0	44.7	61.7	7.3
Preference shares	4.4	–	0.4	0.5	–	–	14.1	–	–	–	–1.0
Ordinary shares	35.2	12.5	75.9	32.4	36.9	103.1	384.4	38.7	83.0	315.7	284.0
Other companies:											
Total	574.8	415.6	482.2	511.7	193.7	363.2	555.7	149.4	–18.6	1,024.9	790.0
Loan capital	427.4	353.1	194.1	336.2	142.2	202.8	241.8	29.6	–71.6	30.1	–11.7
Preference shares	24.0	–2.4	–10.4	–1.1	12.4	11.4	18.5	21.7	15.6	40.1	32.0
Ordinary shares	123.4	64.9	298.5	176.6	39.1	149.0	295.4	98.1	37.4	954.7	769.7

[1] See footnote on page 428.

Source: Bank of England

Capital issues and redemptions in the United Kingdom [1]

TABLE 17.16 *(continued)*

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
United Kingdom listed public companies											
Financial companies:											
Total	125.9	67.7	155.6	107.4	82.1	173.4	489.5	64.7	127.7	377.4	290.3
Banks and discount houses	19.8	0.7	23.8	11.8	27.0	4.4	70.3	19.0	35.0	52.9	197.2
Hire purchase finance houses	3.6	10.0	3.0	1.7	0.4	20.2	0.3	3.2	–	–	–
Insurance companies	10.7	6.7	14.7	2.8	1.5	–	35.7	–	62.4	238.3	105.8
Investment trust companies	55.0	29.0	95.0	50.2	19.1	116.1	361.1	21.2	4.3	–0.1	–14.5
Special finance agencies	36.8	21.3	19.1	40.9	34.1	32.7	22.1	21.3	26.0	86.3	1.8
Other companies:											
Total	574.8	415.6	482.2	511.7	193.7	363.2	555.7	149.4	–18.6	1,024.9	790.0
Manufacturing industries:											
Total	430.4	312.9	313.1	276.5	121.7	149.5	223.0	67.9	–8.0	686.3	532.0
Food, drink and tobacco	44.6	70.3	66.2	11.3	–2.1	34.5	45.6	2.8	–9.9	122.2	27.3
Chemicals and allied industries	152.7	44.4	35.3	19.9	14.5	53.8	5.6	–1.6	–5.3	56.5	223.5
Metal manufacture	18.2	3.5	17.1	32.1	26.7	16.2	1.8	6.1	–0.3	32.3	37.1
Engineering, shipbuilding and electrical goods	86.8	45.5	94.6	69.6	40.8	18.5	60.4	1.8	0.1	88.0	142.8
Vehicles	39.4	60.6	36.3	7.0	3.7	–14.5	55.5	38.0	–0.6	237.6	10.2
Textiles	13.3	24.4	14.6	26.0	2.1	8.9	15.9	1.8	–0.7	0.3	40.3
Clothing and footwear	2.6	1.7	–0.1	3.1	3.4	0.7	4.1	–0.2	–0.1	–1.0	–2.6
Paper, printing and publishing	13.4	15.8	18.2	47.8	3.4	3.1	1.0	3.5	8.4	21.4	41.0
Other	59.4	46.7	30.9	59.7	29.2	28.3	33.1	15.7	0.4	129.0	12.4
Public utilities, transport and communication	11.3	14.3	12.2	13.8	16.3	33.8	31.2	12.9	15.5	55.5	41.3
Distributive trades	48.4	12.6	42.8	80.4	2.7	2.3	26.6	4.2	0.3	62.7	46.2
Property companies	38.7	41.9	16.8	62.9	22.1	46.5	108.7	9.1	–17.3	72.3	19.2
Rest	46.0	33.9	97.3	78.1	30.9	131.1	166.2	55.3	–9.1	148.1	151.3

[1] The estimates relate to new money raised by issues of ordinary, preference and loan capital (public issues, offers for sale, issues by tender, placings, and issues to shareholders and employees) by listed public companies and local authorities in the United Kingdom; and by overseas public companies and public authorities. Overseas public authorities include local authorities and international organisations. The estimates include United Kingdom local authority negotiable bonds (of not less than one year) issues to or through the agency of banks, discount houses, issuing houses or brokers. Mortgages, bank advances and any other loans redeemable in less than twelve months are excluded; so also are loans from United Kingdom government funds (including the Industrial Reorganisation Corporation) but not government subscriptions to company issues made *pari passu* with the market. Issues to shareholders are included only if the sole or principal share register is maintained in the United Kingdom. Estimates of issues are based on the prices at which securities are offered to the market. Subscriptions are recorded under the periods in which they are due to be paid. Redemptions relate to fixed interest securities of the kinds included as issues; conversion issues in lieu of cash repayment are included in the gross figures of both issues and redemptions. These figures include issues of debentures and loan stock carrying the right of conversion into, or subscription to, equity capital. Estimates for these issues *less* redemptions are: 1966 32.4; 1967 45.4; 1968 104.6; 1969 267.7; 1970 105.0; 1971 63.5; 1972 101.5; 1973 34.4; 1974 1.7; 1975 84.0; 1976 10.1.

The division between United Kingdom and overseas company borrowers is determined by the location of the registered office. On 1 April 1974 water, dock and harbour boards were reclassified as public corporations rather than local authorities. Special finance agencies are listed public companies engaged in the provision of medium and long-term finance to industry (e.g. ICFC). The industrial classification of companies is according to the primary occupation of the borrowing company or group and is based on the Standard Industrial Classification 1968.

The figures for total issues and redemptions exclude international issues (usually made on more than one market and through an international syndicate). Rough estimates of the amounts of such issues for which UK sponsors arranged subscriptions are: 1966 20.8; 1967 122.5; 1968 298.5; 1969 208.5; 1970 172.6; 1971 252.9; 1972 397.1; 1973 273.1; 1974 112.0; 1975 683.0; 1976 2,260.0.

Source: Bank of England

Trustee savings banks: special investment departments

TABLE **17.21**

At 20 November in each year

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Liabilities											
Total	1,126.8	1,237.2	1,336.2	1,401.8	1,503.4	1,670.2	1,917.8	2,069.2	2,094.6	2,269.8	2,555.7
Deposits [1]	1,107.0	1,215.4	1,312.6	1,375.6	1,474.4	1,636.1	1,877.1	2,025.6	2,045.1	2,216.5	2,484.5
Surpluses, reserves, etc.	19.8	21.8	23.6	26.2	29.0	34.1	40.7	43.6	49.5	53.3	71.2
Assets											
Total	1,126.8	1,237.2	1,336.2	1,401.8	1,503.4	1,670.2	1,917.8	2,069.2	2,094.6	2,269.8	2,555.7
British government securities	237.8	259.5	261.0	263.5	296.4	400.2	524.8	577.2	572.8	596.2	818.6
Dominion and colonial government securities	7.3	6.8	6.6	6.6	4.9	3.8	3.4	3.1	3.1	2.9	2.2
Municipal local government and Northern Ireland stock	204.3	257.7	293.8	315.2	351.7	396.4	472.7	493.7	477.5	463.9	443.3
Loans to local authorities:											
For term of years	617.3	630.7	683.9	725.1	696.3	697.4	751.6	849.5	805.2	998.5	931.6
Temporary	25.2	45.6	48.2	42.7	90.1	97.1	83.5	57.6	63.2	11.7	26.1
Cash and balances with banks	14.5	14.2	17.4	21.2	31.8	40.7	40.3	48.1	128.3	144.1	271.7
Premises and other assets	20.4	22.7	25.3	27.5	32.2	34.6	41.5	40.0	44.5	52.5	62.2
Average rate of interest paid on deposits in the year	*4.97*	*5.21*	*5.60*	*5.97*	*6.31*	*6.53*	*6.57*	*7.01*	*7.67*	*7.93*	*7.46*
Mean nominal interest rates at 20 November	*5.39*	*5.54*	*6.14*	*6.51*	*6.83*	*6.90*	*7.06*	*7.57*	*8.27*	*8.10*	*7.83*

[1] In 1976 includes Birmingham Municipal Trustee Savings Bank current account of £2.9 million and deferred interest of £4.0 million.

Source: National Debt Office

Building societies [1]

Great Britain

TABLE 17.22

Number and balance sheets

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Societies on register (Number)	576	554	525	504	481	467	456	447	416	382	364
Share investors (Thousands)	6,564	7,397	8,178	9,085	10,265	11,568	12,874	14,385	15,856	17,916	19,991
Depositors (Thousands)..........	588	596	619	615	618	655	675	672	641	677	712
Borrowers (Thousands)..........	2,992	3,166	3,334	3,470	3,655	3,896	4,126	4,204	4,250	4,397	4,609
Liabilities and provisions (£ million):											
Total	6,044.3	7,155.4	7,977.1	8,940.0	10,415.4	12,427.2	14,676.9	16,911.0	19,369,8	23,392.9	27,203.9
Shares	5,595.5	6,664.7	7,453.2	8,376.2	9,787.7	11,695.3	13,821.1	16,021.5	18,021.4	22,134.1	25,760.3
Deposits....................	299.2	321.9	334.9	347.4	381.6	490.5	592.2	596.3	632.8	761.9	847.6
HM Government advances	68.5	65.6	62.6	59.6	56.3	38.3	35.0	32.2	339.2	28.6	18.5
Other......................	81.1	103.1	126.4	156.8	189.6	203.2	228.5	261.1	376.4	468.3	577.5
Reserves and unappropriated surplus (£ million)	261.6	290.1	321.2	349.2	403.4	492.1	569.6	634.5	723.7	810.8	998.5
Assets (£ million)											
Total	6,305.8	7,445.5	8,298.3	9,289.3	10,818.8	12,919.3	15,246.5	17,545.5	20,093.5	24,203.7	28,202.4
Mortgages	5,218.8	6,037.5	6,900.5	7,705.3	8,751.5	10,332.0	12,545.9	14,532.4	16,029.6	18,801.9	22,564.5
Investments [2]	905.5	1,198.0	1,164.2	1,318.9	1,759.6	2,216.0	2,059.7	2,164.6	2,924.0	4,141.7	4,339.2
Cash [3]....................	112.6	130.1	141.7	161.7	188.1	227.5	466.3	622.5	859.0	921.8	907.7
Other......................	68.9	79.9	91.9	103.3	119.5	143.7	174.6	225.9	280.9	338.4	391.1

Current transactions

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Shares:											
Subscribed..................	1,495.5	1,891.9	1,960.2	2,282.4	2,890.2	3,821.2	4,965.8	5,804.1	6,126.7	8,784.6	10,133.2
Interest thereon.............	209.3	257.6	308.3	381.6	448.3	529.5	623.3	971.0	1,248.2	1,446.9	1,681.6
Withdrawn (including interest)...	955.8	1,087.7	1,476.6	1,744.1	1,928.5	2,444.0	3,467.4	4,574.2	5,375.8	6,119.0	8,193.3
Deposits:											
Received	87.3	105.6	108.4	115.2	136.7	235.1	335.6	255.8	254.1	369.8	407.9
Interest thereon.............	10.8	11.8	12.9	15.1	16.5	19.1	24.9	35.9	42.3	47.0	53.2
Withdrawn (including interest)...	93.6	94.4	108.4	117.8	119.8	145.6	258.9	287.8	259.6	287.7	375.3
Advances on mortgage:											
Advances....................	1,244.7	1,462.7	1,589.9	1,558.7	1,953.7	2,705.3	3,630.4	3,512.7	2,945.1	4,908.0	6,183.3
Repayments of principal	568.1	651.8	723.9	757.5	908.5	1,124.5	1,417.4	1,526.0	1,447.3	2,134.2	2,422.9
Interest [4]	339.3	405.3	482.9	589.7	706.3	819.3	945.2	1,282.9	1,688.5	1,929.3	2,287.7
Management expenses...........	36.7	42.0	49.0	57.2	68.4	85.4	102.5	118.9	145.2	196.6	237.4
Percentage rate of interest [5]											
Paid on shares	4.01	4.20	4.37	4.82	4.94	4.93	4.88	6.51	7.33	7.21	7.02
Paid on deposits..............	3.62	3.80	3.94	4.42	4.53	4.39	4.61	6.04	6.88	6.74	6.53
Received on mortgage advances..	6.95	7.20	7.46	8.07	8.58	8.59	8.26	9.59	11.05	11.08	11.06

[1] The figures for each year relate to accounting years ending on any date between 1 February of that year and 31 January of the following year. [2] For the years 1969 to 1971 includes sterling certificates of deposit. [3] From 1972 includes sterling certificates of deposit. [4] From 1968 includes amounts recoverable from HM Government under Option Mortgage Scheme. [5] Based on the mean of the amounts outstanding at the end of the previous and the current year.

Source: Registry of Friendly Societies

Finance houses: holdings of selected assets and liabilities

TABLE 17.23

Great Britain

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972[4]	1973[4]	1974[4]	1975[4]
Holdings of selected assets at end of period: total	1,116	1,117	1,126	1,141	1,222	1,528	1,210	1,341	1,210	1,199
Hire purchase outstanding[1]	842	824	843	819	877	1,051	824	884	722	685
Other advances and loans	127	133	115	107	109	158	108	126	135	153
Assets with UK financial institutions[2]	12	9	7	10	4	3	2	2	2	–
Securities other than trade investments	35	24	18	23	7	27	17	17	15	32
Trade investments[3]	48	63	48	55	61	73	45	58	69	65
Leased assets	52	64	95	127	164	216	214	254	267	264
Holdings of selected liabilities at end of period: total	1,075	1,068	1,108	1,101	1,155	1,400	875	1,062	1,077	1,073
Deposits	648	591	612	636	688	823	437	477	459	415
Bills discounted with UK banks and discount houses	106	98	109	97	97	103	58	150	151	142
Other borrowing	55	95	87	68	30	73	95	140	175	196
Unearned finance charges	86	93	102	99	110	144	113	122	97	105
Issued capital and reserves	180	191	198	201	230	257	172	173	195	215

[1] Hire purchase, credit sales and other instalment credit outstanding including agreements block discounted with finance houses by retailers [2] Other than banks. [3] Including investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries. [4] Excluding finance houses recognised as banks. Changes in the coverage of the figures occured in the first quarter of 1972, the first quarter of 1973, the second quarter of 1974 and the first quarter of 1975.

Source: Department of Trade

Selected assets and liabilities of finance houses and other consumer credit companies [1]

TABLE 17.24

Great Britain

£ million

	1976
Holdings of selected assets at end of period: total	1,698
Loans and advances to UK residents	1,602
Instalment credit agreements block discounted by:	
Financial institutions	3
Retailers	36
Other loans and advances to:	
Financial institutions	88
Industrial and commercial companies	598
Individuals (including unincorporated businesses)	877
Cash and deposits with UK banking sector	64
Other current assets in the UK[2]	32
Holdings of selected liabilities at end of period: total	1,561
Deposits by:	
UK banking sector	317
Other UK financial institutions	42
UK industrial and commercial companies	210
Other UK residents	93
Overseas residents	41
Instalment credit agreements block discounted with financial institutions	6
Commercial bills	149
Other borrowing from UK residents:	
Banking sector	411
Other financial institutions	75
Other UK residents	48
Unearned credit charges to UK residents	169

[1] The statistics in this table are not directly comparable with those in Table 17.23 due to changes of definitions and coverage in the 1976 inquiries. [2] Including Treasury bills.

Source: Department of Trade

Hire purchase and other instalment credit business [1]

TABLE 17.25 Great Britain £ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total new credit extended	1,450	1,556	1,643	1,587	1,775	2,053	2,497	2,871	2,517	2,987	3,606
By retailers [2]	780	810	874	886	953	1,063	1,275	1,418	1,480	1,786	2,075
By finance houses [3]	670	746	769	701	822	990	1,222	1,453	1,037	1,201	1,531
Repayments	1,585	1,596	1,597	1,607	1,693	1,813	2,073	2,433	2,672	2,997	3,264
Increase in debt	–135	–40	46	–20	84	240	424	438	–155	–10	342
Total debt outstanding at end of period	1,313	1,273	1,319	1,299	1,383	1,623	2,047	2,485	2,330	2,320	2,662
Owing directly to:											
All finance houses [3]	797	782	808	787	845	1,010	1,306	1,638	1,478	1,423	1,625
Durable goods shops	307	274	276	268	271	329	416	457	405	403	470
Department stores	29	28	30	31	32	38	47	56	61	66	68
Other instalment credit retailers [4]	180	189	205	213	235	246	278	334	386	428	499

[1] Finance houses (including those recognised as banks in 1972, 1973 and 1975), durable goods shops, department stores and other instalment credit retailers. [2] Durable goods shops, department stores, and other instalment credit retailers. [3] Direct business only i.e. excluding agreements block discounted with finance houses by retailers. [4] General stores (other than department stores), general mail order houses and co-operative societies' non-durable goods departments.

Source: Department of Trade

Assets of investment trust companies and unit trusts [1]

TABLE 17.26

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Investment trusts											
Total	3,033	4,013	5,583	4,902	4,469	5,780	7,694	5,815	3,739	5,705	6,066
Short-term assets (net):											
Cash and balances with banks	46	40	53	72	64	61	141	227	316	194	195
Sterling certificates of deposit	–	–	–	–	7	6	22	68	64	35	42
Local authority temporary debt	39	30	20	30	40	18	44	76	70	24	30
Other short-term assets	54	62	78	112	99	72	117	230	221	143	130
Short-term liabilities	–34	–43	–46	–45	–27	–59	–132	–123	–59	–74	–75
British government securities	52	53	34	77	56	97	64	66	82	161	164
United Kingdom local authority securities	3	2	1	1	1	1	2	22	25	10	6
Company securities:											
Loan capital	45	54	96	119	118	169	246	176	112	166	189
Preference	121	150	157	126	99	112	108	91	66	71	75
Ordinary and deferred	2,693	3,653	5,168	4,363	3,964	5,223	6,979	4,886	2,705	4,847	5,173
Other assets	14	12	22	48	47	80	103	95	139	128	137
Unit trusts											
Total	553	787	1,349	1,353	1,323	1,953	2,553	2,097	1,407	2,555	2,622
Short-term assets (net)											
Cash and balances with banks	9	10	27	43	59	55	169	245	285	252	326
Sterling certificates of deposit	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	4	2	2
Local authority temporary debt	6	8	26	11	11	10	39	56	77	22	38
Other short-term assets	4	6	13	17	23	31	52	80	71	38	58
Short-term liabilities	–4	–7	–20	–16	–15	–25	–33	–49	–39	–58	–73
British government securities	6	5	5	18	26	19	5	8	22	22	32
United Kingdom local authority securities	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	4	3	2
Company securities:											
Loan capital	5	7	25	28	34	39	71	35	16	24	23
Preference	20	28	27	21	21	24	31	33	25	39	45
Ordinary and deferred	506	730	1,245	1,230	1,164	1,799	2,220	1,688	941	2,210	2,168
Other assets	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	1	1

[1] Listed securities are at market value.

Source: Bank of England

TABLE 17.27

Market value of superannuation funds assets

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Public sector[1] (excluding local authorities) At end of year											
Total	1,182	1,434	1,746	1,699	1,844	2,535	3,068	2,813	2,521	4,239	5,466
Short-term assets (net):											
Cash and balances with banks	8	10	11	20	49	59	120	154	217	115	137
United Kingdom local authority temporary debt	9	4	9	6	4	3	7	24	97	127	95
Other short-term assets	−3	−3	−4	−4	–	−10	−14	27	95	120	189
Short-term liabilities[2]	−3	−3	−5	−7	−10	−16	−23	−34	−18	−65	−90
Long-term borrowing	–	–	–	–	–	–	−38	−83	−57	−98	−104
British government securities	163	187	172	134	126	183	211	212	201	519	743
United Kingdom local authority long-term debt	57	59	56	52	47	32	27	26	20	46	209
Overseas government securities	7	8	6	6	5	5	3	2	2	10	–
Company securities:											
Debentures	147	168	174	189	204	240	223	189	132	176	164
Preference shares	6	5	4	3	2	2	1	1	1	1	1
Ordinary shares	421	603	893	828	920	1,512	1,962	1,469	781	2,055	2,539
Loans and mortgages	250	248	250	251	228	212	210	223	217	212	332
Land, property and ground rents	115	143	172	210	255	292	353	549	765	942	1,126
Property unit trusts	–	–	1	5	9	16	24	52	66	72	92
Other assets	5	5	7	6	5	5	2	2	2	7	33
Local authorities At 31 March											
Total	838	907	1,086	1,220	1,246	1,316	1,845	1,934	1,587	1,630	2,330
Short-term assets (net):											
Cash and balances with banks [3]	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	62	50
United Kingdom local authority temporary debt	23	26	25	26	24	33	34	51	106	184	98
Other short-term assets	–	–	11	8	12	20	31	42	75	43	11
Short-term liabilities [2] [3]	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	−5	−5
British government securities	181	210	213	202	243	253	327	336	282	339	555
United Kingdom local authority long-term debt	317	317	313	305	294	269	249	242	228	198	186
Overseas government securities	7	6	7	7	6	4	4	4	4	1	1
Company securities:											
Debentures	32	43	57	62	87	96	129	141	99	75	80
Preference shares	8	7	7	5	7	6	9	14	8	4	2
Ordinary shares	205	225	352	474	447	499	849	888	590	600	1,158
Local authorities mutual investment trust	59	67	94	120	114	117	179	173	136	76	84
Land, property and ground rents[4]	..	..	..	..	4	8	16	17	24	17	62
Property unit trusts[5]	..	..	..	..	2	4	9	15	20	29	42
Other assets	6	6	7	11	6	7	9	11	15	7	6
Private sector [5] At end of year											
Total [7]	3,365	3,879	4,648	4,468	4,687	6,175	7,028	6,199	5,108	7,706	9,158
Short-term assets (net):											
Cash and balances with banks	50	45	54	54	73	70	179	250	380	274	631
United Kingdom local authority temporary debt	26	27	33	41	65	46	67	97	244	161	
Other short-term assets	34	24	28	33	75	54	75	171	190	118	
Short-term liabilities[2]	−13	−13	−26	−30	−25	−54	−104	−108	−63	−96	−132
Long-term borrowing	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	−83
British government securities	621	664	598	561	552	785	684	668	673	1,150	1,865
United Kingdom local authority long-term debt	169	164	156	150	139	112	105	91	92	79	71
Overseas government securities	38	44	40	38	27	25	21	20	14	27	13
Company securities:											
Debentures	615	632	675	689	726	841	857	710	517	578	593
Preference shares	54	50	45	34	29	22	22	28	24	27	14
Ordinary shares	1,580	1,987	2,698	2,443	2,481	3,616	4,341	3,263	2,019	4,145	4,580
Loans and mortgages	47	57	46	47	46	40	45	46	33	32	42
Land, property and ground rent	132	167	246	322	382	477	545	723	799	942	1,161
Property unit trusts[7]	..	20	50	75	107	125	179	204	168	213	254
Other assets	12	11	5	11	10	16	12	36	17	56	149

[1] These are funded schemes only and therefore exclude the main superannuation arrangements with central government sector. They include from the fourth quarter of 1969 the Post Office Staff Scheme. [2] Liabilities are shown negative. [3] Before 1975 included in Other short-term assets. [4] Before 1970 included with Other assets. [5] Before 1970 included with ordinary shares. [6] The figures exclude funds of the co-operative societies. [7] Including the assets of funds which are not included in the sample or which have not responded to the questionnaire in full. [8] Before 1967 included in Ordinary shares.

Sources: Government Actuary's Department; Central Statistical Office; Department of Trade

Industrial and provident societies [1]

TABLE 17.28

Great Britain

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Number of societies	8,145	8,640	8,959	9,076	9,193	9,322	9,429	9,633	9,676	9,583	9,445
Number of members (Thous)	15,589	15,510	15,362	15,076	14,971	14,377	14,014	13,825	13,753	13,993	14,030
Assets (£ thousand)	1,384,304	1,457,240	1,485,448	1,564,237	1,679,320	1,744,699	2,007,502	2,144,172	2,337,105	2,856,075	3,579,086

[1] The annual returns from which these figures are derived are, with a few exceptions, made up to dates varying between September of the year shown and January of the following year.

Source: Registry of Friendly Societies

Co-operative trading societies [1]

TABLE 17.29

Great Britain

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Number of societies											
General trading societies:											
Retail societies	762	727	641	565	477	408	356	335	321	313	312
Principal wholesale societies[2]	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	2	2	2	2
Other wholesale and productive societies	120	120	119	114	102	93	83	76	72	71	78
Agricultural and fishing trading societies	499	513	511	518	525	527	533	536	524	516	521
Number of members (Thousands)											
General trading societies:											
Retail societies	12,813.7	12,722.6	12,575.4	12,304.3	11,782.8	11,190.9	10,828.2	10,647.2	10,588.4	10,402.0	10,419.2
Principal wholesale societies[2]	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Other wholesale and productive societies	48.9	48.5	47.1	46.1	42.6	41.3	41.4	41.3	41.7	39.3	39.8
Agricultural and fishing trading societies	359.4	358.1	348.6	330.7	329.8	323.7	325.8	318.3	315.3	317.4	323.0
Sales (£ million)											
General trading societies:											
Retail societies[3]	1,072.5	1,051.4	1,060.6	1,100.9	1,116.0	1,174.9	1,262.7	1,364.3	1,581.2	1,935.9	2,290.4
Principal wholesale societies[2]	585.9	565.2	573.6	579.9	595.8	619.7	684.1	771.8	877.8	1,070.5	1,230.5
Other wholesale and productive societies	55.6	57.8	58.4	64.6	67.7	73.5	83.8	88.6	101.0	126.6	182.1
Agricultural and fishing trading societies	263.7	266.4	284.6	288.4	306.5	336.7	365.9	470.1	564.1	636.0	774.9
Share and loan capital[4] (£ thousand):											
General trading societies:											
Retail societies	351,662	333,072	322,151	289,053	255,546	251,216	270,212	290,982	311,206	332,840	371,271
Principal wholesale societies[2]	133,180	134,545	137,766	132,534	131,282	151,182	163,545	143,614	143,768	154,936	164,911
Other wholesale and productive societies	16,532	16,564	17,030	16,010	15,995	16,883	14,963	16,549	18,768	21,179	25,558
Agricultural and fishing trading societies	34,314	35,450	36,810	36,555	37,586	41,004	45,726	52,621	59,874	69,403	79,783
Salaries and wages (£ thousand)											
General trading societies:											
Retail societies	147,689	143,511	140,573	143,382	149,976	154,794	167,744	187,122	223,082	276,025	309,838
Principal wholesale societies[2]	45,478	42,285	39,706	39,824	42,627	37,443	42,031	47,535	55,550	70,249	80,513
Other wholesale and productive societies	9,808	9,828	9,657	9,557	9,901	10,611	10,731	10,666	12,083	15,298	18,637
Agricultural and fishing trading societies	–	–	–	12,592	14,157	15,188	16,172	18,064	21,285	26,663	30,596

[1] These societies are registered under the Industrial and Provident Societies Acts and are included in Table 17.28. See also footnote [1] to that table. [2] Co-operative Wholesale Society Ltd., Scottish Co-operative Society Ltd., and Co-operative Tea Society Ltd. During 1973 the businesses of the last two mentioned societies were transferred to the Co-operative Wholesale Society Limited. Only in respect of the Scottish Co-operative Society Limited has the registry been cancelled. [3] These figures include the sale of goods purchased from the wholesale societies which are also included in the sales of those societies in this table. [4] Including net balance disposable and reserves but excluding loans from non-members.

Source: Registry of Friendly Societies

Collecting societies

TABLE **17.30**

Great Britain

£ thousand

	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
Income:											
Total	67,664	70,790	76,235	76,507	79,876	84,129	88,806	93,608	100,473	107,740	119,450
Premiums	46,302	47,738	48,770	50,011	51,994	53,674	55,866	58,852	62,197	66,462	71,679
Interest	21,322	22,976	24,464	26,107	27,594	29,793	31,911	34,083	36,813	40,088	45,460
Miscellaneous[1]	39	76	3,001	389	288	662	1,029	673	1,463	1,190	2,312
Expenditure:											
Total	47,808	52,997	57,483	60,820	60,954	64,629	67,197	72,494	74,458	83,647	97,267
Claims	24,571	27,903	29,378	29,736	31,346	32,248	35,120	37,762	38,206	40,185	41,882
Cash bonuses	526	540	564	558	613	683	618	659	678	748	822
Surrenders	5,122	5,682	6,276	7,321	7,763	8,527	8,841	8,988	8,189	9,166	9,627
Expenses of management	15,510	16,513	17,919	18,815	19,887	20,880	21,842	23,319	24,694	28,378	34,601
Miscellaneous	2,079	2,359	3,345	4,390	1,346	2,291	776	1,766	2,691	5,171	10,336
Funds at end of year	399,424	416,637	435,413	451,027	469,976	489,471	511,036	532,135	558,134	582,225	604,408

[1] Including accrued interest brought into account for the first time in 1967.

Source: Office of the Industrial Assurance Commissioner

Friendly societies [1]

TABLE **17.31**

Great Britain

	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
Number of societies, orders and branches [2]	9,351	9,008	8,376	7,785	7,342	6,962	6,511	6,115	5,847	5,490	5,240
Number of members[2] (Thousands)											
Total	5,579	5,415	5,258	5,126	4,933	4,751	4,601	4,543	4,414	4,323	3,505
Societies without branches	4,467	4,351	4,231	4,148	4,000	3,860	3,745	3,717	3,611	3,550	
Orders and branches	1,112	1,064	1,027	978	934	891	855	826	803	773	
Benefits paid (£ thousand)											
Sickness pay:											
Total	5,561	5,691	5,602	5,732	5,810	5,748	5,189	5,566	5,630	5,578	4,307
Societies without branches	4,121	4,274	4,207	4,378	4,495	4,532	4,080	4,493	4,547	4,546	
Orders and branches	1,439	1,418	1,394	1,354	1,315	1,216	1,109	1,073	1,083	1,031	
Sums at death:											
Total	2,279	2,298	2,311	2,454	2,416	2,385	2,345	2,536	2,675	2,694	2,385
Societies without branches	1,819	1,803	1,852	1,990	2,005	1,987	1,964	2,147	2,316	2,339	
Orders and branches	459	495	458	464	411	398	380	390	359	356	
Other benefits:											
Total	15,184	16,473	17,712	18,413	20,171	18,695	20,550	21,147	22,646	27,050	28,220
Societies without branches	14,109	15,467	16,539	17,097	18,654	17,453	19,315	19,631	21,126	25,326	
Orders and branches	1,075	1,006	1,173	1,315	1,517	1,242	1,235	1,516	1,520	1,724	
Total funds[2] (£ thousand)	288,324	304,439	315,202	329,354	335,417	328,321	349,906	372,434	385,536	400,200	

[1] Excluding collecting societies. [2] At end of year.

Source: Registry of Friendly Societies

TABLE **17.41**

Ordinary long-term insurance business 1959–1968 [1] [2]

£ thousand

	1959	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968 [3]
Insurers incorporated in the United Kingdom										
All business										
Income: Total	654,284	730,170	820,690	898,675	1,046,981	1,176,084	1,239,566	1,339,228	1,640,155	1,959,028
Premiums	422,884	460,514	508,391	549,805	596,730	663,082	726,901	790,745	909,475	1,021,030
Consideration for annuities	55,601	71,781	81,035	101,146	162,373	173,047	122,391	137,316	171,268	196,038
Interest, etc. (*less* tax)	163,156	189,553	217,137	243,065	275,315	316,567	365,351	402,977	455,681	539,462
Miscellaneous	12,642	8,322	14,127	4,659	12,563	23,388	24,923	8,190	103,730	202,498
Expenditure: Total	309,138	335,692	386,613	444,342	478,482	541,591	611,555	706,229	797,358	928,460
Claims paid and outstanding	144,865	152,173	173,546	189,318	205,871	221,704	242,906	287,798	314,448	347,258
Surrenders	49,839	58,479	70,782	79,516	81,563	95,379	105,590	126,010	140,879	160,781
Annuities	32,689	36,650	44,067	53,790	67,922	88,305	106,002	119,605	136,361	159,372
Cash bonuses and reduction of premiums	4,309	4,736	6,784	6,682	7,369	9,488	10,226	11,864	16,962	17,821
Commission	21,719	24,371	27,306	30,157	34,589	40,288	43,486	47,878	55,652	65,224
Expenses of management and transfers to staff pension funds	41,220	46,816	52,851	57,755	64,290	71,865	81,616	91,609	102,196	118,032
Shareholders' surplus and transfers to profit and loss account	4,928	3,210	3,891	8,534	6,969	5,129	10,927	9,070	6,615	17,276
Miscellaneous, including transfers to investment reserve, etc.	9,571	9,257	7,386	18,590	9,909	9,433	10,802	12,395	24,245	42,696
Life and annuity funds at end of year	3,556,593	3,951,064	4,384,534	4,839,733	5,408,324	6,046,437	6,679,736	7,314,920	8,155,659	9,118,091
Business within the UK										
Income:										
Premiums	367,637	399,384	438,974	474,858	513,259	568,722	619,345	675,202	766,398	852,970
Consideration for annuities	53,728	68,570	78,140	97,683	156,984	167,117	117,718	132,946	165,598	190,532
Expenditure:										
Claims paid and outstanding	133,973	140,517	160,085	174,622	188,717	202,397	220,559	263,263	283,398	311,754
Surrenders	42,342	49,481	60,452	69,396	69,733	81,807	90,288	105,987	119,845	135,718
Annuities	30,692	34,298	41,344	50,769	64,335	83,951	100,949	113,819	129,640	150,982
Cash bonuses and reduction ot premiums	1,947	1,524	3,536	2,872	3,458	5,018	5,249	7,198	12,255	11,518
Commission	17,219	19,366	21,733	23,670	27,147	31,365	33,406	36,737	41,452	48,847
Insurers incorporated overseas										
All business										
Income: Total	1,018,207	1,152,880	1,255,282	1,331,799	1,436,258	957,926	858,021	868,920	1,611,095	1,301,449
Expenditure: Total	684,500	603,452	851,893	909,147	950,159	581,910	524,349	510,322	631,622	747,141
Funds at end of year	6,304,524	7,031,513	7,430,502	7,827,755	8,313,456	5,161,117	4,431,302	4,552,235	5,899,106	6,453,415
Business within the UK										
Income:										
Premiums	25,733	28,356	31,245	35,090	39,294	43,972	48,748	54,299	60,109	67,247
Consideration for annuities	2,276	2,138	2,513	8,995	4,195	7,132	6,748	8,551	7,119	6,044
Expenditure:										
Claims paid and outstanding	9,768	10,258	11,207	12,602	14,160	14,437	16,240	18,499	20,087	22,430
Surrenders	3,260	3,644	4,386	4,557	4,823	5,249	6,526	7,228	8,056	9,545
Annuities	1,713	1,767	2,032	2,370	2,931	3,296	3,665	4,161	4,790	5,346
Cash bonuses and reduction of premiums	2,251	2,543	3,005	3,453	3,955	4,500	5,065	6,056	6,829	7,768
Commission	2,414	2,684	3,170	3,838	4,391	5,226	5,431	6,044	6,763	7,433

[1] Up to and including 1962, figures for each 'year' relate to companies' accounts for that year deposited with the Board of Trade up to 31 December of the following year. For 1963 the figures relate to companies' accounting years ended on or after 31 December 1963 and on or before 31 August 1964. From 1964 onwards, the 'year' is, for each company included, its accounting year which ended between 1 September of the year shown and 31 August of the following year. These differences have no appreciable effect on the comparability of the figures in successive years. [2] The Insurance Companies (Accounts and Forms) Regulations, 1968, substantially altered the reporting requirements, and much overseas business previously included was excluded from 1969 onwards. Figures for 1969 are not comparable with those for earlier years; Table 17.42 shows figures from 1969 to 1974 [3] Excluding insurers (Mainly mutual insurers) which are exempt from submitting fully detailed accounts under Section 92 of the Companies Act, 1967.

Source: Department of Trade

Ordinary long-term insurance business 1969–74[1] [2]

TABLE 17.42

£ thousand

	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974
Insurers incorporated in the United Kingdom						
All business						
Income:						
Premiums (net of refunds, rebates and premiums for reinsurance ceded):						
Life policies	757,660	831,364	1,001,761	1,388,098	1,555,413	1,429,372
Annuities on human life	448,804	549,331	682,582	1,070,502	1,115,273	1,163,595
Long-term personal accident	7,654	9,502	12,206	16,190	20,544	26,063
Capital redemption contracts	7,306	7,280	8,260	11,116	5,174	2,885
Total	1,221,424	1,397,477	1,704,809	2,485,906	2,696,404	2,621,915
of which United Kingdom business	*1,048,126*	*1,213,107*	*1,506,372*	*2,250,175*	*2,403,894*	*2,311,166*
Interest, dividends and rents (gross)	645,495	716,249	796,956	913,545	1,103,666	1,290,364
Other income	112,934	88,159	280,092	309,260	133,216	141,793
Total income	1,979,853	2,201,885	2,781,857	3,708,711	3,933,286	4,054,072
Expenditure:						
Claims paid (net of reinsurance recoveries):						
Life policies	606,722	661,348	740,641	905,301	1,044,520	1,269,857
Annuities on human life	181,308	204,167	226,516	263,684	318,454	372,028
Long-term personal accident	2,435	2,899	3,763	4,619	5,322	7,055
Capital redemption contracts	4,599	6,478	7,867	6,503	6,375	5,442
Total claims	795,064	874,892	978,787	1,180,107	1,374,671	1,654,382
Commission (net of commission on business ceded)	70,298	82,552	98,680	130,253	157,233	154,068
Expenses of management	130,145	157,835	189,167	221,484	274,825	329,384
Taxation	84,161	89,556	98,461	92,853	89,832	104,724
Shareholders' share of distributable surplus transferred to profit and loss account	23,039	21,732	38,881	27,400	36,362	36,174
Other expenditure [3]	94,114	43,251	85,332	57,745	318,562	2,642,728
Total expenditure	1,196,821	1,269,818	1,489,308	1,709,842	2,251,485	4,921,460
Fund carried forward	9,831,231	10,783,668	12,046,454	14,098,564	15,875,595	14,879,977
Insurers incorporated overseas [4]						
United Kingdom business						
Income:						
Premiums (net of refunds, rebates and premiums for reinsurance ceded)	76,737	86,387	91,933	102,815	114,135	120,655

[1] Figures for 1969 are not comparable with those for earlier years because the Insurance Companies (Accounts and Forms) Regulations, 1968, substantially altered the reporting requirements, and much overseas business previously included was excluded from 1969 onwards. Figures in this table cover all long-term business, other than industrial business, i.e. they include capital redemption etc. business, previously shown separately in Table 17.49, and long-term personal accident business, previously included under accident insurance business in Table 17.49. The 'year' is, for each company included, its accounting year which ended between 1 September of the year shown and 31 August of the following year. [2] Excluding insurers (mainly mutual insurers) which are exempt from submitting fully detailed accounts under Section 92 of the Companies Act, 1967. [3] Includes transfers to investment reserves, which were exceptionally large in 1974. [4] A full account of the income and expenditure of overseas insurers in 1974, consistent with the figures for earlier years, could not be obtained due to a change in the reporting requirements. The only item for which complete figures are available is UK premium income.

Source: Department of Trade

General business revenue

TABLE **17.43**

Insurers incorporated in the United Kingdom

£ million

	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974
Income						
Total income	1,635	1,790	2,048	2,439	2,848	3,379
Premiums[1]	1,567	1,713	1,981	2,327	2,707	3,161
Interest, dividends and rents[2]	3	4	3	5	7	16
Other income	6	14	10	34	45	50
Transfer from profit and loss account	59	59	54	73	89	152
Expenditure						
Total expenditure	1,472	1,593	1,791	2,045	2,403	2,906
Claims paid[3]	933	1,007	1,107	1,223	1,434	1,824
Commission[4]	238	250	284	341	402	456
Expenses of management	255	270	311	342	390	470
Taxation	12	13	13	14	16	18
Other expenditure	3	11	10	13	30	48
Transfer to profit and loss account	30	42	67	112	131	90
Funds carried forward:						
Total carried forward	1,705	1,846	2,130	2,575	3,112	3,725
Unearned premiums	588	618	702	849	1,006	1,148
Unexpired risks	29	27	39	36	33	33
Claims outstanding	870	940	1,102	1,361	1,710	2,123
Claims equalisation fund	10	10	6	7	10	17
Three-year fund (mainly Marine, aviation and transport insurance)	208	251	281	321	352	404
Analysis of premiums						
Gross premiums in respect of:						
Total	2,020	2,265	2,625	2,997	3,398	4,002
United Kingdom business	940	1,091	1,320	1,535	1,719	2,128
Overseas business	1,045	1,153	1,276	1,419	1,643	1,838
Treaty reinsurance[5]	35	22	30	43	35	36
Reinsurance ceded in respect of:						
Total	455	552	641	671	688	822
United Kingdom business	247	316	369	386	379	470
Overseas business	180	204	241	245	289	320
Treaty reinsurance[5]	28	32	32	39	19	32

[1] Net of refunds, rebates and premiums for reinsurance ceded. [2] Before tax: includes interest on bank deposit. [3] Net of reinsurance and recoveries. [4] Net of commission on business ceded. [5] United Kingdom and overseas components not distinguishable.

Source: Department of Trade

Profit and loss account

TABLE **17.44**

Insurers incorporated in the United Kingdom

£ million

	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974
Credits						
Total credits	263	276	336	439	555	667
Balance brought forward	68	54	48	67	84	127
Interest, dividends and rent not shown in revenue accounts[1]	124	139	164	197	256	332
Transfers from:						
General business revenue accounts	29	39	64	107	131	90
Long-term business revenue accounts	30	28	39	43	54	36
Reserve accounts	2	7	8	4	3	34
Total	61	74	112	155	188	160
Other income	10	10	12	20	27	48
Debits						
Total debits	263	276	336	439	555	667
Gross dividends to shareholders[1]	83	91	106	105	91	112
Payments of interest	8	10	14	18	26	28
Taxation not shown in revenue accounts[2]	20	29	41	68	104	89
Expenses of management not shown in revenue accounts	8	12	10	11	16	18
Transfers to:						
General business revenue accounts	58	55	53	66	88	152
Long-term business revenue accounts	1	2	2	2	6	17
Reserve accounts	13	14	20	36	34	103
Total	72	71	75	104	128	272
Other expenditure	4	4	8	16	34	48
Balance carried forward	69	60	82	117	156	100

[1] Before tax. [2] Excluding income tax on dividends.

Source: Department of Trade

Balance sheet

TABLE **17.45**

Insurers incorporated in the United Kingdom

£ million

	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974
Liabilities						
Total liabilities	15,286	16,739	19,197	22,720	25,099	24,835
Issued share capital	281	291	307	384	426	516
Share premium account	99	100	133	165	219	275
General and other reserve funds	578	551	1,037	1,387	922	997
Profit and loss account balance [1]	69	60	82	117	156	100
Long-term business funds	11,584	12,759	14,129	16,276	18,175	17,073
General business: [2]						
Unearned premiums	588	618	702	849	1,006	1,148
Unexpired risks	29	27	39	36	33	33
Claims outstanding	870	940	1,102	1,361	1,710	2,123
Claims equalisation fund	10	10	6	7	10	17
Three-year business fund	208	251	281	321	352	404
Claims agreed for settlement but not yet paid	50	60	67	76	100	91
Payable to policyholders, brokers and agents	109	125	146	186	188	207
Payable to other insurers (including reinsurers)	178	220	260	262	286	310
Amounts owing to holding, fellow subsidiary and associated companies	117	98	100	102	114	132
Bank loans, overdrafts and other loans	181	238	328	525	693	707
Gross dividends	55	59	71	80	75	81
Provision for taxation	55	62	95	133	152	105
Creditors and other sundry liabilities	225	270	313	452	481	516
Assets						
Total assets	15,286	16,739	19,197	22,720	25,099	24,835
Investments:						
Fixed interest investments [3]	5,349	5,586	6,458	7,041	7,215	6,571
Variable interest investments:						
Listed	3,786	4,200	5,169	6,579	6,561	4,926
Unlisted	140	160	238	504	780	801
Land and property	1,536	1,840	2,193	2,650	3,540	3,974
Mortgages and loans:						
Over one year	2,232	2,399	2,449	2,584	2,866	3,004
Less than one year [4]	220	262	267	250	301	478
Deposits	310	493	470	905	1,269	2,042
Other income-producing assets	120	102	63	189	162	161
Total investments	13,693	15,041	17,308	20,703	22,693	21,957
Shares in subsidiary companies	310	296	412	225	344	348
Receivable from policyholders, brokers and agents	532	611	650	784	860	982
Receivable from other insurers (including reinsurers)	148	183	185	173	206	250
Amounts owing by holding, fellow subsidiary and associated companies	140	139	92	171	225	266
Cash at bank and in hand	96	109	116	122	145	167
Fixed assets	8	12	17	8	12	22
Intangible assets	39	35	36	35	12	8
Debtors and other sundry assets	320	312	381	500	602	835

[1] See Table 17.44. [2] See Table 17.43. [3] Over one year to maturity. [4] Includes investments with maturity dates under one year.

Source: Department of Trade

Life assurance [1]

Industrial business

TABLE 17.46

Great Britain

£ thousand

	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
Companies established in Great Britain											
Income:											
Total	328,736	333,325	351,479	384,958	395,060	413,149	454,279	472,815	506,978	535,952	700,580
Premiums	204,009	214,000	223,529	234,821	244,040	255,100	267,325	283,694	307,041	329,583	361,478
Interest, etc. (gross)	108,294	114,195	119,805	126,254	133,884	141,592	148,939	159,392	174,014	189,602	207,824
Miscellaneous[2]	16,434	5,130	8,146	23,884	17,136	16,458	38,015	29,729	25,923	16,767	131,277
Expenditure:											
Total	226,078	255,228	271,779	291,800	310,981	334,575	347,188	376,300	386,188	648,089	456,969
Claims paid and outstanding	99,183	114,239	121,464	133,355	142,005	151,724	157,920	175,531	182,773	192,749	199,489
Surrenders	38,854	44,460	51,385	53,854	58,937	63,239	63,324	63,248	58,634	66,724	68,439
Expenses of management	65,646	69,678	74,575	79,355	83,215	91,273	98,727	104,060	112,301	127,977	158,087
Shareholders' surplus	4,172	4,173	4,605	4,921	5,252	5,362	5,783	7,146	7,062	6,643	7,477
Miscellaneous (including income tax)	18,224	22,678	19,750	20,314	21,572	22,977	21,433	26,315	25,418	253,997	23,476
Industrial assurance funds at end of year	1,561,165	1,639,917	1,719,618	1,812,848	1,896,927	1,975,469	2,082,560	2,179,075	2,299,508	2,187,262	2,430,873

[1] See footnote [1] to Table 17.41 on page 437. [2] In 1975 includes £99 million transferred from investment and other reserves by five companies and £10 million written up by two companies on their investments.

Source: Office of the Industrial Assurance Commissioner

New long-term assurances (ordinary business) 1964—73[1]

TABLE 17.47

£ thousand

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968 [2] [3]	1969 [2] [3] [4]	1970 [2] [3] [4]	1971 [2] [3] [4]	1972 [2] [3] [4]	1973 [2] [3] [4]
Companies established in the United Kingdom										
All business:										
Number of policies (Thousands)	*1,454*	*1,454*	*1,546*	*1,625*	*1,737*	*2,067*	*2,418*	*2,729*	*3,385*	*3,209*
Sum assured	3,939,119	4,414,904	5,090,455	5,995,452	7,034,904	8,885,233	10,748,722	13,176,631	16,194,389	18,388,463
Single premiums	17,135	19,506	21,310	55,310	68,175	215,203	299,377	517,552	1,094,561	1,109,903
Yearly renewal premiums	91,600	96,181	102,938	114,601	128,152	178,118	230,511	246,648	317,018	356,689
Business within the United Kingdom:										
Number of policies (Thousands)	*1,198*	*1,187*	*1,267*	*1,329*	*1,425*	*1,782*	*2,081*	*2,380*	*2,971*	*2,815*
Sum assured	3,152,908	3,538,695	4,118,720	4,748,234	5,599,683	7,334,542	8,873,079	11,008,125	13,551,486	15,118,240
Single premiums	15,458	17,533	19,559	52,950	64,861	205,922	289,054	506,386	1,076,842	1,079,526
Yearly renewal premiums	76,842	79,599	84,841	90,518	102,092	150,858	186,423	210,190	273,713	308,014
Companies established out of the United Kingdom										
Business within the United Kingdom:										
Number of policies (Thousands)	*164*	*157*	*166*	*164*	*179*	*274*	*343*	*375*	*330*	*296*
Sum assured	299,517	318,334	388,956	435,569	519,189	656,665	672,089	802,910	891,339	1,023,517
Single premiums	354	524	549	1,038	2,723	8,207	10,360	13,266	14,631	15,125
Yearly renewal premiums	7,749	7,970	8,721	9,122	9,940	11,835	11,966	14,042	16,127	16,784

[1] See footnote to Table 17.41 on page 437. [2] Excluding insurers (mainly mutual insurers) which are exempt from submitting fully detailed accounts under Section 92 of the Companies Act, 1967. [3] Figures for 1969 and later years are not comparable with those for earlier years. The Insurance Companies (Accounts and Forms) Regulations 1968, substantially altered the reporting requirements, and much overseas business previously included was excluded from 1969 onwards. From 1969, figures in this table cover all long-term business, other than industrial business, i.e. they include capital redemption, etc., business, previously shown separately in Table 17.49, and long-term personal accident, previously included under accident insurance business in Table 17.49. [4] From 1969 onwards including deferred and immediate annuity business effected during the year.

Source: Department of Trade

Ordinary long-term assurances in force 1963–1973 [1] [2]

Companies established within the United Kingdom

TABLE **17.48**

Number of assurances or annuities

Thousands

	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968 [3]	1969 [3] [4]	1970 [3] [4]	1971 [3] [4]	1972 [3] [4]	1973 [3] [4]
Policies without profits											
Total	3,832	3,980	4,085	4,307	4,647	5,209	5,173	5,845	6,945	8,076	8,906
Whole life	685	738	774	812	887	1,004	989	1,086	1,339	1,683	1,977
Endowments and endowment assurances	1,838	1,836	1,770	1,790	1,854	1,858	1,682	1,922	2,059	2,204	2,244
Joint life, joint life endowment and last survivor assurances	5	5	5	5	6	5	4	3	1	1	1
Other	1,304	1,401	1,535	1,700	1,899	2,342	2,498	2,834	3,545	4,187	4,683
Policies with profits											
Total	6,936	7,242	7,636	7,854	8,241	8,760	8,669	8,927	9,375	9,663	10,074
Whole life	892	964	1,061	1,130	1,225	1,326	1,337	1,406	1,519	1,599	1,686
Endowments and endowment assurances	5,930	6,155	6,441	6,581	6,810	7,190	7,057	7,209	7,483	7,652	7,879
Joint life, joint life endowment and last survivor assurances	20	20	20	20	20	21	8	6	9	8	11
Other	94	103	114	123	186	223	266	306	364	404	499
Annuities											
Immediate	221	242	255	278	297	336	352	365	451	535	667
Deferred	1,016	1,054	1,066	1,094	1,143	1,248	1,011	1,062	1,200	1,529	1,818

Sum assured or annuity per annum

£ million

	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968 [3] [4]	1969 [3] [4]	1970 [3] [4]	1971 [3] [4]	1972 [3] [4]	1973 [3] [4]
Policies without profits											
Total	8,612.3	9,673.3	11,254.3	13,161.3	15,258.8	19,520.9	21,410.2	24,526.9	31,305.8	37,337.0	43,807.4
Whole life	844.1	973.4	1,096.2	1,206.4	1,413.9	1,710.0	1,867.8	2,127.7	2,909.0	3,796.4	4,885.8
Endowments and endowment assurances	2,276.7	2,375.5	2,294.1	2,523.0	2,606.0	2,782.8	2,488.6	2,890.7	3,250.4	3,780.3	4,230.0
Joint life, joint life endowment and last survivor assurances	7.3	7.7	8.8	10.1	11.9	8.5	4.7	3.9	2.2	2.2	2.4
Other	5,484.2	6,316.7	7,855.3	9,421.8	11,227.0	15,019.6	17,049.1	19,504.6	25,144.2	29,758.1	34,689.2
Policies with profits											
Total	6,053.4	6,732.8	7,738.0	8,522.1	9,695.5	11,504.2	12,197.4	13,399.1	15,139.4	17,228.5	19,986.1
Whole life	1,196.7	1,364.2	1,604.3	1,793.0	2,127.3	2,537.6	2,696.7	3,027.4	3,411.7	4,022.9	5,022.8
Endowments and endowment assurances	4,365.6	4,843.8	5,567.7	6,028.4	6,797.4	7,931.2	8,153.7	8,818.2	9,882.0	10,937.6	12,738.0
Joint life, joint life endowment and last survivor assurances	11.5	13.9	15.9	17.4	20.2	23.1	12.2	10.6	12.5	14.3	23.7
Other	479.6	510.8	550.1	683.3	750.5	1,012.3	1,334.8	1,542.9	1,833.3	2,253.8	2,201.6
Annuities											
Immediate	67.5	80.4	95.3	109.4	126.2	163.0	197.2	192.5	220.3	250.0	324.1
Deferred	657.3	702.2	784.7	810.1	855.5	963.9	1,028.3	1,083.7	1,289.4	1,575.2	1,958.7

[1] See footnote [1] to Table 17.41 on page 437. [2] The figures for each year show the total number and amount of the policies in force at the date of the last valuation of each company, which may have been at any time within the preceding five years. In the case of policies with profits the 'sum assured' includes reversionary bonuses in force at the date of valuation but excludes any further bonuses allotted as a result of that valuation. [3] Excluding insurers (mainly mutual insurers) which are exempt from submitting fully detailed accounts under Section 92 of the Companies Act, 1967. [4] Figures for 1969 and later years are not comparable with those for earlier years. The Insurance Companies (Accounts and Forms) Regulations, 1968, substantially altered the reporting requirements, and much overseas business previously included was excluded from 1969 onwards.

Source: Department of Trade

Insurance business other than life 1959-68 [1] [2]

Insurers incorporated in the United Kingdom

TABLE **17.49**

£ thousand

	1959	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968 [3]
Accident insurance business										
Income:										
Funds at beginning of year	20,913	22,404	23,735	28,028	30,101	33,753	31,966	34,097	37,565	41,600
Premiums (*less* reinsurances)	28,606	31,598	35,777	38,622	42,150	46,300	48,551	50,632	53,474	61,310
Interest (*less* tax)	186	213	251	261	302	336	188	242	344	411
Miscellaneous [4] [5]	505	237	2,496	481	1,130	1,007	629	1,322	2,205	1,318
Outgoings	50,209	54,453	62,260	67,391	73,683	81,396	81,334	86,293	93,588	104,639
Payments under policies [6]	14,385	15,768	18,617	20,462	22,310	24,514	25,780	26,928	27,141	30,654
Commission	5,547	5,986	6,691	7,324	7,950	8,647	9,422	9,886	10,691	12,032
Expenses of management	5,245	5,833	6,646	7,541	8,142	8,755	9,345	9,663	10,015	11,156
Miscellaneous [4]	2,598	2,232	2,204	1,902	1,432	2,222	2,713	3,798	4,240	4,005
Funds at end of year:										
Unexpired risks	10,308	11,419	12,994	13,915	15,343	16,897	17,961	18,300	20,561	22,779
Estimate for outstanding claims	6,697	7,349	8,704	9,437	11,140	12,095	12,592	13,573	15,046	17,478
Additional reserve	5,428	5,866	6,404	6,810	7,367	8,266	3,521	4,145	5,893	6,535
Capital redemption, sinking fund, etc. business										
Income:										
Funds at beginning of year	65,554	60,965	56,640	54,588	51,676	49,516	48,625	46,356	43,988	39,917
Premiums (*less* reinsurances)	2,131	2,219	2,565	2,857	2,240	2,283	2,290	2,130	2,015	1,997
Consideration for annuities certain	1,615	1,728	1,303	1,519	1,586	1,521	980	1,055	1,032	2,556
Interest (*less* tax)	2,720	2,577	2,533	2,433	2,279	2,226	2,137	2,052	2,112	2,201
Miscellaneous [4] [5]	34	74	464	2	90	63	30	5	61	811
Outgoings	72,055	67,563	63,505	61,398	57,870	55,610	54,061	51,598	49,208	47,482
Claims, maturities and surrenders	4,921	4,506	3,229	3,230	2,867	2,545	3,168	3,931	3,417	2,679
Annuities certain	5,217	4,852	4,491	4,116	3,858	3,535	3,183	2,837	2,649	2,489
Commission	37	55	59	53	58	46	33	17	25	42
Expenses of management	328	304	286	274	253	241	226	199	184	156
Miscellaneous [4]	586	762	851	582	1,318	886	1,096	577	1,209	1,729
Funds at end of year	60,965	57,084	54,588	53,142	49,516	48,357	46,356	44,037	41,724	40,387
Fire insurance business										
Income:										
Funds at beginning of year	169,557	175,856	174,999	192,972	195,914	198,046	207,097	218,691	236,699	252,081
Premiums (*less* reinsurances)	277,876	286,724	302,860	314,783	317,175	338,944	368,161	395,286	421,006	498,085
Interest (*less* tax)	387	355	369	398	399	359	438	492	518	601
Miscellaneous [4] [5]	2,555	2,190	17,402	12,519	35,299	12,530	14,485	6,480	20,774	21,309
Outgoings	450,376	465,125	495,630	520,673	548,787	549,881	590,181	620,949	678,997	772,076
Claims paid and outstanding	139,242	148,370	158,447	177,747	201,349	186,763	207,920	212,840	234,577	285,400
Commission	62,640	63,753	66,968	69,600	70,305	72,877	77,832	83,274	86,408	99,217
Expenses of management	58,724	60,416	64,681	67,126	69,585	72,134	75,835	81,374	85,787	95,607
Miscellaneous [4]	14,658	12,036	12,498	10,101	9,699	10,869	9,944	15,954	20,852	16,872
Funds at end of year:										
Unexpired risks	124,270	127,621	131,604	136,169	143,457	151,835	162,566	192,981	214,101	255,020
Additional reserve	50,841	52,929	61,430	59,930	54,392	55,402	56,084	34,526	37,272	19,960

[1] Up to and including 1962, figures for each year relate to companies' accounts for that year deposited with the Board of Trade up to 31 December of the following year. For 1963, the figures relate to the companies' accounting years ended on or after 31 December, 1963, and, on or before 31 August, 1964. From 1964 onwards, the year is for each company included, its accounting year which ended between September of the year shown and 31 August of the following year. These differences have no appreciable effect on the comparability of the figures in successive years. [2] In 1969 changes were made in the classification of the different categories of business and much overseas business previously included was excluded. Figures for 1969 are not comparable with those for earlier years, Table 17.50 shows figures from 1969 to 1974. [3] Excluding insurers (mainly mutual insurers) which are exempt from submitting fully detailed accounts under Section 92 of the Companies Act, 1967. [4] Including transfers to or from profit and loss account. [5] The figure for 1961 includes adjustments due to the regrouping of companies. [6] Including medical and legal expenses.

Source: Department of Trade

Insurance business other than life 1959-68 [1] [2]

Insurers incorporated in the United Kingdom

TABLE 17.49 (*continued*)

£ thousand

	1959	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968 [3]
Marine, aviation and transit insurance business										
Income:										
Funds at beginning of year	110,860	115,435	118,170	133,292	134,227	135,396	135,733	132,472	134,052	161,031
Premiums (*less* commission and reinsurances)	80,440	84,545	91,200	91,887	95,487	100,166	104,439	114,062	130,784	163,862
Interest (*less* tax)										
Miscellaneous [4] [5]	958	1,043	12,920	618	1,046	1,761	3,670	9,574	21,934	15,468
Outgoings	192,257	201,022	222,290	225,797	230,760	237,323	243,842	256,108	286,770	340,361
Claims	63,892	61,280	70,087	72,070	75,200	80,602	94,996	107,526	112,568	132,443
Expenses of management	7,762	8,009	9,241	9,743	9,962	10,693	11,237	11,578	11,962	13,338
Miscellaneous [4]	5,168	7,004	9,671	10,272	10,412	9,473	4,660	2,962	2,823	2,378
Funds at end of year	115,435	124,729	133,292	133,711	135,187	136,555	132,949	134,042	159,418	192,202
Motor vehicle insurance business										
Income:										
Funds at beginning of year	111,605	118,122	123,389	141,549	149,898	164,255	185,617	201,419	212,715	231,980
Premiums (*less* reinsurances)	283,823	307,538	333,804	354,790	390,712	440,732	478,166	501,192	540,381	597,112
Interest (*less* tax)	347	390	434	480	513	560	807	848	915	971
Miscellaneous [4] [5]	4,907	6,674	16,759	9,019	20,548	23,582	15,583	11,470	20,893	24,809
Outgoings	400,681	432,724	474,386	505,838	561,670	629,130	680,173	714,929	774,904	854,872
Claims paid and outstanding	182,973	199,970	219,908	233,158	265,532	296,342	320,706	340,059	360,953	409,895
Commission	46,585	48,140	51,872	54,476	60,602	68,594	72,247	75,174	81,199	89,359
Expenses of management	47,752	51,439	56,545	60,647	66,188	72,574	78,138	80,726	85,568	93,854
Miscellaneous [4]	5,086	5,186	6,826	7,465	4,942	5,910	6,938	7,946	16,188	14,840
Funds at end of year:										
Unexpired risks	113,440	122,995	133,558	141,356	155,288	175,533	189,703	197,877	216,363	237,087
Additional reserve	4,846	4,994	5,677	8,736	9,118	10,177	12,441	13,147	14,632	9,837
Miscellaneous insurance business										
Income:										
Funds at beginning of year	100,425	106,513	113,187	120,710	124,894	131,563	139,869	148,388	179,821	197,047
Premiums (*less* reinsurances)	194,897	208,684	218,426	230,826	247,996	266,501	287,592	314,289	345,258	399,724
Interest (*less* tax)	414	465	492	539	583	646	791	882	922	1,001
Miscellaneous [4] [5]	3,518	3,344	7,482	2,110	7,044	3,538	5,306	7,853	25,580	16,026
Outgoings	299,254	319,004	339,587	354,186	380,516	402,248	433,558	471,411	551,581	613,798
Claims paid and outstanding	112,866	121,133	130,593	135,560	151,044	158,846	173,352	193,877	220,010	254,282
Commission	33,783	35,681	37,821	38,965	41,751	45,265	48,112	52,408	57,167	64,317
Expenses of management	33,817	36,291	39,057	41,000	44,258	45,995	49,959	54,160	58,082	67,050
Miscellaneous [4]	12,146	12,420	12,373	13,517	11,860	12,105	13,666	10,768	15,628	10,256
Funds at end of year:										
Unexpired risks	81,453	86,954	91,494	95,740	104,649	111,956	120,227	134,138	164,579	191,970
Additional reserve	25,190	26,525	28,249	29,404	26,955	28,081	28,242	26,060	36,115	25,923

See footnotes on page 444.

Source: Department of Trade

Insurance business other than long-term 1969–74 [1] [2] [3]

Insurers incorporated in the United Kingdom

TABLE 17.50

£ thousand

	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974
Liability						
Income:						
Amounts brought forward	261,368	294,412	346,999	415,772	531,980	712,216
Net premiums	173,307	194,459	223,167	264,689	321,087	390,006
Interest, dividends and rents [4]	782	883	165	1,114	1,872	4,266
Other income [5]	11,875	11,721	16,534	38,631	50,634	50,393
Expenditure	447,332	501,475	586,865	720,206	905,573	1,156,881
Net claims	95,989	106,136	117,314	131,828	164,546	219,289
Commission	23,568	25,942	28,613	34,184	40,862	47,920
Expenses of management	26,874	29,004	32,298	36,327	40,130	48,912
Other expenditure [6]	5,295	5,326	5,744	6,395	9,888	13,648
Amounts carried forward:						
Unearned premiums and unexpired risks carried forward	74,322	80,782	94,499	124,701	149,045	165,669
Claims outstanding carried forward	220,981	253,817	307,834	386,024	500,048	660,960
Claims equalisation carried forward	303	468	563	747	1,054	483
Marine, aviation and transport						
Funds brought forward [7]	174,560	207,424	233,163	279,292	322,450	367,165
Other amounts brought forward	7,133	7,342	22,637	25,223	30,823	33,858
Net premiums	180,396	217,750	242,755	262,053	276,163	337,318
Interest, dividends and rents [4]	151	173	185	203	304	440
Other income [5]	5,297	3,647	3,406	9,641	5,848	21,955
Expenditure	367,537	436,336	502,146	576,412	635,588	760,736
Net claims	131,210	151,206	159,139	176,787	200,244	248,867
Commission	1,866	2,321	5,254	6,223	6,700	7,038
Expenses of management	14,966	16,676	20,290	21,293	22,749	28,072
Other expenditure [6]	3,795	9,304	12,963	20,983	19,016	37,441
Funds carried forward [7]	207,035	251,188	280,590	321,334	352,394	403,734
Other amount carried forward:						
Unearned premiums and unexpired risks carried forward	4,703	2,928	10,742	8,960	9,893	10,487
Claims outstanding carried forward	3,900	2,637	13,071	20,734	24,488	25,093
Claims equalisation carried forward	62	76	97	98	104	4
Motor vehicle:						
Income:						
Amounts brought forward	494,100	510,991	562,642	663,151	812,937	950,395
Net premiums	498,706	525,795	636,316	764,558	871,726	938,114
Interest, dividends and rents [4]	971	1,292	1,684	1,911	2,285	5,373
Other income [5]	30,197	38,650	28,711	32,770	32,263	51,986
Expenditure	1,023,974	1,076,728	1,229,353	1,462,390	1,719,211	1,945,868
Net claims	333,664	351,774	389,201	438,444	509,231	585,756
Commission	73,442	74,417	85,840	103,703	118,406	127,125
Expenses of management	82,064	83,764	98,951	110,771	122,345	142,694
Other expenditure [6]	5,672	7,701	6,793	17,237	27,707	24,790
Amounts carried forward:						
Unearned premiums and unexpired risks carried forward	202,524	209,053	248,645	302,357	342,369	369,953
Claims outstanding carried forward	326,164	349,354	399,301	488,978	596,325	693,099
Claims equalisation carried forward	444	665	622	900	2,828	2,451
Pecuniary loss						
Income:						
Amounts brought forward	55,454	60,989	70,160	78,385	103,683	156,508
Net premiums	44,325	51,407	60,550	73,700	106,138	185,702
Interest, dividends and rents [4]	165	202	213	223	299	2,342
Other income [5]	749	1,173	490	1,540	2,530	5,878
Expenditure	100,693	113,771	131,413	153,848	212,650	350,430
Net claims	16,337	20,671	23,155	22,739	39,879	98,309
Commission	4,863	5,219	6,159	8,023	9,926	11,128
Expenses of management	11,592	12,483	15,292	16,601	24,038	36,510
Other expenditure [6]	4,964	8,361	10,738	15,692	16,944	15,681
Amounts carried forward:						
Unearned premiums and unexpired risks carried forward	30,226	32,385	37,765	46,263	63,147	95,204
Claims outstanding carried forward	31,999	33,936	37,545	44,381	58,494	83,942
Claims equalisation carried forward	712	716	759	149	222	9,656

Source: Department of Trade   See footnotes on page 447.

Insurance business other than long-term 1969–74[1] [2] [3]

TABLE 17.50 *(continued)*

Insurers incorporated in the United Kingdom

£ thousand

	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974
Personal accident						
Income:						
Amounts brought forward	26,710	28,013	29,345	33,984	40,562	45,184
Net premiums	44,621	46,891	50,167	56,417	65,643	72,931
Interest, dividends and rents[4]	49	56	56	62	99	158
Other income[5]	407	526	910	1,108	1,986	1,574
Expenditure	71,787	75,486	80,478	91,571	108,290	119,847
Net claims	23,674	24,820	25,301	27,954	32,397	36,117
Commission	8,722	9,251	10,158	11,557	13,699	15,235
Expenses of management	8,427	8,874	9,677	10,223	11,635	13,605
Other expenditure[6]	2,649	3,513	3,234	3,801	5,326	5,739
Amounts carried forward:						
Unearned premiums and unexpired risks carried forward	16,249	16,421	17,906	19,837	23,170	24,888
Claims outstanding carried forward	12,049	12,590	14,179	18,173	22,021	24,076
Claims equalisation carried forward	17	17	23	26	42	187
Property						
Income:						
Amounts brought forward	330,696	351,098	384,970	438,375	534,227	623,177
Net premiums	439,748	489,069	549,631	646,690	758,964	867,524
Interest, dividends and rents[4]	587	675	758	839	1,380	2,298
Other income[5]	8,575	6,769	2,076	6,401	13,328	30,803
Expenditure	779,606	847,611	937,435	1,092,305	1,307,899	1,523,802
Net claims	223,318	240,177	258,858	281,919	324,225	428,213
Commission	70,117	77,467	84,931	101,209	123,689	141,301
Expenses of management	102,737	110,905	123,606	135,705	156,044	182,839
Other expenditure[6]	19,466	27,576	45,707	66,439	86,633	47,801
Amounts carried forward:						
Unearned premiums and unexpired risks carried forward	223,465	236,318	256,516	300,203	350,001	388,031
Claims outstanding carried forward	131,762	147,122	164,043	202,124	261,894	332,519
Claims equalisation carried forward	8,741	8,046	3,774	4,706	5,413	3,098
Treaty reinsurance accepted[8]						
Income:						
Amounts brought forward	192,493	188,979	223,457	247,726	290,615	362,847
Net premiums	185,729	187,589	218,576	259,085	306,899	369,580
Interest, dividends and rents[4]	214	257	331	419	828	1,367
Other income[5]	8,018	11,301	11,079	16,529	27,515	39,467
Expenditure	386,454	388,126	453,443	523,759	625,857	773,261
Net claims	108,935	112,431	133,766	142,868	163,786	207,721
Commission	55,255	54,979	62,955	76,391	88,403	105,994
Expenses of management	8,545	8,543	10,398	11,435	12,819	17,043
Other expenditure[6]	4,178	4,503	5,155	8,513	11,775	11,473
Amounts carried forward:						
Unearned premiums and unexpired risks carried forward	68,329	67,123	74,436	82,919	101,750	126,388
Claims outstanding carried forward	141,212	140,547	166,478	201,066	246,600	302,972
Claims equalisation carried forward	–	–	255	567	724	1,670

[1] The 'year' is, for each company included, its accounting year which ended between 1 September of the year shown and 31 August of the following year. [2] In 1969 changes were made in the classification of the different categories of business and much overseas business previously included was excluded. Figures for 1969 are not comparable with those for earlier years and therefore this table showing figures for 1969 and later years was introduced. The classes of business distinguished are those set out in Part III of Schedule 2 of The Insurance Companies (Accounts and Forms) Regulations 1968. [3] Excluding insurers (mainly mutual insurers) which are exempt from submitting fully detailed accounts under Section 92 of the Companies Act, 1967. [4] Interest, etc. is shown before tax. [5] Including transfers from profit and loss account. [6] Including taxation and transfers to profit and loss account. [7] Relates to companies presenting three-year revenue statements. [8] Not dealt with in earlier categories.

Source: Department of Trade

Returns of industrial assurances taken up and discontinued

TABLE **17.51** Great Britain Thousands

	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
Industrial assurance companies[1]											
Paying:											
Assurances taken up during year	4,351	4,305	4,298	4,239	4,165	3,897	3,561	3,579	3,355	3,317	3,318
Assurances discontinued during year:											
Claims on death	992	996	928	969	945	942	872	880	864	825	799
Claims on maturity	676	790	850	916	911	873	861	922	907	917	901
Surrender for cash	2,001	2,202	2,420	2,373	2,430	2,467	2,337	2,143	1,780	1,789	1,733
Conversion to free policies:											
For full sums assured	440	432	432	430	439	420	432	438	438	448	372
For reduced sums assured	613	614	568	497	513	486	471	414	353	323	334
Forfeiture without grant of free policy or cash surrender value	680	704	699	703	656	650	652	618	608	603	574
Assurances in force at end of year	67,160	65,722	64,173	62,532	60,800	58,862	56,796	54,740	53,107	51,516	50,134
Free:											
Assurances converted to free policies during year	1,052	1,045	1,000	927	952	906	903	852	791	772	706
Assurances discontinued during year:											
Claims on death	504	522	484	529	503	500	492	513	522	518	504
Claims on maturity	39	43	44	45	39	31	34	38	32	32	33
Surrender for cash	539	471	472	423	389	351	346	332	262	240	209
Assurances in force at end of year	15,538	15,541	15,570	15,501	15,522	15,542	15,545	15,507	15,479	15,460	15,415
Collecting societies[2]											
Paying:											
Assurances taken up during year	999	981	963	919	923	903	809	816	776	746	707
Assurances discontinued during year:											
Claims on death	361	364	328	336	330	322	287	297	278	268	257
Claims on maturity	113	124	128	120	114	109	113	118	115	116	117
Surrender for cash	328	363	306	316	322	411	415	421	344	340	322
Conversion to free policies:											
For full sums assured	174	185	190	182	194	191	317	200	198	200	197
For reduced sums assured	275	297	335	343	346	315	268	285	234	228	214
Forfeiture without grant of free policy or cash surrender value	173	186	204	189	186	193	163	161	136	133	123
Assurances in force at end of year	21,444	20,848	20,314	19,737	19,163	18,523	17,763	17,095	16,562	16,021	15,499
Free:											
Assurances converted to free policies during year	449	482	525	525	540	506	585	485	432	428	411
Assurances discontinued during year:											
Claims on death	171	182	170	187	183	189	189	213	203	201	200
Claims on maturity	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	2	1	1	1
Surrender for cash	296	234	264	320	298	308	268	277	222	212	207
Assurances in force at end of year	7,563	7,575	7,669	7,685	7,741	7,748	7,875	7,867	7,873	7,892	7,893

[1] Industrial assurance companies incorporated in Great Britain. [2] Collecting societies registered in Great Britain.

Source: Office of the Industrial Assurance Commissioner

Acquisitions and mergers of companies

Analysis of expenditure by industry group of acquiring company

TABLE 17.61

	Expenditure (£ million) [1]							Number of companies acquired						
	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Industrial and commercial companies														
Manufacturing industries:														
Food	7	22	168	32	29	14	75	18	21	31	48	19	11	12
Drink	47	28	128	4	1	22	20	11	9	10	8	3	5	4
Tobacco	91	15	362	12	—	—	—	10	4	4	2	—	1	1
Chemical and allied industries	108	34	69	39	14	24	17	34	25	26	31	32	13	17
Metal manufacture	67	42	26	34	11	22	25	27	29	21	24	10	13	13
Non-electrical engineering	39	47	107	68	25	21	20	67	79	121	119	52	30	34
Electrical engineering	18	36	50	38	25	23	20	31	32	41	38	19	24	25
Ship-building and marine engineering	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	1	3	4	—	—
Vehicles	18	4	23	8	3	1	2	17	15	26	19	9	4	7
Metal goods not elsewhere specified	20	19	88	74	27	9	9	28	38	45	36	22	16	17
Textiles	27	19	38	51	15	4	6	42	32	65	74	26	12	18
Clothing, leather, fur and footwear	15	27	43	11	4	6	3	47	43	46	32	12	8	10
Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.	54	32	13	21	13	3	2	32	30	33	52	10	9	6
Timber, furniture, etc.	16	5	12	17	14	9	1	22	15	27	34	14	4	7
Paper, printing, publishing	134	28	151	32	16	7	15	34	28	50	57	21	9	11
Other	13	14	15	19	5	3	5	21	24	33	43	12	5	10
Total manufacturing	674	372	1,293	462	203	168	220	441	424	580	620	265	164	192
Construction	22	36	90	63	11	10	37	41	60	83	77	30	35	28
Transport and communication	15	41	94	37	126	12	8	24	46	51	39	26	10	7
Wholesale distribution	38	48	101	72	45	18	16	69	82	124	127	66	36	17
Retail distribution	26	53	196	148	5	18	27	33	44	66	84	16	16	27
Miscellaneous services	150	141	486	143	17	17	60	100	102	141	133	53	36	42
Total manufacturing and distribution, etc.	925	691	2,260	925	407	243	368	708	758	1,045	1,080	456	297	313
Agriculture and mining	5	8	76	25	9	1	1	15	20	34	29	22	7	6
Property	150	167	126	273	57	7	13	27	78	100	66	10	7	9
Industrial holding companies	42	45	70	81	35	40	45	43	28	31	30	16	4	25
Total all industrial and commercial companies	1,122	911	2,532	1,304	508	291	427	793	884	1,210	1,205	504	315	353
Financial companies														
Banks	99	37	123	145	33	40	10	16	3	11	10	6	7	5
Hire purchase finance houses	16	—	1	1	5	3	—	2	—	5	3	2	2	1
Insurance companies	21	83	59	156	20	26	58	8	4	13	22	18	15	10
Investment trust companies	110	68	104	18	3	50	37	43	28	20	12	5	21	4
Unit trust management companies	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	—
Other financial companies	38	65	118	119	72	48	25	31	42	72	61	33	26	29
Total financial companies	284	254	406	438	132	169	130	100	77	121	108	66	73	49
All companies total	1,406	1,165	2,938	1,742	640	460	557	893	961	1,331	1,313	570	388	402

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[1] A merger (which takes place when two companies combine to form a new company) is reckoned as the acquisition of the smaller company by the larger and is valued at the market value of the smaller company's share in the newly formed company.

Sources: Department of Trade; Bank of England

Income and finance of listed companies[1] [2]

Balance sheet summary

TABLE 17.62

£ million

Balance sheet at end of 'year' [3]	1968	1969	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1974	1975
Number of companies	*1,829*	*1,701*	*1,366*	*1,308*	*1,239*	*1,168*	*1,116*	*1,084*	*1,058*	*1,044*
Fixed assets:										
Tangible fixed assets, net	12,389	13,120	12,967	13,707	14,949	16,672	19,282	21,709	22,116	24,759
Goodwill	1,118	1,290	1,255	1,405	1,572	1,992	2,278	2,565	2,605	2,441
Investment in unconsolidated subsidiaries	66	92	112	153	139	146	158	139	142	188
Total fixed assets, net	13,573	14,502	14,334	15,264	16,660	18,810	21,717	24,413	24,863	27,388
Current assets:										
Stocks and work in progress	7,467	8,208	7,913	8,741	9,053	9,865	12,627	16,418	16,494	18,189
Trade and other debtors, etc.	7,500	8,362	8,148	8,948	8,757	9,980	12,479	13,905	13,742	14,853
Investments:										
British government securities [4]	15	14	16	13	14	7	17	25	23	31
Loans to local authorities [4]	18	11	7	2	2	2	2	4	3	5
Other listed securities [5]	778	674	690	715	799	986	1,187	980	968	1,107
Unlisted securities [5]	723	789	830	972	1,168	1,371	1,666	1,811	1,847	2,045
Total investments	1,533	1,487	1,543	1,702	1,983	2,366	2,871	2,819	2,841	3,189
Tax reserve certificates [4]	41	29	31	30	36	24	5	2	1	—
Treasury bills [4]	2	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	2
Cash, etc.	1,206	1,238	1,260	1,210	1,554	2,427	3,037	2,608	2,579	3,484
Total current assets and investments	17,749	19,325	18,894	20,631	21,383	24,662	31,021	35,753	35,659	39,716
Less Current liabilities:										
Bank overdrafts and loans	2,114	2,601	2,505	3,001	2,911	3,251	4,611	6,346	6,360	6,227
Trade and other creditors, etc.	5,838	7,000	6,895	8,131	8,415	9,736	13,126	15,805	15,858	17,941
Dividends and interests due—net (gross 1967—1972) [6]	611	622	611	621	693	1,049	705	624	626	732
Current taxation [6] [7]	1,709	1,859	1,868	1,688	1,595	1,667	2,215	1,715	1,759	1,497
Total current liabilities	10,273	12,082	11,879	13,441	13,616	15,703	20,657	24,491	24,603	26,397
Net current assets	7,476	7,243	7,015	7,190	7,767	8,959	10,363	11,263	11,055	13,319
Total net assets	21,049	21,745	21,349	22,454	22,428	27,769	32,081	35,676	35,918	40,707
Financed by:										
Deferred taxation (including tax equalisation) [7]	429	471	446	499	766	1,162	1,970	3,307	3,360	4,924
Long-term loans	4,151	4,355	4,443	4,767	5,250	5,912	6,672	6,779	6,892	7,339
Minority interests in subsidiaries	813	900	897	865	973	1,092	1,329	1,461	1,417	1,584
Shareholders' interest:										
Ordinary shares	6,020	6,199	6,012	6,187	6,390	6,857	7,149	7,244	7,248	8,004
Preference, etc. shares	734	606	559	533	515	491	493	490	463	449
Capital and revenue reserves	8,902	9,215	8,993	9,603	10,533	12,254	14,468	16,395	16,539	18,407
Total shareholders' interest	15,656	16,019	15,564	16,323	17,438	19,602	22,110	24,129	24,250	28,860
Accumulated depreciation on fixed assets	7,333	7,852	7,635	8,382	8,979	9,867	11,054	12,072	12,040	13,540
Ratio of immediate assets to current liabilities per cent [8]	*100.1*	*92.0*	*92.4*	*88.5*	*90.6*	*94.2*	*89.0*	*78.9*	*77.9*	*81.6*

[1] The figures are derived from the accounts of listed companies engaged mainly in the United Kingdom in manufacturing, distribution, construction and certain miscellaneous services. They exclude companies whose main interests are in agriculture, shipping, insurance, banking, finance and property and those operating wholly or mainly overseas. [2] The figures for 1968 and 1969 are confined to listed companies with net assets of £500,000 or more or gross income of £50,000 or more in 1964. The figures for 1970 (with comparable figures for 1969) to 1974 are confined to listed companies with net assets of £2.0 million or more or gross income of £0.2 million or more in 1968. The figures for 1975 (with comparable figures for 1974) are confined to listed companies with net assets of £5.0 million or more or gross income of £0.5 million or more in 1973. [3] The 'year' is, for each company included, its accounting year which ended between 6 April of the year shown and 5 April of the following year. About a third of the 1,044 companies analysed for 1975 had accounting years ending in December 1975 and another third had accounting years ending in 1976, up to and including 5 April 1976. [4] So far as recorded separately. [5] Includes trade investments which prior to 1968 were not divided between listed and unlisted securities. [6] From 1968 to 1972 dividends are recorded gross of income tax and Advanced Corporation tax. From 1973 they are recorded as net of tax. Under the 1972 Finance Act a company was required to pay Advanced Corporation tax on dividends paid after 5 April 1973; income tax is no longer payable on these distributions. Any Advance Corporation tax payable on dividends declared in 1972, but not paid until after 5 April 1973 has been included with dividends in the figures for 1972, and excluded from the current tax charge. [7] From 1968 onwards all corporation tax is classified as a current liability irrespective of the date on which it is payable, prior to 1968 corporation tax and income tax due on January 1 in the fiscal year beginning after the end of a company's balance sheet date is classified as deferred tax. For 1973 all amounts of Advance Corporation tax to be set against future corporation tax payments have been deducted from current taxation. [8] Immediate assets are current assets (including investments) *less* stocks and work in progress.

Source: Department of Trade

Income and finance of listed companies [1] [2]

Sources and uses of company funds

TABLE **17.63**

£ million

Accounts for 'year' [3]	1968	1969	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1974	1975
Number of companies	*1,829*	*1,701*	*1,366*	*1,308*	*1,239*	*1,168*	*1,116*	*1,084*	*1,058*	*1,044*
Source of funds										
Proceeds from issue of loan and share capital:										
For cash:										
Ordinary shares	229	172	200	56	107	173	36	77	94	725
Preference, etc. shares	−62	−12	−12	−2	−1	−3	–	2	−1	−9
Long-term loans	255	182	208	220	398	270	529	92	47	328
Total for cash	421	343	396	274	504	440	564	171	140	1,043
In exchange for subsidiaries:										
Ordinary shares	1,114	468	506	471	388	827	340	79	70	48
Preference, etc. shares	13	9	10	5	6	4	17	3	3	–
Long-term loans	286	171	185	153	150	349	240	57	57	38
Total in exchange for subsidiaries	1,412	649	702	629	544	1,180	597	139	130	85
Total receipts from issues	1,834	991	1,098	903	1,048	1,621	1,160	310	270	1,128
Increase in amount owing to banks	225	492	485	503	−110	315	1,335	1,760	1,780	−93
Increase in trade and other creditors, etc.	644	1,064	1,073	1,191	178	1,198	3,189	2,919	2,945	2,148
Gross income from trading and other activities	3,900	3,999	3,979	3,999	4,575	5,707	7,070	7,371	7,446	7,818
Other capital receipts	292	276	276	307	241	232	256	151	148	195
Total sources of funds	6,895	6,821	6,911	6,903	5,931	9,073	13,010	12,511	12,589	11,197
Uses of funds										
Taxation payments	893	992	983	1,125	1,012	950	1,453	1,672	1,680	1,500
Dividend distributions—net (gross 1967–1972)	952	957	939	953	999	802	870	981	991	946
Interest on long-term loans	247	282	284	306	355	395	480	525	543	576
Total payments out of income	2,093	2,231	2,205	2,385	2,367	2,147	2,802	3,178	3,214	3,022
Expenditure										
Tangible fixed assets	1,680	1,882	1,878	2,012	2,072	2,152	2,956	3,445	3,537	3,583
Adjustments due to consolidation	−98	−91	−81	−59	−109	−101	−158	−106	−108	−50
Intangible assets	27	45	32	24	2	16	51	21	24	22
Acquisition of subsidiaries:										
By issue of shares and loans	1,412	649	702	629	544	1,180	597	139	130	85
By cash	281	186	168	183	330	477	512	403	408	300
Total acquisition of subsidiaries	1,694	835	870	812	875	1,657	1,108	542	538	385
Other expenditure on capital account	91	108	107	94	113	140	101	171	181	217
Total expenditure on fixed assets, etc.	3,395	2,779	2,807	2,882	2,953	3,864	4,058	4,072	4,172	4,155
Increase in current assets and investments										
Stocks	453	815	819	817	306	763	2,694	3,855	3,846	1,620
Trade and other debtors, etc.	823	934	960	820	−164	1,112	2,480	1,715	1,690	1,217
Investments	54	1	25	41	107	341	422	108	86	270
Tax reserve certificates [4]	−17	−16	−16	–	6	−13	−10	−3	−4	−1
Cash, etc.	95	78	111	−41	357	859	565	−413	−415	914
Total increase in current assets and investments	1,408	1,812	1,899	1,636	612	3,061	6,150	5,262	5,202	4,020
Total uses of funds	6,895	6,821	6,911	6,903	5,931	9,073	13,010	12,511	12,589	11,197

[1]–[4] See footnotes to Table 17.62 on page 450.

Source: Department of Trade

Income and finance of listed companies[1] [2]

TABLE **17.64**

Income and appropriation account

£ million

Accounts for 'year'[3]	1968	1969	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1974	1975
Number of companies	*1,829*	*1,701*	*1,366*	*1,308*	*1,239*	*1,168*	*1,116*	*1,084*	*1,058*	*1,044*
Income from trading and other activities:										
Gross trading profit[9]	3,711	3,880	3,868	3,884	4,482	5,887	7,398	8,043	8,103	8,680
Interest on short term loans	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	−315	−560	−977	−977	−1,049
Hire of plant and machinery	. .	−112	−112	−145	−176	−207	−276	−308	−316	−416
Income from listed investments[10]	174	49	49	47	55	62	78	86	86	110
Income from unlisted investments[10]		133	133	177	198	253	424	510	504	441
Prior year adjustments other than tax	−5	1	−2	2	4	9	−5	4	4	3
Other revenue income	20	47	43	33	12	20	12	13	42	49
Gross income	3,900	3,999	3,979	3,999	4,575	5,707	7,070	7,371	7,446	7,818
Other capital receipts	292	276	276	307	241	232	256	151	148	195
Total	4,192	4,275	4,255	4,306	4,816	5,939	7,326	7,523	7,594	8,014
Appropriation of income from trading and other activities:										
Depreciation provisions	1,050	1,112	1,088	1,171	1,294	1,427	1,635	1,819	1,841	2,093
Amounts written off	11	21	11	17	13	29	56	82	94	72
Taxation										
Current UK taxation [11]	1,579	892	904	778	760	769	1,371	1,134	1,146	1,198
Overseas taxation	238	284	269	278	282	334	518	627	589	617
Transfer to deferred taxation [12]	−657	22	24	41	156	281	458	797	827	905
Prior year tax adjustments	−20	−18	−17	−55	−49	−34	−15	−62	−60	−63
Total taxation	1,139	1,180	1,179	1,042	1,149	1,350	2,332	2,497	2,503	2,658
Interest on long term loans	249	282	284	306	354	394	479	522	541	578
Dividends—net (gross 1967—1972)[11]										
Ordinary	916	932	919	934	1,037	1,117	854	882	897	1,023
Preference, etc.	49	40	37	34	36	33	24	23	22	23
Asset renewals and replacement reserves	. .	5	5	4	6	13	17	27	32	61
Retained profits and other capital receipts	777	703	731	796	928	1,577	1,929	1,670	1,663	1,506
Total	4,192	4,275	4,255	4,306	4,816	5,939	7,326	7,523	7,594	8,014

[1]—[3] See footnotes to Table 17.62 on page 450. [9] After charging interest on short-term loans (prior to 1972 only), directors' fees and emoluments, pensions to past directors, superannuation payments, compensation for loss of office, auditors' fees, etc., any exceptional payments (e.g. on re-organisation or closure), and prior to 1970 payments for hire of plant and machinery, but excluding any profit or loss on disposal of assets, and before allowing for depreciation provisions. [10] See footnote [5] to Table 17.62. [11] See footnote [6] to Table 17.62. [12] Prior to 1969 the figures represent the annual increase in deferred taxation reserves as recorded in the balance sheet after adjusting for acquisitions, etc.

Source: Department of Trade

Income and finance of listed companies[1] [2]

TABLE **17.65**

Supplementary information[13]

Accounts for 'year'[3]		1968	1969	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1974	1975
Number of companies		*1,829*	*1,701*	*1,366*	*1,308*	*1,236*	*1,168*	*1,116*	*1,084*	*1,058*	*1,044*
Turnover (excluding intergroup sales [14]	*£ million*			41,722	46,098	48,532	54,663	66,756	80,898	80,728	94,304
Exports	,,	. .	. .	3,897	4,254	4,684	4,835	6,043	8,000	8,055	9,588
Political contributions	,,	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	1	1	1	1
Charitable contributions	,,	. .	6	6	6	6	6	9	9	9	10
Contracts for capital expenditure placed but not provided for	,,	820	977	1,021	1,164	876	1,070	1,672	2,249	2,290	1,829
Aggregate remuneration paid to UK employees per year	,,	. .	. .	6,595	7,382	7,892	8,542	9,869	11,622	11,821	14,318
Average number of employees per week in UK	*Thousands*	. .	. .	6,195	6,205	5,939	5,832	5,937	5,895	5,999	5,755

[1]—[3] See footnotes to Table 17.62 on page 450. [13] So far as recorded separately. [14] Total turnover including sales by overseas subsidiaries.

Source: Department of Trade

Bankruptcies, etc.

TABLE **17.71**

England and Wales

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Number of bankruptcies, etc.											
Debtors adjudicated bankrupt . .	3,672	3,995	3,896	4,347	4,622	4,353	3,860	3,363	5,191	6,676	6,681
Compositions and schemes of arrangement	7	4	3	3	5	1	5	5	4	2	–
Administration orders of decreased debtors' estates . .	27	30	27	19	29	13	19	12	13	20	19
Liabilities (£ thousand)											
Debtors adjudicated bankrupt . .	16,298	19,253	17,384	19,173	21,775	29,284	20,237	19,102	41,681	81,553	76,692
Compositions and schemes of arrangement	18	15	25	3	69	19	46	15	43	13	–
Administration orders of deceased debtors' estates . . .	690	332	319	132	315	107	164	568	168	2,718	1,517
Assets (£ thousand)											
Debtors adjudicated bankrupt . .	3,390	4,581	4,558	6,630	6,526	6,595	8,231	8,640	14,562	21,215	22,300
Compositions and schemes of arrangement	6	6	5	–	12	17	15	2	26	6	–
Administration orders of deceased debtors' estates . . .	101	118	116	59	84	38	111	245	109	543	212

Source: Department of Trade

Deeds of arrangements

TABLE **17.72**

England and Wales

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Number registered											
Assignments of property to trustees for benefit of creditors	187	155	131	198	165	137	85	92	98	120	86
Other deeds of arrangement	7	5	7	14	9	8	7	3	8	3	10
Liabilities (£ thousand)											
Assignments of property to trustees for benefit of creditors	2,243	1,907	1,325	2,712	2,427	2,092	1,126	1,190	6,261	62,851	36,238
Other deeds of arrangement	37	40	55	163	113	299	61	148	1,573	51	295
Assets (£ thousand)											
Assignments of property to trustees for benefit of creditors	1,126	996	727	1,474	1,052	819	654	664	3,152	1,820	1,678
Other deeds of arrangement	20	17	48	48	89	120	19	24	413	56	91

Source: Department of Trade

Sequestrations (bankruptcies)

Scotland

TABLE **17.73**

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Number of sequestrations[1] [2]. . . .	69	81	59	82	84	64	75	47	63	89	80
Liabilities (£ thousand).	987	1,099	774	830	1,545	843	1,206	968	1,619	3,461	3,171
Assets (£ thousand).	161	416	232	327	373	196	404	535	559	1,513	1,305

[1] In Scotland private trust deeds are not registered with the Accountant and particulars of them are not available. The only deeds of arrangement with creditors registered are those terminating sequestrations. [2] Sequestrations awarded but not brought into operation are excluded from these figures.

Source: The Accountant of Court, Edinburgh

Bankruptcies, etc.

Northern Ireland

TABLE **17.74**

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Number of bankruptcies, etc.											
Bankruptcies	19	12	30	15	23	27	20	19	25	37	49
Deeds of arrangement	—	2	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—
Arrangement under the control of the court.	25	18	17	25	35	35	14	4	5	4	1
Insolvent estates.	—	1	1	1	2	1	1	2	2	1	1
Liabilities[1] (£ thousand)											
Bankruptcies	94	48	383	219	189	320	646	196	466	1,008	970
Deeds of arrangement	—	46	25	—	1	—	—	—	—	147	—
Arrangement under the control of the court	130	222	95	203	394	698	150	90	159	277	10
Insolvent estates.	—	1	5	6	13	2	4	15	63	16	15
Assets[1] (£ thousand)											
Bankruptcies	39	21	101	92	67	30	97	19	98	175	554
Deeds of arrangement	—	11	8	—	1	—	—	—	—	53	—
Arrangement under the control of the court.	56	157	41	63	151	421	38	49	55	52	5
Insolvent estates.	—	213	2	3	6	1	1	11	50	12	11

[1] Disclosed by debtor or personal representative.

Source: Supreme Court

TABLE 17.75

Company liquidations

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
England and Wales											
Compulsory liquidations	934	1,230	1,108	1,181	1,269	1,166	1,150	1,080	1,395	2,287	2,511
Voluntary liquidations:											
Creditors'	2,322	2,235	2,109	2,376	2,420	2,340	1,913	1,495	2,325	3,111	3,428
Members'	8,190	4,908	6,108	4,940	4,579	4,450	4,680	4,297	3,746	3,917	4,173
Total liquidations notified (all types)	11,446	8,373	9,325	8,497	8,268	7,956	7,743	6,872	7,466	9,315	10,112
Scotland											
Compulsory liquidations	35	50	35	27	68	40	39	25	42	53	84
Voluntary liquidations:											
Creditors'	125	130	100	145	129	115	129	73	113	151	145
Members'	457	316	395	329	317	301	304	270	264	276	299
Total liquidations notified (all types)	617	496	530	501	514	456	472	368	419	480	528
Northern Ireland											
Compulsory liquidations	1	4	—	3	—	—	—	3	1	3	7
Voluntary liquidations:											
Creditors'	19	19	23	12	19	26	14	12	12	15	42
Members'	56	51	45	33	43	51	38	31	29	36	38
Total liquidations notified (all types)	76	74	68	48	62	77	52	46	42	54	87

Sources: Department of Trade; The Registrar of Companies, Edinburgh; Department of Commerce, Belfast

XVIII. Prices

Index of retail prices

TABLE **18.1**

Indices for main groups [1]

	All items	Food	Alcoholic drink	Tobacco	Housing	Fuel and light	Durable household goods	Clothing and footwear	Transport and vehicles	Miscellaneous goods	Services	Meals bought and consumed outside the home
	17 January 1956 = 100											
Weights 1956 to 1961	*1,000*	*350*	*71*	*80*	*87*	*55*	*66*	*106*	*68*	*59*	*58*	
1962 January 16	117.5	110.7	108.2	123.6	140.6	130.6	102.1	106.6	126.7	128.2	130.1	
	16 January 1962 = 100											
Weights												
1962	*1,000*	*319*	*64*	*79*	*102*	*62*	*64*	*98*	*92*	*64*	*56*	
1963	*1,000*	*319*	*63*	*77*	*104*	*63*	*64*	*98*	*93*	*63*	*56*	
1964	*1,000*	*314*	*63*	*74*	*107*	*66*	*62*	*95*	*100*	*63*	*56*	
1965	*1,000*	*311*	*65*	*76*	*109*	*65*	*59*	*92*	*105*	*63*	*55*	
1966	*1,000*	*298*	*67*	*77*	*113*	*64*	*57*	*91*	*116*	*61*	*56*	
1967	*1,000*	*293*	*67*	*72*	*118*	*62*	*59*	*92*	*118*	*61*	*58*	
1968	*1,000*	*263*	*63*	*66*	*121*	*62*	*59*	*89*	*120*	*60*	*56*	*41*
1969	*1,000*	*254*	*64*	*68*	*118*	*61*	*60*	*86*	*124*	*66*	*57*	*42*
1970	*1,000*	*255*	*66*	*64*	*119*	*61*	*60*	*86*	*126*	*65*	*55*	*43*
1971	*1,000*	*250*	*65*	*59*	*119*	*60*	*61*	*87*	*136*	*65*	*54*	*44*
1972	*1,000*	*251*	*66*	*53*	*121*	*60*	*58*	*89*	*139*	*65*	*52*	*46*
1973	*1,000*	*248*	*73*	*49*	*126*	*58*	*58*	*89*	*135*	*65*	*53*	*46*
1974	*1,000*	*253*	*70*	*43*	*124*	*52*	*64*	*91*	*135*	*63*	*54*	*51*
Monthly averages												
1962	101.6	102.3	100.3	100.0	103.3	101.3	100.4	102.0	100.5	100.6	101.9	
1963	103.6	104.8	102.3	100.0	108.4	106.0	100.1	103.5	100.5	101.9	104.0	
1964	107.0	107.8	107.9	105.8	114.0	109.3	102.3	104.9	102.1	105.0	106.9	
1965	112.1	111.6	117.1	118.0	120.5	114.5	104.8	107.0	106.7	109.0	112.7	
1966	116.5	115.6	121.7	120.8	128.5	120.9	107.2	109.9	109.9	112.5	120.5	
1967	119.4	118.5	125.3	120.8	134.5	124.3	109.0	111.7	112.2	113.7	126.4	
1968	125.0	123.2	127.1	125.5	141.3	133.8	113.2	113.4	119.1	124.5	132.4	126.9
1969	131.8	131.0	136.2	135.5	147.0	137.8	118.3	117.7	123.9	132.3	142.5	135.0
1970	140.2	140.1	143.9	136.3	158.1	145.7	126.0	123.8	132.1	142.8	153.8	145.5
1971	153.4	155.6	152.7	138.5	172.6	160.9	135.4	132.2	147.2	159.1	169.6	165.0
1972	164.3	169.4	159.0	139.5	190.7	173.4	140.5	141.8	155.9	168.0	180.5	180.3
1973	179.4	194.9	164.2	141.2	213.1	178.3	148.7	155.1	165.0	172.6	202.4	211.0
1974	208.2	230.0	182.1	164.8	238.2	208.8	170.8	182.3	194.3	202.7	227.2	248.3
1974 January 15	191.8	216.7	166.0	142.2	225.1	188.6	158.3	166.6	175.0	182.2	212.8	229.5
	15 January 1974 = 100											
Weights												
1974	*1,000*	*253*	*70*	*43*	*124*	*52*	*64*	*91*	*135*	*63*	*54*	*51*
1975	*1,000*	*232*	*82*	*46*	*108*	*53*	*70*	*89*	*149*	*71*	*52*	*48*
1976	*1,000*	*228*	*81*	*46*	*112*	*56*	*75*	*84*	*140*	*74*	*57*	*47*
Monthly averages												
1974	108.5	106.1	109.7	115.9	105.8	110.7	107.9	109.4	111.0	111.2	106.8	108.2
1975	134.8	133.3	135.2	147.7	125.5	147.4	131.2	125.7	143.9	138.6	135.5	132.4
1976	157.1	159.9	159.3	171.3	143.2	182.4	144.2	139.4	166.0	161.3	159.5	157.3
1976 March 16	150.6	153.8	151.9	162.8	136.3	169.7	141.9	135.9	157.4	154.7	155.7	149.5
June 15	156.0	156.7	159.7	175.3	143.1	183.8	141.5	137.7	165.2	159.3	159.4	156.3
September 14	160.6	164.4	164.1	175.3	145.4	187.3	143.8	142.4	170.6	163.8	161.6	161.2
December 14[2]	168.0	176.1	166.9	179.7	153.6	196.7	151.8	146.8	176.4	170.8	164.8	169.1

[1] The index of retail prices replaced the interim index from January 1956 (Indices of the interim index of retail prices for the period 1952 to January 1956 were last published in *Annual Abstract of Statistics* No. 103, 1965). A new set of weights was introduced, based on ascertained expenditure in 1953–54, valued at January 1956 prices. Between January 1962 and 1974 the weights have been revised each January on the basis of ascertained expenditure in the three years ended in the previous June, valued at prices obtaining at the date of revision. From 1975 the weights have been revised on expenditure for the latest available year. [2] The number of quotations used in compiling the indices for this month was less than normal because of industrial action by some employees of the Department of Employment Group.

Source: Department of Employment

Wholesale prices: index numbers of materials purchased by manufacturing industry

Annual averages

TABLE **18.2**

1970 = 100

	1968 SIC Minimum List Headings	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Materials and fuel purchased by manufacturing industry:	Orders III to XIX	91.5	95.0	100.0	104.6	109.2	144.5	215.3	235.5	299.0
Materials [1]		91.2	95.1	100.0	104.1	108.6	147.6	222.8	239.8	306.5
Coal (except for carbonising) gas and electricity		93.5	94.6	100.0	107.9	111.9	113.5	144.3	193.7	227.2
Materials and fuel purchased by manufacturing industry, other than food, drink and tobacco manufacturing industries:	Orders IV to XIX	92.2	96.0	100.0	103.6	107.7	141.2	230.6	251.7	317.6
Materials [1]		92.0	96.2	100.0	103.0	107.1	145.2	242.8	260.0	330.5
Materials and fuel purchased by the food, drink and tobacco manufacturing industries	Order III	91.5	93.8	100.0	107.7	112.6	141.2	175.8	202.4	255.6
Materials and fuel purchased by selected broad sectors of industry										
Food manufacturing industries	211 to 229	89.6	92.6	100.0	107.1	112.9	147.4	178.3	201.6	257.6
Materials		. .	. .	100.0	107.0	112.9	148.5	178.8	201.4	257.9
Fuel [2]		94.2	96.3	100.0	110.6	114.0	117.6	164.9	208.3	250.2
Food manufacturing industries (excluding animal and poultry foods)	211 to 229 (excluding MLH 219)	90.2	93.1	100.0	107.7	113.2	142.2	172.4	199.8	254.6
Chemicals and allied industries	Order V	91.2	93.5	100.0	108.8	112.2	135.9	215.4	239.1	283.8
Steel industries	311 and 312	90.1	91.7	100.0	110.3	114.4	124.9	174.9	226.1	279.8
Non-ferrous metal industry	321 to 323	84.5	96.1	100.0	88.6	87.8	117.7	158.4	144.5	188.5
Mechanical engineering industries	Order VII (excluding 342)	85.7	90.3	100.0	107.9	113.0	127.7	175.0	208.1	251.8
Electrical engineering industries	Order IX	86.3	93.9	100.0	100.5	104.6	127.6	167.3	179.3	221.1
Electrical machinery industry	361	85.5	91.0	100.0	104.6	108.9	126.2	170.6	193.6	236.0
Insulated wires and cables industry	362	83.8	96.6	100.0	90.8	92.3	124.4	155.2	137.3	177.5
Radio and electronic components industry	364	87.5	92.3	100.0	106.0	110.8	124.0	162.3	193.3	230.0
Domestic appliances industry	368	87.0	91.8	100.0	105.8	111.1	123.6	160.0	189.4	227.1
Electrical goods industries n.e.s.	369	86.5	92.7	100.0	103.4	108.8	125.9	165.1	186.2	223.2
Shipbuilding and marine engineering industries	Order X	87.3	91.5	100.0	106.4	110.1	125.2	168.7	206.4	245.0
Motor vehicle industry	381	86.2	90.2	100.0	109.9	115.9	126.5	166.3	209.2	253.7
Metal goods industries	Order XII	87.1	91.9	100.0	106.1	113.6	135.6	190.9	222.5	264.1
Textile industries	Order XIII	97.2	98.6	100.0	104.8	119.0	166.7	189.9	201.7	265.5
Man-made fibres industry	411	93.9	95.6	100.0	105.7	108.1	113.9	167.8	209.7	253.5
Woollen and worsted industry	414	102.6	103.7	100.0	100.5	132.9	221.2	207.8	206.7	294.7
Household textiles and handkerchiefs industry	422/1	89.7	93.8	100.0	106.9	114.5	135.9	185.5	193.2	233.8
Clothing and footwear industries	Order XV	92.2	96.3	100.0	105.7	116.8	138.3	168.3	182.4	214.1
Footwear industry	450	90.5	97.5	100.0	104.3	124.7	141.9	162.8	181.2	216.9
Bricks, cement, etc., industries	461, 464 and 469	90.7	93.0	100.0	111.1	117.8	125.9	170.6	219.8	264.4
Pottery and glass industries	462 and 463	91.8	94.3	100.0	110.0	116.6	124.5	165.7	211.1	255.1
Timber industries	Order XVII	89.6	94.5	100.0	105.9	114.2	162.9	215.4	218.0	271.9
Paper industries	481 to 484	87.0	91.3	100.0	106.2	108.9	124.8	187.3	241.1	279.5
Paper and board making industry	481	84.5	90.3	100.0	105.5	106.6	123.6	189.3	248.0	292.3
Construction materials	Order XX	88.7	92.1	100.0	109.1	116.4	136.6	175.4	205.7	249.8
House building materials	Part of Order XX	88.9	92.3	100.0	110.1	118.4	141.2	178.0	207.5	252.9

[1] Includes crude oil and coal for carbonising. [2] Includes petroleum products.

Source: Department of Industry

Wholesale prices: index numbers of output of manufactured goods (home sales)

TABLE 18.3

Annual averages

1970 = 100

	1968 SIC Minimum List Headings	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Output of manufactured products [1]	Orders III to XIX	89.9	93.4	100.0	109.0	114.8	123.2	152.0	188.7	219.6
Products of manufacturing industries, other than food, drink and tobacco	Orders IV to XIX	89.8	92.6	100.0	110.2	116.8	126.1	157.2	194.9	227.1
Output of selected broad sectors of industry										
Products of the food manufacturing industries	211 to 229	89.8	93.0	100.0	109.2	114.1	132.6	165.4	199.8	230.8
Products of the food manufacturing industries (excluding animal and poultry foods)	211 to 229 (excluding 219)	89.8	93.1	100.0	109.1	115.0	128.5	160.0	200.1	228.4
Chemicals and allied industries [1]	Order V	94.7	95.5	100.0	108.2	113.7	118.9	152.8	188.7	217.5
Metal manufacturing	Order VI	. .	. .	100.0	105.0	110.1	126.2	169.8	203.3	247.3
Steel industries	311 and 312	82.5	86.4	100.0	109.1	115.0	125.9	175.3	226.7	269.9
Engineering and allied industries	Orders VII to XII	87.9	91.3	100.0	110.3	116.2	124.5	151.4	190.5	222.6
Mechanical engineering	Order VII (excluding 342)	87.3	90.7	100.0	110.6	117.9	126.0	153.7	196.6	231.2
Instrument engineering	Order VIII	92.0	94.9	100.0	107.6	113.0	117.1	133.3	165.6	194.1
Electrical engineering	Order IX	88.6	91.9	100.0	108.1	113.3	119.5	142.8	173.2	202.6
Vehicles	Order XI (excl. MLH 383)	90.5	92.8	100.0	110.6	120.4	129.7	158.9	207.4	243.0
Metal goods industries n.e.s.	Order XII	85.4	90.0	100.0	107.8	114.3	126.9	161.4	196.8	233.7
Textile industries	Order XIII	94.1	96.9	100.0	104.9	112.2	131.7	162.2	178.6	205.9
Clothing and footwear	Order XV	93.8	96.2	100.0	106.5	113.4	122.0	141.7	163.6	184.2
Made-up clothing	441 to 445 and 449	94.2	96.4	100.0	106.4	112.2	119.4	139.1	159.9	179.3
Bricks, cement, etc., industries	461, 464 and 469	. .	. .	100.0	113.0	121.2	127.8	154.2	202.6	248.6
Pottery and glass industries	462 and 463	. .	. .	100.0	112.7	118.4	123.8	146.0	195.1	227.6
Timber industries	Order XVII	90.0	93.2	100.0	111.1	120.6	141.1	177.4	203.9	232.1
Paper industries	481 to 484	86.5	90.4	100.0	107.5	113.5	123.5	171.0	222.3	249.6
New construction [2]	Order XX	90	93	100	107	119	147	185	223	257

[1] Reductions in the VAT exclusive price of alcoholic liquor, tobacco and cigarettes, matches and mechanical lighters took place in April 1973. These reductions resulted from lower revenue duties designed to offset additional tax revenue from VAT. With unchanged prices in April for these products, index numbers for 1973 would have been higher by the following: All manufactured products: 1.3; chemicals and allied industries: 0.2.

[2] Index of building and civil engineering costs.

Sources: Department of Industry; Department of the Environment

Wholesale prices: index numbers of commodities produced in the United Kingdom

Annual averages

TABLE 18.4

1970 = 100

	1968 SIC Minimum List Heading	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Coal	101	87.0	87.9	100.0	117.8	128.1	133.7	183.2	290.4	344.1
Domestic coal		87.9	90.1	100.0	106.9	118.8	120.2	132.6	183.7	237.6
Granite and other chippings, aggregates and roadstones	102/1	97.7	97.6	100.0	103.9	109.4	115.9	144.5	191.1	227.2
Coated limestone roadstone		91.5	95.4	100.0	111.1	119.9	128.2	185.8	242.8	312.0
Slates	102/2	95.8	96.8	100.0	120.5	128.9	137.6	178.1	240.3	309.1
Sand and gravel—ex-pit or works	103	92.9	94.5	100.0	113.9	119.0	122.5	141.8	182.9	231.6
Salt	109/3	97.4	97.4	100.0	113.1	121.8	123.1	133.7	173.0	213.1
Flour for breadmaking	211/1	98.6	99.3	100.0	105.5	112.5	131.5	246.2	261.5	278.6
Sugar, bulk granulated	216	97.8	101.4	100.0	113.3	119.1	127.9	166.2	338.6	297.3
Chocolate and sugar confectionery	217	85.4	91.5	100.0	107.7	115.4	120.2	159.1	212.6	238.3
Brewing and malting [1]	231	88.9	95.5	100.0	104.7	109.3	98.0	110.0	141.8	169.8
Tobacco [1]	240	91.8	99.7	100.0	101.0	101.5	94.5	108.3	142.3	165.0
Motor spirit, two star (including duty) [2]	262	89.4	98.6	100.0	105.0	106.6	111.5	146.5	173.2	203.9
Medium fuel oil (950 secs.—including duty) [2]		101.3	98.0	100.0	124.3	128.0	135.1	243.3	298.1	370.1
Derv fuel (including duty) [2]		91.0	99.3	100.0	104.7	106.2	109.8	140.7	150.1	190.1
Lubricating oils and greases	263	97.6	96.5	100.0	113.6	118.8	133.1	190.2	205.9	245.3
General chemicals	271	95.3	96.4	100.0	107.0	109.8	114.4	158.4	201.1	244.6
Acetic acid, BSS 576-1950		98.1	98.1	100.0	102.6	106.3	109.3	146.4	175.6	216.1
Acetone, BS 509-1964		97.1	98.3	100.0	98.6	98.6	98.6	146.0	202.2	255.2
Aluminium sulphate (14 per cent, Al_2O_3)		97.9	97.9	100.0	109.0	115.4	128.2	152.8	215.7	257.2
Barium carbonate, precipitated 98/99 per cent in powder form		86.4	92.5	100.0	114.6	128.5	132.2	189.0	230.5	278.4
Ethyl alcohol, industrial, BS 507-1966 (PBS)		96.7	96.8	100.0	106.4	112.9	115.8	203.2	259.4	328.0
Hydrogen peroxide, 130 vol		95.2	95.2	100.0	107.8	112.4	115.1	121.1	148.0	171.5
Liquid chlorine		90.9	93.9	100.0	110.5	115.4	118.1	129.4	161.4	208.1
Methanol		95.6	95.6	100.0	105.3	105.3	105.3	105.3	117.7	142.9
Nitric acid, concentrated, 100 per cent		93.0	92.4	100.0	113.2	123.8	127.8	145.6	190.2	217.8
Phenols		95.6	95.6	100.0	100.5	100.6	101.9	217.4	253.4	286.7
Phosphorus and its compounds		96.4	96.4	100.0	126.3	133.7	141.2	162.8	328.3	353.6
Salicylic acid technical or commercial grade		97.8	100.0	100.0	115.0	115.0	115.0	167.5	224.9	265.2
Soda ash, light		88.0	90.7	100.0	110.8	119.0	128.0	169.8	250.8	323.4
Sodium cyanide 98/99 per cent		91.4	93.4	100.0	107.9	113.3	115.1	141.4	187.0	240.4
Trichlorethylene, metal degreasing		88.8	91.6	100.0	117.4	121.8	123.2	140.8	180.3	247.3
Pharmaceutical chemicals	272	86.6	87.5	100.0	110.4	107.7	112.6	137.6	183.1	212.3
Pharmaceutical preparations		99.7	98.3	100.0	103.6	109.1	112.3	126.9	160.7	192.1
Toilet preparations	273	92.3	93.9	100.0	108.3	118.6	124.3	136.8	164.3	189.6
Paint	274	93.1	94.0	100.0	112.4	120.6	127.5	161.9	203.5	224.5
Glycerine	275	119.0	102.5	100.0	106.2	111.9	116.0	187.5	230.6	269.3
Soap (excluding scouring powders)		88.3	92.1	100.0	108.9	116.9	128.7	165.4	196.4	213.1
Soapless detergents		92.5	95.2	100.0	105.4	109.4	113.3	146.2	175.2	195.4
Synthetic resins and plastics materials	276/1	96.5	97.1	100.0	102.6	103.8	105.6	156.4	181.8	210.8
Cellulose, acetate sheet, commercial clear transparent		90.7	92.1	100.0	108.6	110.3	118.9	145.1	188.8	216.6
Laminated materials		90.2	91.7	100.0	106.2	110.4	125.8	202.0	235.9	248.0
Phenolic and cresylic plastics; moulding powders		91.1	92.7	100.0	104.8	104.8	106.6	143.0	171.8	202.9
Polystyrene and styrene co-polymer moulding powders		100.0	101.2	100.0	102.0	102.5	107.0	176.6	203.7	241.1
Inorganic pigments and earth colours	277	84.9	92.2	100.0	98.8	107.3	120.0	142.8	169.2	206.7
Explosives, fireworks, etc.	279/3	86.3	89.7	100.0	112.4	124.1	132.1	156.3	204.8r	250.5
Formulated pesticides	279/4	98.3	98.2	100.0	102.4	108.7	114.0	146.8	198.5r	224.5
Photographic paper and film, and photochemical materials	279/7	94.4	95.5	100.0	106.1	111.5	114.2	132.5	169.3	194.4

See footnotes on page 461.

Source: Department of Industry

Wholesale prices: index numbers of commodities produced in the United Kingdom

TABLE **18.4** *(continued)*

Annual averages

1970 = 100

	1968 SIC Minimum List Heading	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Uncoated steel sheets—other than stainless and electrical sheets	311/2	83.1	86.4	100.0	109.0	115.1	128.3	174.7	210.3	258.2
Tinplate		85.3	88.5	100.0	110.9	117.1	128.6	188.2	216.5	251.7
Finished steel		82.3	86.2	100.0	109.2	114.2	125.5	177.9	232.8	274.0
Heavy steel bars and sections		81.5	86.0	100.0	111.1	117.6	129.2	182.3	239.4	282.6
Light re-rolled bars and sections		84.1	86.6	100.0	111.1	116.8	130.5	186.9	231.9	282.7
Steel tubes—other than electric conduit tubes	312	82.2	85.0	100.0	111.0	119.5	127.8	179.6	242.5	293.8
Iron castings	313/3, 313/4	88.7	91.5	100.0	112.0	121.0	130.7	168.2	229.8	273.3
Cast and spun iron pipes and fittings	313/4	85.8	88.9	100.0	109.0	118.0	126.7	170.2	239.3	294.7
Aluminium: Rolled	321	89.6	94.6	100.0	104.4	107.7	116.4	143.8	167.0	203.3
Extruded and drawn aluminium products —other than wire		88.3	94.3	100.0	105.3	109.1	118.2	143.6	166.9	218.7
Aluminium: Castings		81.4	91.3	100.0	104.9	110.3	121.5	166.5	190.7	234.7
Aluminium: Forgings		88.3	91.4	100.0	106.1	107.8	113.2	137.7	169.8	206.7
Brass ingots	322	78.3	95.9	100.0	78.4	77.0	117.1	160.2	118.7	157.6
Agricultural machinery	331	88.2	91.6	100.0	109.4	119.2	131.0	159.0	200.4	237.8
Metal-working machine tools	332	86.2	90.1	100.0	110.7	118.0	127.3	164.0	215.0	250.2
Pumps, valves, compressors, fluid power equipment	333	86.2	89.8	100.0	110.1	116.8	125.7	153.1	197.6	227.5
Construction and earth-moving equipment	336	89.2	92.6	100.0	110.3	120.0	128.3	152.0	189.0	234.9
Cranes	337/2	90.9	93.2	100.0	106.4	114.5	123.0	146.5	189.4	220.6
Portable power tools	339/6	89.4	91.9	100.0	107.3	113.3	119.5	140.5	177.0	208.4
Gramophone records and pre-recorded tapes	365/1	98.8	98.7	100.0	106.9	115.7	125.2	132.3	161.6	183.9
Domestic electrical appliances	368	94.2	95.0	100.0	107.6	113.2	115.3	129.2	158.6	181.7
Electric cookers		97.8	98.8	100.0	106.7	118.7	124.8	137.7	158.8	186.3
Electric fires		93.1	94.9	100.0	110.0	115.4	116.7	129.0	158.2	191.2
Electric vacuum cleaners and polishers		93.7	92.7	100.0	111.1	114.7	116.9	132.9	165.5	188.5
Domestic electric refrigerators		96.7	96.5	100.0	104.9	107.4	105.9	122.4	158.0	177.3
Hand tools and implements	391	86.3	90.3	100.0	109.4	118.0	128.7	157.4	203.7	243.8
Cutlery and tableware	392	88.7	92.1	100.0	108.2	117.1	125.1	151.5	188.0	222.3
Knives, scissors, etc.		88.5	92.2	100.0	109.7	117.9	128.6	165.5	205.8	244.5
Razor blades		89.4	92.3	100.0	105.8	115.0	117.9	125.7	150.5	179.6
Spoons and forks		84.8	90.1	100.0	109.9	118.7	129.3	169.8	224.1	264.2
Domestic hollow-ware	399/6	86.2	90.6	100.0	113.1	121.6	129.2	156.8	189.1	214.8
Industrial hollow-ware	399/7	84.7	88.8	100.0	110.2	117.3	126.3	159.6	203.6	235.3
Domestic gas appliances	399/9	93.6	94.8	100.0	108.3	111.2	112.0	126.8	153.1	182.6
Man-made fibres production	411	97.9	98.5	100.0	103.1	103.6	105.7	137.9	156.9	175.4
All spun man-made fibres yarns	412, 414 } part	93.7	95.9	100.0	106.0	112.8	125.6	157.3	170.4	198.2
Cotton yarns, cotton—spun man-made fibres yarns and mixtures of both	412	90.9	94.4	100.0	107.2	115.2	143.9	191.0	185.0	248.8
Woven cotton cloth in the loomstate	413	85.0	91.7	100.0	108.0	117.4	138.8	193.8	190.2	229.1
Man-made fibres fabrics in the loomstate		93.7	96.0	100.0	106.8	114.8	132.1	172.5	195.0	212.6
Woven linen in the loomstate		89.4	91.9	100.0	106.3	114.8	139.0	192.5	213.1	256.4
Wool tops	414/1	105.2	106.8	100.0	92.8	144.6	275.3	218.2	189.2	294.1
Yarns of wool spun on the worsted system	414/2	95.1	99.6	100.0	101.1	127.9	188.3	189.5	191.3	237.4
Rope, twine and net	416	91.5	94.5	100.0	107.1	111.2	128.5	190.9	242.4	243.3
Cordage, cables, ropes and twine of textile materials		91.1	94.1	100.0	107.3	111.4	129.8	194.9	247.0	246.3
Hosiery and other knitted goods	417	98.0	99.4	100.0	102.0	104.9	116.2	139.5	153.1	169.2
Carpets and rugs	419	93.6	96.6	100.0	104.9	111.7	130.1	153.1	177.8	211.3
Carpets		93.7	96.7	100.0	104.7	111.6	130.0	152.9	177.5	211.0
Narrow fabrics	421	90.4	94.1	100.0	110.3	118.1	131.6	173.0	196.9	225.2
Asbestos manufactures	429/1	93.9	96.5	100.0	108.2	109.5	111.5	135.3	170.4	203.6
Leather for footwear	431/1	91.2	101.5	100.0	100.9	138.5	161.2	156.7	160.0	200.3
Travel goods	432	92.4	95.6	100.0	108.4	116.5	130.6	160.8	186.3	215.4
Weatherproof outerwear	441	95.9	97.0	100.0	105.3	108.9	116.6	141.2	162.2	180.2
Men's and boys' tailored outerwear	442	93.5	95.0	100.0	111.2	117.4	123.7	143.3	168.2	190.7
Women's and young girls' tailored outerwear	443	93.3	95.3	100.0	105.0	109.7	116.7	131.5	158.0	178.9
Light outerwear	445/1	95.8	98.0	100.0	103.2	109.1	115.4	129.2	143.4	155.7
Footwear—including rubber footwear	450	93.0	95.7	100.0	106.8	116.5	129.6	149.0	173.0	196.4

See footnotes on page 461.

Source: Department of Industry

Wholesale prices: index numbers of commodities produced in the United Kingdom

TABLE **18.4** *(continued)*

Annual averages

1970 = 100

	1968 SIC Minimum List Heading	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Refractory goods, including bricks	461/1	91.3	94.9	100.0	114.7	119.4	124.6	156.8	212.0	256.0
Non-refractory goods, including building bricks	461/2	90.9	92.9	100.0	112.8	124.2	135.5	164.6	208.5	250.8
Engineering bricks—delivered		90.7	93.9	100.0	116.8	138.3	156.1	200.7	235.8	285.2
Common building bricks—Fletton—delivered		82.2	85.8	100.0	111.1	120.6	129.2	148.6	208.1	235.1
Common building bricks—non-Fletton—ex-works		90.2	92.2	100.0	114.8	131.5	144.7	177.9	221.4	270.3
Glass products—other than flat glass and containers	463/1	93.0	94.7	100.0	111.3	117.1	123.4	143.5	193.0	230.4
Flat glass—including safety and silvered glass		89.5	91.6	100.0	111.0	117.9	122.7	140.0	191.5	222.9
Glass containers	463/2	90.4	92.4	100.0	115.6	118.6	122.3	150.1	203.6	234.7
Cement, delivered in bulk	464	85.0	86.3	100.0	120.3	127.4	127.4	145.6	204.2	251.5
Abrasive papers and cloths	469/1	91.7	94.6	100.0	109.3	120.1	135.1	170.0	216.0	255.1
Precast concrete products	469/2	92.3	93.0	100.0	111.6	118.7	128.3	149.2	193.4	238.3
Homegrown hardwood-sawn	471/1	89.5	93.5	100.0	108.5	117.5	165.0	222.2	224.0	243.0
Building joinery	471/2	88.8	91.8	100.0	114.5	127.4	158.6	194.1	225.7	265.8
Domestic furniture	472	91.2	94.0	100.0	109.4	118.4	130.0	155.4	185.4	208.0
Bedding, etc.	473	89.4	93.2	100.0	112.3	120.7	131.9	169.1	199.7	229.7
Paper and board	481	87.6	91.1	100.0	106.4	110.6	120.4	170.6	219.4	246.7
Cardboard boxes, cartons and packing cases—fibre board	482/1	82.7	89.3	100.0	107.5	113.4	124.1	168.5	220.2	250.1
Packaging products of paper and associated materials	482/2	90.3	91.4	100.0	106.4	116.4	131.2	198.8	254.2	274.4
Paper sacks		92.7	92.3	100.0	104.2	112.5	126.3	180.3	251.5	281.0
Paper bags		87.1	90.3	100.0	108.3	120.0	137.8	214.1	279.7	293.3
Manufactured stationery	483	85.6	90.3	100.0	110.7	118.2	127.9	166.8	217.7	249.0
Wallpaper	484/1	90.3	87.4	100.0	109.8	116.9	127.3	168.9	216.9	226.4
Rubber tyres and tubes	491/1	88.9	92.2	100.0	111.6	115.7	119.9	149.3	178.6	202.9
Rubber goods—other than tyres and tubes	491/2	85.5	90.7	100.0	111.8	117.2	126.4	171.2	210.1	238.6
Linoleum and felt base	492	91.6	93.9	100.0	109.6	112.5	115.9	146.4	183.9	208.8
Brushes and brooms	493	89.4	91.7	100.0	106.3	116.4	123.8	157.5	191.2	218.2
Toys and games	494/1	90.8	94.2	100.0	111.5	123.3	133.7	173.4	205.0	231.3
Metal toys		90.7	95.6	100.0	113.3	126.6	140.2	182.6	226.2	265.1
Dolls and soft toys		88.0	93.6	100.0	114.1	124.6	129.9	158.7	195.4	215.5
Pedal cars, scooters, toy perambulators and children's tricycles and bicycles		90.2	92.2	100.0	121.4	134.1	148.4	198.5	226.2	262.0
Perambulators, folding baby carriages, pushchairs	494/2	90.8	95.9	100.0	110.7	116.1	125.6	156.1	186.9	216.7
Sports equipment	494/3	94.5	96.5	100.0	104.2	110.3	117.2	137.0	164.6	193.7
Pencils—non-mechanical	495/1	90.5	94.1	100.0	114.9	119.3	132.5	167.7	205.8	236.0
Stationers' goods—other than pens and pencils	495/2	91.3	94.7	100.0	108.8	114.6	118.6	140.4	174.6	195.9
Plastics products—other than components, accessories and semi-manufactured goods	496/2	93.6	95.5	100.0	105.8	109.1	114.6	152.4	177.2	205.6

[1] Reductions in the VAT-exclusive price of beer and tobacco took place in April 1973. This reduction resulted from lower revenue duties designed to offset additional tax revenue from VAT. [2] Index based on scheduled outer zone prices for minimum bulk loads of 500 gallons (motor spirit 1,000 gallons) exclusive of rebates.

Source: Department of Industry

Wholesale prices: index numbers of commodities wholly or mainly imported into the United Kingdom

TABLE **18.5**

Annual averages

1970 = 100

	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Hides and skins	95.6	115.3	100.0	105.1	186.2	214.8	174.0	159.5	309.3
Imported	91.2	109.8	100.0	108.0	168.8	202.3	174.0	161.4	287.5
Native	102.3	123.9	100.0	100.7	212.7	234.0	174.0	156.7	342.6
Aluminium, virgin ingot, delivered	90.0	95.8	100.0	100.5	91.9	95.6	127.6	152.8	193.9
Copper [1]	87.7	103.6	100.0	75.3	72.5	123.3	148.8	94.6	132.2
Lead [1]	79.1	95.3	100.0	82.0	95.2	138.2	199.6	146.8	197.0
Nickel, refined, delivered [2]	74.2	83.1	100.0	101.5	103.1	114.8	135.9	168.3	226.6
Tin, ingot, min. 99.75 per cent [1]	85.1	93.3	100.0	93.9	98.4	128.6	228.4	201.9	276.8
Zinc [1]	88.9	96.8	100.0	102.9	122.5	282.0	429.2	272.3	320.2
Zinc [2]	87.9	93.5	100.0	109.2	122.0	168.6	259.9	286.1	345.8
Palm oil, crude, ex-refinery in bulk	72.0	74.2	100.0	107.7	88.2	159.4	320.2	205.1	233.4
Phosphate rock	95.1	95.0	100.0	99.8	105.5	126.6	360.9	437.6	382.1
Natural rubber	94.6	121.9	100.0	82.0	84.1	165.7	178.6	162.5	260.0
Sulphur, crude c.i.f. (for acid making)	173.9	149.1	100.0	93.1	86.5	98.4	159.8	259.1	292.6
Cotton, raw	104.4	96.4	100.0	112.9	116.6	204.2	229.5	196.9	356.7
American types	106.6	96.3	100.0	115.5	120.1	210.2	232.0	199.8	360.8
Egyptian types	93.7	96.5	100.0	100.2	99.1	174.4	217.2	182.5	336.5
Jute, raw, c. & f. Dundee:									
BWC grades	94.9	103.9	100.0	102.8	106.6	104.3	128.3	148.2	149.5
Silk, raw, delivered mill	83.8	83.3	100.0	92.8	105.9	193.6	158.3	141.4	183.9
Sisal, East Africa	114.3	113.5	100.0	113.7	143.4	312.0	676.8	476.5	486.3
Wool, raw	114.7	111.9	100.0	93.0	151.8	316.8	242.5	205.3	305.2
Merino, c.i.f. United Kingdom	124.4	116.1	100.0	90.4	149.7	355.6	259.4	214.5	277.1
Fine cross bred c.i.f. United Kingdom	121.8	113.4	100.0	94.5	159.0	349.4	250.8	204.7	303.7
Medium and coarse cross bred c.i.f. United Kingdom	104.1	106.7	100.0	103.4	173.7	303.5	256.2	228.7	386.6
Imported hardwood (ex-yard or wharf)	90.8	96.1	100.0	106.6	122.7	197.6	243.1	229.8	292.7
Imported plywood (delivered to consumers)	87.5	94.9	100.0	103.3	116.7	170.8	232.1	221.9	273.3
Imported softwood (delivered to consumers)	90.6	95.5	100.0	104.2	111.6	195.8	258.8	238.5	314.2
Woodpulp, imported	82.0	88.5	100.0	104.6	103.2	124.0	196.0	284.7	333.1

[1] London Metal Exchange Settlement price. [2] Producers' price.

Source: Department of Industry

Wholesale prices: annual average prices for selected commodities imported into the United Kingdom

TABLE **18.6**

	Unit of sale	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Aluminium virgin ingot, d/d consumers' works	£ per tonne	230.26	245.02	256.09	257.20	235.24	244.72	326.89	391.10	496.54
Copper [1]	,,	515.70	611.44	590.28	444.87	428.03	727.50	878.43	556.86	780.48
Lead, excluding duty or premium [1]	,,	100.19	120.76	126.78	104.05	120.72	175.29	253.19	186.13	250.05
Nickel, refined, 5 tonnes and over delivered consumer's works	,,	887.75	994.01	1,215.27	1,233.65	1,252.87	1,395.16	1,651.46	2,045.42	2,768.03
Tin, ingot, min. 99.75 per cent [1]	,,	1,302.95	1,428.91	1,531.57	1,438.25	1,507.67	1,968.89	3,499.82	3,092.07	4,246.20
Zinc, excluding duty or premium [1]	,,	109.42	119.24	123.22	126.92	151.00	347.53	529.24	335.70	394.72
Rubber, raw, No. 1 RSS nearest shipment, closing buyers price	p per kg	17.08	22.28	18.13	14.39	14.68	30.25	34.40	31.49	50.73
Jute, raw BWC grades, c. & f. Dundee	£ per tonne	129.99	144.37	138.88	142.83	148.19	144.89	178.65	205.91	207.95

[1] London Metal Exchange Settlement price.

Source: Department of Industry

Index numbers of agricultural prices

Agricultural products [1]

TABLE 18.7

Average of 1968/69—1971/72 (July-June years) = 100

	Weights	Harvest (July-June) year averages [2]							
		1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76
All products	*1,000*	93.1	96.8	102.9	107.2	124.1	157.1	177.1	230.6
Farm crops	*192*	90.9	103.9	101.7	103.5	116.2	169.7	190.8	311.4
Fatstock	*325*	89.9	95.0	104.7	110.4	142.2	161.3	175.1	223.0
Livestock products and poultry	*393*	94.8	95.1	103.1	107.0	111.5	149.7	172.8	200.5
Vegetables and fruit	*90*	102.5	95.8	97.6	104.1	130.9	147.1	174.1	217.2
Wheat	*52*	91.1	97.0	103.8	108.1	116.2	197.6	194.1	218.3
Barley	*65*	92.1	95.2	105.8	106.9	114.9	195.5	217.8	235.2
Oats	*5*	99.1	99.0	99.1	102.8	107.7	172.6	201.3	213.2
Field beans	*2*	99.9	94.1	113.9	92.1	131.1	185.9	164.4	226.8
Potatoes: early	*6*	65.1	120.0	122.5	92.4	105.1	125.6	156.0	481.3
main crop	*36*	91.6	131.3	87.5	89.6	117.7	113.2	150.2	626.2
Sugar beet	*22*	89.3	99.5	102.3	108.9	116.7	139.2	193.1	254.0
Hops	*4*	93.9	99.1	96.1	110.9	140.6	117.7	113.7	155.0
Cattle (clean)	*135*	89.6	93.9	105.9	110.6	147.9	160.9	171.8	210.6
Lambs	*26*	90.1	95.0	101.9	113.0	131.0	168.4	157.9	194.5
Hoggets	*11*	93.4	90.8	102.5	113.3	146.5	171.1	169.6	204.6
Sheep other (clean)	*1*	91.0	95.0	100.7	113.3	126.8	165.9	152.2	184.5
Pigs (all clean)	*112*	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	248.9
Pigs (clean): bacon factory	*59*	91.3	96.5	106.7	105.5	125.2	163.2	192.4	—
other	*53*	91.8	98.7	105.0	104.5	133.3	156.0	193.6	—
Cows	*30*	83.0	89.1	101.0	126.9	171.1	155.3	150.9	218.8
Calves	*2*	95.5	98.7	98.2	107.6	131.2	158.7	86.0	112.8
Ewes	*4*	83.6	93.4	102.1	120.9	159.8	169.3	140.8	191.4
Sows	*4*	95.8	116.7	90.0	97.5	152.5	179.2	176.3	280.2
Milk	*232*	93.0	93.3	102.0	111.6	114.3	136.4	173.7	212.4
Eggs	*93*	98.2	98.3	105.2	98.3	107.5	181.0	163.6	172.1
Wool	*7*	98.7	102.0	98.8	100.5	102.7	103.5	106.7	126.5
Poultry	*61*	95.8	96.2	104.7	103.3	108.0	158.0	190.7	207.0
Vegetables, outdoor: total	*43.0*	100.4	97.7	98.4	103.5	118.3	154.3	186.0	251.1
Brussel sprouts	*4.6*	103.7	110.8	84.3	101.2	121.1	191.3	179.4	288.7
Spring cabbage and greens	*2.8*	145.1	92.4	71.0	91.5	113.0	207.1	176.3	174.0
Cabbage: summer, autumn, winter	*3.7*	85.5	87.9	113.4	113.2	106.1	179.9	155.6	292.3
Savoy cabbage	*0.8*	121.8	88.8	93.9	95.5	97.6	187.0	167.4	266.0
Cauliflower and broccoli	*6.1*	94.4	90.4	102.6	112.6	123.1	152.2	193.3	239.8
Carrots	*3.8*	111.4	86.1	93.0	109.5	126.0	140.8	296.7	254.9
Beetroots	*1.0*	96.3	97.6	106.2	99.9	154.3	143.6	225.1	228.2
Beans: runner, french and dwarf	*2.9*	105.7	86.4	97.7	110.2	137.6	95.5	149.1	291.8
Onions: green	*2.2*	94.2	112.2	95.1	98.5	99.6	114.8	155.3	158.4
dry bulb	*1.3*	72.4	141.5	116.4	69.7	154.9	181.6	171.5	431.8
Peas: green, for marketing	*1.3*	79.4	94.1	129.4	97.1	93.6	113.5	194.5	258.6
for processing	*4.5*	95.7	96.3	102.1	105.9	114.5	119.1	169.4	194.4
harvested dry	*1.7*	100.9	106.4	105.1	87.6	94.6	176.7	257.5	272.5
Lettuce	*5.3*	97.1	101.9	97.3	103.7	114.6	164.7	151.0	262.0
Rhubarb	*1.0*	98.9	100.2	97.7	103.2	136.0	132.3	185.9	208.4
Fruit, outdoor: total	*26.0*	109.1	92.2	93.8	104.9	169.6	153.1	186.0	210.0
Apples: dessert	*9.4*	123.0	84.4	88.2	104.4	199.5	132.5	190.8	197.8
cooking	*3.4*	118.7	105.2	78.0	98.1	223.3	154.5	186.6	241.9
Plums	*1.7*	89.6	93.8	83.3	133.3	200.9	204.0	231.4	323.1
Pears	*1.9*	92.1	96.1	93.4	118.4	185.2	178.5	192.9	250.4
Cherries	*0.8*	87.5	115.1	96.4	101.0	101.4	145.9	180.7	234.5
Strawberries	*5.1*	93.0	89.9	121.6	95.5	105.1	158.9	158.7	173.6
Raspberries	*1.3*	89.5	101.8	102.3	106.4	143.3	181.2	193.6	160.6
Blackcurrants	*1.9*	118.0	90.3	80.3	111.4	122.2	151.1	179.3	185.3
Gooseberries	*0.5*	129.8	100.4	83.2	86.6	93.9	147.6	205.4	236.7
Indoor fruit and vegetables: total	*21.0*	98.9	96.2	100.6	104.3	108.7	125.1	135.1	156.6
Tomatoes	*9.2*	102.4	95.7	96.5	105.4	114.3	118.0	127.9	159.1
Cucumbers	*2.2*	105.4	101.5	99.5	93.6	91.4	129.5	128.0	148.5
Lettuce	*2.5*	97.3	103.0	104.9	94.8	111.4	157.5	164.1	163.3
Mushrooms	*7.1*	92.9	93.0	104.7	109.4	106.0	121.6	136.4	153.6

See footnotes on page 464.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Index numbers of agricultural prices

Cereals and fatstock [3]

TABLE 18.7 *(continued)*

Average of 1968/69-1971/72 (July-June years) = 100

	Harvest (July—June) year averages [2]							
	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76
Cereals:								
Wheat	93.1	97.0	112.4	97.5	141.8	241.0	236.8	266.3
Barley	90.0	89.9	118.7	101.4	125.6	219.4	244.4	264.0
Oats	94.9	94.1	116.7	94.3	122.8	226.4	264.0	279.7
Field beans	95.8	90.7	109.3	104.2	148.5	210.5	186.2	256.8
Fatstock:								
Cattle (clean)	88.4	90.4	103.4	117.8	158.8	172.8	162.1	203.2
Lambs	93.4	103.9	97.9	104.8	144.2	189.4	163.2	207.7
Hoggets	96.9	88.4	96.9	117.8	156.0	182.3	179.0	218.0
Sheep (other) clean	94.0	103.9	97.9	104.2	143.0	191.7	160.4	199.1
Pigs (all clean)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	248.9
Pigs (clean): bacon-factory	89.5	98.4	104.1	108.0	133.5	168.1	196.1	—
other	93.6	99.6	101.3	105.5	140.2	159.1	196.4	—

Agricultural materials and labour

Average of 1968/69-1971/72 (July-June years) = 100

	Weights	Harvest (July—June) year averages							
		1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76
Feedingstuffs:									
Whole wheat	*2*	90.1	96.5	112.2	101.2	143.5	239.5	223.6	264.3
Whole barley	*4*	90.2	88.4	119.1	102.3	135.7	227.1	232.5	271.0
Wheat offals	*2*	89.2	93.6	115.4	101.8	132.9	207.2	212.5	239.9
Barley meal	*3*	89.6	91.9	113.9	104.6	132.5	209.4	225.3	246.7
Maize meal	*1*	87.5	95.6	112.3	104.6	128.4	207.7	226.5	238.0
Dried beet pulp	*1*	93.7	96.0	104.0	106.3	115.5	203.5	258.7	272.5
White fish meal	*1*	83.7	103.7	111.3	101.3	180.6	279.1	162.8	194.9
All 'straight' feedingstuffs	*14*	89.5	93.2	114.4	102.9	137.0	222.9	223.3	252.7
Compound feedingstuffs [4]	*86*	90.7	94.5	108.2	106.6	124.6	191.9	203.9	216.8
All feedingstuffs	*100*	90.5	94.3	109.1	106.1	126.3	196.2	206.6	221.8
Fertilizers [5]	*95.8*	90.4	90.0	99.1	120.5	139.9	161.4	251.5	266.1
Lime [5]	*4.2*	88.8	94.5	99.1	117.6	127.9	172.1	184.3	258.4
Fertilizers and lime [5]	*100.0*	90.3	90.2	99.1	120.4	139.4	161.8	248.7	265.8
Fuel	—	94.6	95.1	101.2	109.1	115.7	142.8	189.8	228.7
Labour [6]	—	85.1	93.4	104.3	117.1	134.1	165.1	214.6	265.5

[1] Based on prices after addition of subsidy, or grant, where payable. The prices for cereals and fatstock include payments when made to producers under the Cereals Deficiency Payments Scheme and the Fatstock Guarantee Scheme respectively and from August 1974, payments under the Beef Premium Scheme; the prices for field beans include, from July 1968 to June 1971, the value of the Field Beans Grants. For milk and wool, the prices are those paid to producers by the marketing boards concerned; for sugar beet, they are the prices paid to growers by the British Sugar Corporation, for eggs, prices are those paid by packing stations to producers and eggs sold direct to consumers. Producer prices for potatoes are sometimes 'supported' on the market by the Potato Marketing Board with the aid of Exchequer contributions. [2] Calendar year indices for products are published in *Agricultural Statistics (UK).* [3] Based on market prices. These exclude payments made to producers under the Cereals Deficiency Payments Scheme, the Fatstock Guarantee Scheme and, from August 1974, payments under the Beef Premium Scheme, and, from July 1968 to June 1971, the Field Beans Grant Scheme. [4] Based on manufacturers' list prices. [5] Based on net prices to farmers after deduction of subsidy. [6] Based on the cost per hour of hired men in Great Britain.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

TABLE **18.8**

Commodity price trends

Marketing years

		1971/72 (1971)	1972/73 (1972)	1973/74 (1973)	1974/75 (1974)	1975/76 (1975)	1976/77 (1976) (forecast)	
								Imperial Unit
Wheat *£ per tonne*	Guaranteed price [1]	32.09	33.86	36.12	42.29	50.98	..	£ per ton ..
	Intervention price [2]	..	26.93	33.21	43.50	56.33	60.08	69.17
	Market price [1]	23.73	34.50	58.54	57.61	65.40	84.50	85.86
	Total return [3]	32.09	34.50	58.54	57.61	65.40	84.50	85.86
Barley *£ per tonne*	Guaranteed price [1]	28.54	30.71	32.68	38.17	46.06	..	..
	Intervention price [2]	..	22.79	28.45	38.08	52.90	60.16	61.13
	Market price [1]	24.13	29.93	52.21	58.11	64.26	83.00	84.33
	Total return [3]	28.54	30.71	52.21	58.11	64.26	83.00	84.33
Oats *£ per tonne*	Guaranteed price [1]	28.34	29.72	31.49	36.53	43.90	..	..
	Market price [1]	19.83	25.85	47.77	55.44	59.52	76.50	77.73
	Total return [3]	28.35	29.72	47.77	55.44	59.52	76.50	77.73
Rye *£ per tonne*	Guaranteed price [1]	21.26	21.26	..	..	..	..	..
	Market price [1]	25.54	26.04	45.52	56.50	61.49	80.00	81.28
Maize *£ per tonne*	Market price [1]	26.67	37.06	56.19	..	64.84	82.00	83.32
Oilseed rape *£ per tonne*	Average market price [4]	51.18	58.07	78.74	172.24	128.00	140.00	142.24
	Intervention price [5]	..	61.25	66.30	84.72	115.00	137.39	139.59
Hops *£ per 50 kg*	Average farm-gate price	38.12	49.25	41.43	43.75	53.17	67.10	£ per cental 60.89
Potatoes *£ per tonne*	Guaranteed price	16.29	16.29	16.73	21.65	27.56	39.37	£ per ton 40.00
	Market price [1]	14.82	19.30	18.77	25.40	103.90	140.56	142.82
	Retail price of white potatoes, loose (*p. per kg*) [6]	4.25	5.11	5.39	7.36	22.01	..	..
Sugar beet *£ per tonne*	Guaranteed price [7]	7.48	7.87	6.86	..	..	..	..
	Minimum beet price [7]	..	6.60	6.90	9.94	13.69	14.76	15.00
	Total return [7]	7.48	7.87	9.41	13.96	18.41	19.58	19.89
Sugar *£ per tonne*	Average price under Commonwealth Sugar Agreement (raw sugar) [8]	(45.19)	(56.41)	(56.99)	(104.23)	—	—	—
	Guaranteed price for ACP sugar (raw sugar) [9]	..	..	..	..	(256.00)	Jan–Mar (145.37) Apr–Dec (152.06)	Jan–Mar (147.70) Apr–Dec (154.50)
	Average world price (raw sugar) [10]	(45.45)	(71.48)	(97.89)	(300.31)	(213.02)	(157.00)	(159.30)
	Average ex-refinery price of granulated sugar in 50 kg sacks delivered	(82.29)	(87.08)	(93.45)	(119.89)	(232.09)	(216.42)	(219.89)
	Retail price of sugar, granulated (*p. per kg*) [6]	(9.12)	(10.00)	(10.47)	(14.04)	(29.52)	(25.24)	p. per 2lb (22.88)

Notes: Figures which relate to calendar years are shown in brackets. The CAP prices in the table have been converted at £1 = 2.40 Unit of account (ua) up to 1 February 1973 and at the different representative rates for the £ since then.

[1] For cereals, excluding maize, the market and guaranteed prices and the total returns are on an ex-farm basis and relate to grain taken into account in the Cereals Deficiency Payments Scheme. From 1 August 1976 the guaranteed prices for wheat, barley and oats were terminated and the market prices are ex-farm to UK producers, as for maize and also potatoes. [2] January East Coast intervention prices, at the intervention centres, except that the 1973 figures are notional. From 1974/75 the Community moved to a single intervention price for barley: the UK figures for January 1975 and 1976 reflect this but are reduced by the accession compensatory amount. From 1976/77 the Community moved to a single intervention price for wheat. [3] Average market price together with any deficiency payment. [4] Up to 1973/74 the price given is a typical contract price adjusted to delivered basis, 40 per cent oil content (up to 1972/73) or 42 per cent oil content (1973/74). From 1974/75 the average market price is given. [5] Southampton and Tilbury price at start of marketing year (July) for 1972/73 and 1973/74 and Tilbury price from 1974/75 and 1975/76 (Southampton ceased to be an intervention centre in 1973/74), from 1976/77 onwards the price is for Tilbury, Hull and Liverpool. [6] Unweighted averages of mid-monthly prices for the marketing year (including imported produce except where otherwise stated). These prices are collected in 200 areas of the United Kingdom for the General index of retail prices and published in the *Department of Employment Gazette.* [7] Prices are for beet of 16 per cent sugar content. The minimum beet prices (and also the guaranteed price for 1973/74, which applied to only a small part of the crop) are for beet at the farm-gate or collection point, and exclude allowances payable for the residual pulp and transport to the factory. The minimum price for 1972/73 was notional; those for 1973/74, 1974/75 and 1975/76 are weighted averages. The guaranteed prices for other years, and the figures for total return, are for beet delivered to the factory and include payment for transport and pulp. Total return for 1973/74 excludes higher prices for 'excess quota' beet. For 1976/77 the minimum beet price shown is guaranteed by the British Sugar Corporation; growers will receive the average minimum beet price fixed by the EEC if this exceeds the Corporation's guaranteed price. [8] Weighted average price paid under Commonwealth Sugar Agreement for raw sugar basis 96° polarisation f.o.b. Commonwealth ports. [9] Raw sugar 96° polarisation c.i.f. United Kingdom ports from the African, Caribbean and Pacific (ACP) States shown in Article 3(1) of the Sugar Protocol to the Convention of Lomé, 1975.

Footnotes [10]–[23] see pages 466 and 467.
Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Commodity price trends

TABLE **18.8** *(continued)*

Marketing years

		1971/72 (1971)	1972/73 (1972)	1973/74 (1973)	1974/75 (1974)	1975/76 (1975)	1976/77(1976) (forecast)	
								Imperial unit
Apples *£ per tonne*	Average farm-gate price							*£ per ton*
	Dessert	81.24	163.22	105.39	149.25	158.82	170.46	173.20
	Culinary	47.34	114.93	69.79	83.42	111.09	113.02	114.83
	Withdrawal price [11]	. .	. .	28.49	33.86	43.23	44.82	45.54
	Retail price of apples, dessert (*p. per kg*) [6]	21.73	27.61	26.53	32.57	35.05	. .	. .
Pears *£ per tonne*	Average farm-gate price	75.27	130.74	125.22	131.99	184.61	125.53	127.54
	Withdrawal price [11]	. .	. .	26.82	30.41	38.28	40.93	41.59
	Retail price of pears, dessert (*p. per kg*) [6]	21.20	26.25	29.12	31.05	39.26	. .	. .
								£ per ton
Tomatoes *£ per tonne*	Average farm-gate price	187.64	206.15	205.79	218.02	271.49	351.45	357.09
	Withdrawal price[11]	. .	. .	22.05	25.49	32.87	37.85	38.46
	Retail price of tomatoes *(p. per kg.)*[6]	36.47	43.14	48.85	57.30	40.38	. .	. .
Cauliflowers *£ per tonne*	Average farm-gate price	51.69	54.37	69.66	85.39	103.92	110.79	112.57
	Withdrawal price[11]	. .	. .	15.21	18.11	23.21	26.24	26.66
	Retail price of cauliflowers (*p. per kg.*)[6]	18.72	20.25	24.09	28.53	35.05	. .	. .
Herbage seeds *£ per 100 kg.*	Growers' prices[12]							
	Perennial Ryegrass[13]							*£ per cwt*
	High persistence (S23)	. .	21.65	49.21	64.96	29.00	56.00	28.45
	New varieties and others (S24)	. .	17.72	39.37	43.30	15.00	40.00	20.32
	Italian Ryegrass (S22)	13.78	13.78	25.59	41.34	30.00	60.00	30.48
	Timothy (S352)	30.31	33.46	39.37	50.19	52.00	84.00	42.67
	Cocksfoot (S37)	22.64	24.60	33.46	55.12	52.00	60.00	30.48
	Red Clover (Sabtoron)	. .	34.45	51.18	59.05	64.00	125.00	63.50
Cattle *£ per head*	1st quality Hereford/Fresian bull calves[14]	. .	(51.28)	(63.69)	(40.51)	(40.14)	(54.70)	
	1st quality yearling steers beef/dairy cross[14]	(71.65)	(95.22)	(122.63)	(95.54)	(109.95)	(152.85)	
								£ per cwt
£ per live 100 kg.	Fat cattle, market price[15]	24.59	30.27	36.97	33.27	41.37	57.75	29.34
	Target price[16]	. .	. .	. .	. .	45.55	52.36	26.60
	Total return[15]	24.78	30.35	36.97	37.13	46.58	58.08	29.51
	Retail price of beef: home-killed, chuck (*p. per kg.*)[6]	82.25	100.93	122.25	119.34	142.79	. .	. .
Sheep *£ per head*	Store sheep 1st quality (lambs, hoggets and tegs)[14]	(9.32)	(11.04)	(13.60)	(13.28)	(14.04)	(17.14)	
								£ per lb
p. per kg.	Fat sheep, UK: market price [17]	40.57	56.00	72.53	65.04	78.04	110.23	53.00
	Guaranteed price[18]	49.16	53.57	58.42	65.04	78.26	92.60	42.00
	Total return[17]	48.72	57.10	72.53	69.45	81.57	110.23	50.00
	Retail price of lamb: home-killed, leg (with bone) (*p. per kg.*)[16]	81.90	100.49	124.98	134.50	144.09	. .	. .

Notes: Figures which relate to calendar years are shown in brackets.

The CAP prices in the table have been converted at £1 = 2.40 Unit of account (ua) up to 1 February 1973 and at the different representative rates for the £ since then.

Footnotes [1]—[9] see page 465.

[10] C.i.f. UK ports per long ton 96° polarisation. [11] Unweighted average of seasonal prices used for calculating compensation for voluntary withdrawals of Class II or higher produce. [12] Net prices to growers for Aberystwyth varieties were announced up to and including 1971 by the Aberystwyth Seeds Committee and subsequently by the National Seed Development Organisation after consultation with the British Herbage Seeds Committee. The prices are payable except for crops grown on contracts at prices agreed between individual merchants and growers. [13] The three categories of Perennial Ryegrass are now known as 'High persistence', 'Low persistence' and 'New varieties and others'. No low persistence varieties are grown in the UK. [14] Average prices at representative markets in England and Wales. [15] Fat cattle market prices and total returns relate to animals certified under the Fatstock Guarantee Scheme for the years up to 1972/73 when FGS for cattle ended (26 March 1973). Thereafter they relate to all clean cattle for April/March years. [16] Unweighted average of seasonal target prices under the Beef Premium Scheme (certified cattle only). [17] The market price and total return for fat sheep relate only to animals certified under the Fat Sheep Guarantee Scheme. [18] For the last twelve weeks of the 1976/77 fatstock year, the guaranteed price was raised by 6.6p per kg (3p per lb) to counteract the possible effects of the drought. The overall effect is to increase the guaranteed price to 93.7p per kg (42.5p per lb). [19] The average standard price for fat pigs includes, where appropriate adjustments under the flexible guarantee and feed price arrangements. The figure for 1975/76 relates to the period to the end of July 1975 when the guarantee ended.

Footnotes [18]—[25] see page 467.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Commodity price trends

TABLE **18.8** *(continued)*

Marketing years

		1971/72 (1971)	1972/73 (1972)	1973/74 (1973)	1974/75 (1974)	1975/76 (1975)	1976/77 (1976) (forecast)	
								Imperial unit
Fat pigs *£ per 100 kg.*	Average standard price[19]	30.64	31.75	37.92	39.31	44.42	. .	*p. per score deadweight* . .
	Market price[20]	28.00	34.50	44.97	48.76	65.35	69.81	6.33
	Basic price[21]	. .	. .	39.73	44.22	56.62	65.21	5.92
	Total return[20]	30.64	34.72	44.97	48.76	65.35	69.81	6.33
p. per kg.	Retail price of pork: home-killed, loin (with bone) (*p. per kg.*)[6]	79.98	94.17	116.88	131.67	163.12	. .	. .
Broilers *p. per kg.*	Average wholesale price	30.42	32.41	44.97	47.40	55.87	67.79	*p. per lb* 30.75
	Retail price of (3lb) roasting chicken (broiler) frozen[6]	39.94	40.73	54.07	57.14	69.45	. .	. .
Milk *p. per litre*	Guaranteed price	4.86	5.08	5.45[23]	6.13[23]	8.17[23]	9.68	*p. per gallon* 44.00
	Net average producer price [22]	4.28	4.44	5.16	6.34	7.93	9.36	42.53
	Average price for manufacturing milk	2.97	3.28	3.64	4.95	6.62	7.55	34.30
	Retail price of milk, ordinary [6]	9.46	9.38	9.68	8.43	12.83	. .	. .
Eggs *p. per doz*	Average producer price [24]	14.5	13.0	27.7	22.8	23.6	30.5	
	Average packer-wholesaler price	. .	. .	29.6	26.7	28.7	37.2	
	Retail price of eggs, standard [6]	22.12	19.88	36.83	33.82	37.05	. .	
Wool *p. per kg*	Guaranteed price	50.04	50.71	55.12	57.32	68.34	83.70	*p. per lb* 37.97
	Average auction price	30.99	65.70	75.87	46.54	71.38	110.00	49.90
	Average producer price [25]	42.80	42.74	46.71	48.19	57.11	70.55	31.98

Notes: Figures which relate to calendar years are shown in brackets.

The CAP prices in the table have been converted at £1 = 2.4 Unit of account (ua) up to 1 February 1973 and at the different representative rates for the £ since then.

Footnotes [1]—[16] see **pages 465** and **466**.

[20] The market price and total return relate only to pigs certified under the Fatstock Guarantee Scheme until the scheme ended in July 1975. Thereafter average prices were ascertained by the Meat and Livestock Commission. For 1974/75 the total return excludes the special pig subsidy. [21] Basic prices for 1973/74 and 1974/75 are averages over the April/March years; price for 1975/76 is the current (January 1976) price. [22] The net ex-farm price, including premia, after deduction of transport charges received by wholesale producers from the Milk Marketing Boards (the 'pool price'). It covers both the standard quantity and milk sold for manufacture at a lower price. [23] Average prices. Effective guaranteed prices are 5.41 p per litre from 1 April 1973 to 31 March 1974, 5.78p per litre to 6 October 1974, 6.55p per litre to 31 March 1975, 7.54p per litre to 3 August 1975, 7.93p per litre to 15 September 1975, 8.29p per litre to 31 October 1975 and 8.80p per litre to 31 March 1976. In the period 7 October 1974 to 31 March 1975 the Government also made a special payment of 0.92p per litre on all sales of milk through the Milk Marketing Schemes. [24] Average price of all Class A eggs weighted according to quantity in each grade (including subsidy, where applicable). [25] The average price paid by the British Wool Marketing Board, including any subsidy.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

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		General Register Office (Scotland)	Scotland: Census reports 1951, 1961 and 1971 Sample census 1966 Census 1971
		General Register Office (Northern Ireland)	Northern Ireland: Census of population 1951 Census of population 1961 Census of population 1966 Census of population 1971
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		General Register Office (Scotland)	Scotland: Registrar General Scotland, Annual Report Part I, Mortality statistics 1974; Part II, Population and vital statistics Quarterly return of births, deaths and marriages
		General Register Office (Northern Ireland)	Northern Ireland: Annual report of the Registrar General (1975) Quarterly return of births, deaths and marriages
	2.33	Office of Population Censuses and Surveys, General Register Office (Scotland), General Register Office (Northern Ireland) and Government Actuary's Department	England and Wales: Registrar General's Decennial Supplement, England and Wales, 1961, Life Tables Population Trends (2nd quarter) Scotland: Life Tables: 1950–52, Supplement to the 99th Annual Report of the Registrar General Northern Ireland: Life Tables 1950–52
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	3.13-3.15, 3.17-3.30	Department of Health and Social Security	Social Security Statistics (1975) Health and Personal Social Services Statistics for England (1976)
National health service	3.41	Department of Health and Social Security	Civil Appropriation Accounts (1975/76) Health and Personal Social Services Statistics for England (1976)
		Welsh Office	Health and Personal Social Services Statistics for Wales (1975)

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	3.43	Department of Health and Social Services (Northern Ireland)	Parliament of Northern Ireland Estimates (1974/75) Summary of Health and Personal Social Services Accounts 1975/76
	3.44-3.47	Department of Health and Social Security	Health and Personal Social Services Statistics for England (1976)
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		Department of Agriculture (Northern Ireland)	Northern Ireland Digest of Statistics (half-yearly)
	9.11	Agricultural Departments	Department of Employment Gazette (monthly)
Food	9.12-9.15	Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food	Central Statistical Office: Monthly Digest of Statistics
Fisheries	9.21-9.23	Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food and Department of Agriculture and Fisheries for Scotland	England and Wales: Sea fisheries statistical tables (1976) Scotland: Fisheries of Scotland report for 1976 Scottish sea fisheries statistical tables (1976)
Food supplies	9.31	Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food	Trade and Industry (weekly)
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	9.34	Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food	MAFF Food Facts
X. Transport and communications			
Road transport	10.1-10.19	Department of the Environment	Transport Statistics Great Britain 1965–1975
	10.20-10.22	Department of the Environment, Scottish Development Department, Welsh Office	Road accidents in Great Britain 1975 Business Monitor (monthly) Central Statistical Office: Monthly Digest of Statistics
	10.23-10.24	Department of the Environment for Northern Ireland	Northern Ireland Digest of Statistics (half-yearly)
Rail transport	10.31-10.34	Department of Transport	Transport Statistics Great Britain 1965–1975
	10.35	Department of Employment	Department of Employment Gazette (monthly)
	10.36	Department of the Environment	Health and Safety Executive: Industry and Services 1975
Air transport	10.41-10.45 10.46-10.47	Civil Aviation Authority	Central Statistical Office: Monthly Digest of Statistics Accidents to aircraft on the British Register (1971) Civil Aviation Authority: Annual and Monthly Statistics

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Shipping	10.51-10.54	Department of Trade	Registry of ships, published monthly by the Registrar General of Shipping and Seamen
	10.55-10.58	Department of Industry, HM Customs and Excise	Trade and Industry (weekly) Nationality of vessels in seaborne trade (Business Monitor M8)
Passenger movement	10.59-10.60	Department of Industry	Central Statistical Office: Monthly Digest of Statistics
		Civil Aviation Authority	
Communications	10.71	Post Office	Post Office report and accounts 1976–1977
Cinemas	10.72	Department of Trade	Trade and Industry (weekly)
	10.73	Department of Trade	Trade and Industry (weekly)
XI. Distributive trades and services n.e.s.	11.2	Business Statistics Office	Census of distribution and other services 1961 Report on the census of distribution and other services 1966 Report on the census of distribution and other services 1971 (Business Monitor SD22)
	11.2-11.3	Department of Industry	Trade and Industry (weekly) Business Monitor (monthly)
Scientific research and development	11.11-11.12	Central Statistical Office	Studies in Official Statistics No. 27. Research and Development Expenditure and Employment
		Department of Industry	Trade and Industry (weekly)
XII. External trade	12.1-12.10	Department of Trade	Trade and Industry Statistics of Trade through United Kingdom ports (quarterly) Annual statement of the Overseas Trade of the United Kingdom, Volume I (1974) Overseas Trade Statistics of the United Kingdom (Monthly) Central Statistical Office: Monthly Digest of Statistics
XIII. Overseas finance	13.1-13.2 13.4-13.6 13.9-13.12	Central Statistical Office	United Kingdom Balance of Payments 1966–76
	13.3-13.5 13.7	Department of Trade Department of Industry	United Kingdom Balance of Payments 1966–76 Trade and Industry
	13.13-13.21	Bank of England	United Kingdom Balance of Payments 1966–76
	13.21	HM Treasury	United Kingdom Balance of Payments 1966–76 Quarterly figures: Financial Statistics

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Overseas finance (*contd*)	13.1-13.3 13.10-13.21		Quarterly figures: Economic Trends
	13.22-13.25	Ministry of Overseas Development	British Aid Statistics, Statistics of UK Economic Aid to Developing countries 1971–1975 Central Statistical Office: Financial Statistics
XIV. National income and expenditure	14.1-14.19	Central Statistical Office	National Income and Expenditure 1966–76 Monthly Digest of Statistics Economic Trends
XV. Personal income, expenditure and wealth	15.1	Central Statistical Office, Department of Employment	Economic Trends, December 1976
	15.3-15.4	Board of Inland Revenue	Inland Revenue Statistics 1976
	15.2, 15.5 15.6	Department of Employment	Family Expenditure Survey 1975
XVI. Home finance			
Central government	16.1-16.4	Central Statistical Office	Financial Statistics (monthly)
	16.5-16.14 16.16, 16.19	HM Treasury, Central Statistical Office and Bank of England	Consolidated Fund and National Loans Fund Accounts Financial Statistics (monthly)
Saving	16.15	Department for National Savings and National Debt Office	Annual report of the National Savings Committee (1976/77) Annual report of the Inspection Committee of Trustee savings banks (1976) Accounts of National Savings Bank: Investment Deposit Accounts (1976) Ordinary Deposit Accounts (1976) Accounts of savings banks funds (1975) Accounts of Trustee savings banks (1975)
Central government	16.17	Board of Inland Revenue	Inland Revenue Statistics (1976)
Customs and Excise duties	16.20	Customs and Excise	Report of the Commissioners of HM Customs and Excise (1976)
Rateable values	16.21	Board of Inland Revenue	Rates and Rateable values in England and Wales (1975/76)
Local authorities	16.31	Central Statistical Office	Financial Statistics (monthly)
	16.32	Department of the Environment	Local government financial statistics (England and Wales) (1974/75)
		Public Works Loan Board	Annual report of the Public Works Loan Board (1975/76)
		Scottish Office, Finance Division	Local financial returns (Scotland) (1972/73)

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Local authorities (*contd*)	16.32 (*contd*)	Department of the Environment (Northern Ireland)	Department of Finance: Accounts of the Government Loans Fund (Northern Ireland) (1975/76)
	16.33-16.37	Department of the Environment	Local government financial statistics (England and Wales) (1973/74)
	16.38-16.41	Scottish Office, Finance Division	Local financial returns (Scotland) (1974/75)
	16.42-16.45	Department of the Environment (Northern Ireland)	Local authority financial returns (Northern Ireland) (1972/73) District Council – Summary of statement of Accounts
XVII. Banking insurance, etc.			
Banking	17.1-17.3 17.9	Bank of England and British Bankers' Association	Bank of England Annual Report and Accounts (1976) Bank of England Quarterly Bulletin
	17.4	Bankers' Clearing House	Annual report of the Bankers' Clearing House (1971) Central Statistical Office: Financial Statistics
	17.5-17.8	Bank of England	Central Statistical Office: Financial Statistics
	17.10	London Discount Market Association	Bank of England Quarterly Bulletin
	17.12	Central Statistical Office	Financial Statistics (monthly)
Capital markets	17.13, 17.14 17.16	Bank of England	Bank of England Quarterly Bulletin Central Statistical Office: Financial Statistics
	17.15	Council of The Stock Exchange	Stock Exchange Fact Book (quarterly)
Other financial institutions	17.21	National Debt Office	Annual report of the Inspection Committee of Trustee Savings Banks (1976)
	17.22	Registry of Friendly Societies	Report of the Chief Registrar of Friendly Societies, Part 2 (1976)
	17.23-17.25	Department of Industry	Trade and Industry (weekly) Business Monitor (monthly)
	17.26	Bank of England	Central Statistical Office: Financial Statistics
	17.27	Government Actuary's Department Central Statistical Office Department of Industry	Central Statistical Office: Financial Statistics
	17.28, 17.29	Registry of Friendly Societies	Report of the Chief Registrar of Friendly Societies, Part 3 (1976)

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Other financial institutions (*contd*)	17.30	Office of the Industrial Assurance Commissioner	Report of the Chief Registrar of Friendly Societies, Part 1 incorporating the Report of the Industrial Assurance Commissioner for the year 1975
	17.31	Registry of Friendly Societies	Report of the Chief Registrar of Friendly Societies, Part 1 incorporating the Report of the Industrial Assurance Commissioner for the year 1975
Insurance	17.41, 17.42 17.47-17.50	Department of Trade	Department of Trade: Insurance business statistics (1969/70)
	17.46, 17.51	Office of the Industrial Assurance Commissioner	Report of the Chief Registrar of Friendly Societies, Part 1 incorporating the Report of the Industrial Assurance Commissioner for the year 1975
Companies	17.61	Department of Industry Bank of England	Central Statistical Office: Financial Statistics Trade and Industry (weekly)
	17.62-17.65	Department of Industry	Business Monitors (annually and quarterly)
Insolvency	17.71-17.72	Department of Trade	Bankruptcy. General annual report for the year 1976
	17.73	The Account of Court, Edinburgh	Judicial statistics, Scotland, Civil judicial statistics (1976)
	17.74	Supreme Court	Ulster Yearbook 1976
	17.75	Department of Trade The Registrar of Companies, Edinburgh, Department of Commerce (Northern Ireland)	Financial Statistics (monthly)
XVIII. Prices	18.1	Department of Employment	Department of Employment Gazette (monthly)
	18.2-18.6	Department of Industry	Trade and Industry (weekly)
	18.7	Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food	Agricultural Statistics, United Kingdom (1974)
	18.8	Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food	Annual Review of Agriculture, 1977 (Cmnd 6392)

APPENDIX

STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION

The Standard Industrial Classification has been prepared as a means of securing uniformity and comparability in the statistics published by Government Departments in the United Kingdom. It is a system of classification of establishments according to industry; it does not relate to commodities or occupations for which other systems of classification have been devised. It has been compiled to conform with the organisation and structure of industry as it exists within the United Kingdom.

The 1958 Classification was replaced by a revised edition published in October 1968.

The 1958 Classification provided 152 Minimum List Headings grouped into 24 Orders; in the 1968 revision this has been expanded to 181 Minimum List Headings grouped into 27 Orders, to allow for the increased importance of certain industries. Lists of the Orders and Minimum List Headings for both the 1958 and 1968 editions of the Classification are given below. It should be noted that activities covered by Headings in both lists may not exactly correspond although the titles are unchanged.

Full details of the 1968 Classification are available in *Standard Industrial Classification (revised 1968)* and *Standard Industrial Classification–Alphabetical List of Industries (revised 1968) (Second Impression 1974)* (HMSO)

Minimum List Heading	Revised 1958	Minimum List Heading	Revised 1968
	ORDER I **Agriculture, forestry, fishing**		ORDER I **Agriculture, forestry, fishing**
001	Agriculture and horticulture	001	Agriculture and horticulture
002	Forestry	002	Forestry
003	Fishing	003	Fishing
	ORDER II **Mining and quarrying**		ORDER II **Mining and quarrying**
101	Coal mining	101	Coal mining
102	Stone and slate quarrying and mining	102	Stone and slate quarrying and mining
103	Chalk, clay, sand and gravel extraction	103	Chalk, clay, sand and gravel extraction
		104	Petroleum and natural gas
109	Other mining and quarrying	109	Other mining and quarrying
	ORDER III **Food, drink and tobacco**		ORDER III **Food, drink and tobacco**
211	Grain milling	211	Grain milling
212	Bread and flour confectionery	212	Bread and flour confectionery
213	Biscuits	213	Biscuits
214	Bacon curing, meat and fish products	214	Bacon curing, meat and fish products
215	Milk products	215	Milk and milk products
216	Sugar	216	Sugar
217	Cocoa, chocolate and sugar confectionery	217	Cocoa, chocolate and sugar confectionery
218	Fruit and vegetable products	218	Fruit and vegetable products
219	Animal and poultry foods	219	Animal and poultry foods
		221	Vegetable and animal oils and fats
229	Food industries not elsewhere specified	229	Food industries not elsewhere specified
231	Brewing and malting	231	Brewing and malting
		232	Soft drinks
239	Other drink industries	239	Other drink industries
240	Tobacco	240	Tobacco
	ORDER IV **Chemicals and allied industries**		ORDER IV **Coal and petroleum products**
261	Coke ovens and manufactured fuel	261	Coke ovens and manufactured fuel
262	Mineral oil refining	262	Mineral oil refining
263	Lubricating oils and greases	263	Lubricating oils and greases
			ORDER V **Chemicals and allied industries**
271	Chemicals and dyes	271	General chemicals
272	Pharmaceutical and toilet preparations	272	Pharmaceutical chemicals and preparations
273	Explosives and fireworks	273	Toilet preparations
274	Paint and printing ink	274	Paint
275	Vegetable and animal oils, fats, soap and detergents	275	Soap and detergents
276	Synthetic resins and plastics materials	276	Synthetic resins and plastics materials and synthetic rubber
277	Polishes, gelatine, adhesives, etc.	277	Dyestuffs and pigments
		278	Fertilizers
		279	Other chemical industries
	ORDER V **Metal manufacture**		ORDER VI **Metal manufacture**
311	Iron and steel (general)	311	Iron and steel (general)
312	Steel tubes	312	Steel tubes
313	Iron castings, etc.	313	Iron castings, etc.
321	Light metals	321	Aluminium and aluminium alloys
322	Copper, brass and other base metals	322	Copper, brass and other copper alloys
		323	Other base metals

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Revised 1958		Revised 1968	
Minimum List Heading		Minimum List Heading	
	ORDER VI		ORDER VII
	Engineering and electrical goods		**Mechanical engineering**
331	Agricultural machinery (except tractors)	331	Agricultural machinery (except tractors)
332	Metal-working machine tools	332	Metal-working machine tools
333	Engineers' small tools and gauges	333	Pumps, valves and compressors
334	Industrial engines	334	Industrial engines
335	Textile machinery and accessories	335	Textile machinery and accessories
336	Contractors' plant and quarrying machinery	336	Construction and earth-moving equipment
337	Mechancial handling equipment	337	Mechanical handling equipment
338	Office machinery	338	Office machinery
339	Other machinery	339	Other machinery
341	Industrial plant and steelwork	341	Industrial (including process) plant and steelwork
342	Ordnance and small arms	342	Ordnance and small arms
349	Other mechanical engineering not elsewhere specified	349	Other mechanical engineering not elsewhere specified
			ORDER VIII
			Instrument engineering
351	Scientific, surgical and photographic instruments, etc.	351	Photographic and document copying equipment
352	Watches and clocks	352	Watches and clocks
		353	Surgical instruments and appliances
		354	Scientific and industrial instruments and systems
			ORDER IX
			Electrical engineering
361	Electrical machinery	361	Electrical machinery
362	Insulated wires and cables	362	Insulated wires and cables
363	Telegraph and telephone apparatus	363	Telegraph and telephone apparatus and equipment
364	Radio and other electronic apparatus	364	Radio and electronic components
365	Domestic electric appliances	365	Broadcast receiving and sound reproducing equipment
		366	Electronic computers
		367	Radio, radar and electronic capital goods
		368	Electric appliances primarily for domestic use
369	Other electrical goods	369	Other electrical goods
	ORDER VII		ORDER X
	Shipbuilding and marine engineering		**Shipbuilding and marine engineering**
370	Shipbuilding and marine engineering	370	Shipbuilding and marine engineering
	ORDER VIII		ORDER XI
	Vehicles		**Vehicles**
		380	Wheeled tractor manufacturing
381	Motor vehicle manufacturing	381	Motor vehicle manufacturing
382	Motor cycle, three-wheel vehicle and pedal cycle manufacturing	382	Motor cycle, tricycle and pedal cycle manufacturing
383	Aircraft manufacturing and repairing	383	Aerospace equipment manufacturing and repairing
384	Locomotives and railway track equipment	384	Locomotives and railway track equipment
385	Railway carriages and wagons and trams	385	Railway carriages and wagons and trams
389	Perambulators, hand-trucks, etc.		
	ORDER IX		ORDER XII
	Metal goods not elsewhere specified		**Metal goods not elsewhere specified**
		390	Engineers' small tools and gauges
391	Tools and implements	391	Hand tools and implements
392	Cutlery	392	Cutlery, spoons, forks and plated tableware, etc.
393	Bolts, nuts, screws, rivets, etc.	393	Bolts, nuts, screws, rivets, etc.
394	Wire and wire manufactures	394	Wire and wire manufactures
395	Cans and metal boxes	395	Cans and metal boxes
396	Jewellery, plate and refining of precious metals	396	Jewellery and precious metals
399	Metal industries not elsewhere specified	399	Metal industries not elsewhere specified

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Minimum List Heading	Revised 1958	Minimum List Heading	Revised 1968
	ORDER X **Textiles**		ORDER XIII **Textiles**
411	Production of man-made fibres	411	Production of man-made fibres
412	Spinning and doubling of cotton, flax and man-made fibres	412	Spinning and doubling on the cotton and flax systems
413	Weaving of cotton, linen and man-made fibres	413	Weaving of cotton, linen and man-made fibres
414	Woollen and worsted	414	Woollen and worsted
415	Jute	415	Jute
416	Rope, twine and net	416	Rope, twine and net
417	Hosiery and other knitted goods	417	Hosiery and other knitted goods
418	Lace	418	Lace
419	Carpets	419	Carpets
421	Narrow fabrics	421	Narrow fabrics (not more than 30 cm wide)
422	Made-up textiles	422	Made-up textiles
423	Textile finishing	423	Textile finishing
429	Other textile industries	429	Other textile industries
	ORDER XI **Leather, leather goods and fur**		ORDER XIV **Leather, leather goods and fur**
431	Leather (tanning and dressing) and fellmongery	431	Leather (tanning and dressing) and fellmongery
432	Leather goods	432	Leather goods
433	Fur	433	Fur
	ORDER XII **Clothing and footwear**		ORDER XV **Clothing and footwear**
441	Weatherproof outerwear	441	Weatherproof outerwear
442	Men's and boys' tailored outerwear	442	Men's and boys' tailored outerwear
443	Women's and girls' tailored outerwear	443	Women's and girls' tailored outerwear
444	Overalls and men's shirts, underwear, etc.	444	Overalls and men's shirts, underwear, etc.
445	Dresses, lingerie, infants' wear, etc.	445	Dresses, lingerie, infants' wear, etc.
446	Hats, caps and millinery	446	Hats, caps and millinery
449	Dress industries not elsewhere specified	449	Dress industries not elsewhere specified
450	Footwear	450	Footwear
	ORDER XIII **Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.**		ORDER XVI **Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.**
461	Bricks, fireclay, and refractory goods	461	Bricks, fireclay and refractory goods
462	Pottery	462	Pottery
463	Glass	463	Glass
464	Cement	464	Cement
469	Abrasives and building materials, etc., not elsewhere specified	469	Abrasives and building materials, etc., not elsewhere specified
	ORDER XIV **Timber, furniture, etc.**		ORDER XVII **Timber, furniture, etc.**
471	Timber	471	Timber
472	Furniture and upholstery	472	Furniture and upholstery
473	Bedding, etc.	473	Bedding, etc.
474	Shop and office fitting	474	Shop and office fitting
475	Wooden containers and baskets	475	Wooden containers and baskets
479	Miscellaneous wood and cork manufactures	479	Miscellaneous wood and cork manufactures
	ORDER XV **Paper, printing and publishing**		ORDER XVIII **Paper, printing and publishing**
481	Paper and board	481	Paper and board
482	Cardboard boxes, cartons and fibre-board packing cases	482	Packaging products of paper, board and associated materials
483	Manufactures of paper and board not elsewhere specified	483	Manufactured stationery
		484	Manufactures of paper and board not elsewhere specified
		485	Printing, publishing of newspapers
486	Printing, publishing of newspapers and periodicals	486	Printing, publishing of periodicals
489	Other printing, publishing, bookbinding, engraving, etc.	489	Other printing, publishing, book binding, engraving, etc.
	ORDER XVI **Other manufacturing industries**		ORDER XIX **Other manufacturing industries**
491	Rubber	491	Rubber
492	Linoleum, leather cloth, etc.	492	Linoleum, plastics, floor-covering, leather cloth, etc.
493	Brushes and brooms	493	Brushes and brooms
494	Toys, games and sports equipment	494	Toys, games, children's carriages and sports equipment
495	Miscellaneous stationers' goods	495	Miscellaneous stationers' goods
496	Plastics moulding and fabricating	496	Plastics products not elsewhere specified
499	Miscellaneous manufacturing industries	499	Miscellaneous manufacturing industries

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Minimum List Heading	Revised 1958	Minimum List Heading	Revised 1968
	ORDER XVII		ORDER XX
	Construction		**Construction**
500	Construction	500	Construction
	ORDER XVIII		ORDER XXI
	Gas, electricity and water		**Gas, electricity and water**
601	Gas	601	Gas
602	Electricity	602	Electricity
603	Water supply	603	Water supply
	ORDER XIX		ORDER XXII
	Transport and communication		**Transport and communication**
701	Railways	701	Railways
702	Road passenger transport	702	Road passenger transport
703	Road haulage contracting	703	Road haulage contracting for general hire or reward
704	Sea transport	704	Other road haulage
705	Port and inland water transport	705	Sea transport
706	Air transport	706	Port and inland water transport
707	Postal services and telecommunications	707	Air transport
		708	Postal services and telecommunications
709	Miscellaneous transport services and storage	709	Miscellaneous transport services and storage
	ORDER XX		ORDER XXIII
	Distributive trades		**Distributive trades**
810	Wholesale distribution	810	Wholesale distribution of food and drink
		811	Wholesale distribution of petroleum products
		812	Other wholesale distribution
820	Retail distribution	820	Retail distribution of food and drink
		821	Other retail distribution
831	Dealing in coal, builders' materials, grain and agricultural supplies (wholesale or retail)	831	Dealing in coal, oil, builders' materials, grain and agricultural supplies
832	Dealing in other industrial materials and machinery	832	Dealing in other industrial materials and machinery
	ORDER XXI		ORDER XXIV
	Insurance, banking and finance		**Insurance, banking, finance and business services**
860	Insurance, banking and finance	860	Insurance
		861	Banking and bill discounting
		862	Other financial institutions
		863	Property owning and managing, etc.
		864	Advertising and market research
		865	Other business services
		866	Central offices not allocable elsewhere
	ORDER XXII		ORDER XXV
	Professional and scientific services		**Professional and scientific services**
871	Accountancy services	871	Accountancy services
872	Educational services	872	Educational services
873	Legal services	873	Legal services
874	Medical and dental services	874	Medical and dental services
875	Religious organisations	875	Religious organisations
		876	Research and development services
879	Other professional and scientific services	879	Other professional and scientific services
	ORDER XXIII		ORDER XXVI
	Miscellaneous services		**Miscellaneous services**
881	Cinemas, theatres, radio, etc.	881	Cinemas, theatres, radio, etc.
882	Sport and other recreations	882	Sport and other recreations
883	Betting	883	Betting and gambling
884	Catering, hotels, etc.	884	Hotels and other residential establishments
885	Laundries	885	Restaurants, cafes, snack bars
886	Dry cleaning, job dyeing, carpet beating, etc.	886	Public houses
887	Motor repairers, distributors, garages and filling stations	887	Clubs
888	Repair of boots and shoes	888	Catering contractors
889	Hairdressing and manicure	889	Hairdressing and manicure
891	Private domestic service	891	Private domestic service
		892	Laundries
		893	Dry cleaning, job dyeing, carpet beating, etc.
		894	Motor repairers, distributors, garages and filling stations
		895	Repair of boots and shoes
899	Other services	899	Other services
	ORDER XXIV		ORDER XXVII
	Public administration and defence		**Public administration and defence**
901	National government service	901	National government service
906	Local government service	906	Local government service

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